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JURY RECOMMENDS IMPROVEMENTS IN CONDITIONS AT THE CONVICT CAMP AND REMOVAL OF FOREMAN FRANCHER

Far Reaching Recommendations Contained in Report To Judge Daniels

ALSO RECOMMENDS THAT COUNTY HOME HOUSES BE PAINTED

Other Offices of the County Found in Unusually Fine Condition

Condemning conditions existing at the convict camp in no uncertain terms and recommending the removal of Mr. Francher, camp foreman, for allowing such a state of affairs to exist the grand jury in this term of Pitt county criminal court yesterday afternoon presented their report to Judge Daniels containing the most far reaching recommendations in many months.

The report declares that the grand jury visited the convict camp, found the cells in filthy condition, food in open houses exposed to flies, and the prisoners afraid to talk because of alleged threats of the foreman. The camp was visited Tuesday and again Wednesday, in hope that the last visit might find conditions improved. Such was not the case, however, and members were moved to provide certain recommendations tending to give the prisoners a better showing.

The report also recommended that the county home buildings should be newly painted with certain other improvements necessary to the welfare of the occupants. Other offices of the county were found in excellent condition.

The report as presented Judge Daniels follows:

To Honorable F. A. Daniels, Judge presiding:

We, the Grand Jury, hereto submit the following report:

We have passed on all bills presented to us except those we were unable to secure witnesses and have submitted said bills to the court.

We have visited the offices of the Sheriff, Clerk of the Court, Register of Deeds, the Board of Education, the County Auditor and Treasurer, and we find these offices in good condition, the records well and neatly kept. We have visited the county home and found the same kept and maintained in excellent condition.

However, we would recommend that eaves of the building be built so as to extend further over in order to prevent the boxing from deteriorating and rotting, and that all the county home buildings should be newly painted with at least one coat of paint, and that the porches should have railings built around them. We further recommend that the washpot or kettle should be built or bricked up with a furnace construction in order to prevent the hazard of fire on the premises.

We have visited the convict camp, and find the same in very bad condition, the cells in a filthy condition. We also find an open privy with enormous amount of flies around the privy penetrating to an drum on the food, and the food in an open house exposed to the flies. A committee visited these camps on Tuesday of this week and found conditions so bad we visited it again on Wednesday and still found conditions deplorable. We questioned some of the prisoners on the second trip and they were afraid to talk or tell us of their fear on account of threats made by the foreman, Mr. Francher. We further recommend that Mr. Francher be removed at once and someone else put in charge, as this is the second time the Grand Jury have had this matter up and it does not seem to have any effect. We find that the white and colored prisoners are all fed together, and we recommend that the above condition be remedied at once.

We visited the jail and found the same in very good condition, the prisoners well cared for.

We wish to express our appreciation to the officers of the court for the courtesy shown us during this term, especially the solicitor for his assistance in our work, and we want to commend him for his faithful performance of the duties of his office.

Last, but by no means least, we wish to extend our thanks for the inspiring and helpful charge delivered to us by the Presiding Judge.

Respectfully submitted, E. W. BRAXTON, Foreman.

ORGANIZE MEN'S CLUB AT MEETING HERE LAST NIGHT

E. W. Griffin Elected President by Immanuel Baptist Church Members

Dr. T. H. Plemons, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church last night called a meeting of members of his church and the Baraca class which met in the parlor of the Baptist church for the purpose of organizing what is known as the men's club.

The attendance was good and a fine organization spirit was manifested all very enthusiastic, and we bespeak for this organization a great and noble work.

Immediately after completing the details of the organization the matter of election of the officers for the ensuing year followed by an unanimous vote for E. W. Griffin, president, S. G. Wilkerson vice president, F. A. Edmundson, secretary and E. R. Thomas, treasurer.

Mr. S. J. Everett acted as toast master in the most clever and congenial manner during which time several impressive and interesting speeches were made relative to the work of the organization.

Immediately after the close of the business session the ladies' aid society of the Baptist church served refreshments in the most dainty and congenial manner, and every one present enjoyed the meeting, and went away with a great and noble spirit to work to accomplish the work as outlined. The club voted to meet Thursday night after the first Sunday in next month at which time the ladies of the church will serve refreshments.

COMMUNITY SING WILL BE STAGED IN AYDEN TONIGHT

Judge F. M. Wooten to be the Principal Speaker at Great Event

A community sing will be held at the high school auditorium in Ayden tonight at eight o'clock, according to an announcement made this morning by those in charge. The affair promises to be one of the greatest of its kind ever before held in this county, and it is expected the large auditorium will be packed to its utmost capacity.

The sing will be under the direction of J. H. Rose, superintendent of Greenville schools, while the principal address of the evening will be delivered by Judge F. M. Wooten, also of Greenville. Judge Wooten has an inspiring message in store for the occasion, and those who attend are assured of being well awarded.

The sing has been under consideration for some time, but did not become possible until tonight because of unforeseen difficulties. Because of this fact the program will be more complete than otherwise, and will offer an opportunity for everyone to sing as they never sing before.

Europeans are saving more daylight than we see: but it takes more for them to see through things.—Burlington News.

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SOVIETEERS WHO "TRICKED" LLOYD GEORGE AND ALLIES.



Since the Russian delegates signed a secret treaty with Germany at Genoa, they are said to be "laughing up their sleeves" at the discomfiture of Lloyd George and the Allies. At extreme left is Rosenberg, Tch'cherin's chief press agent; left to right, Narimanoff, Mdivania, Sapronow and Sabinin.

JACKSON ADMITS BURNING BUILDING MANY YEARS AGO

Ayden Preacher Throws Himself on Mercy of Court After Confession

BRILEY ACQUITTED OF ROBBING BETHEL STORES YEARS AGO

Court Requires Jackson to Pay \$1500 Resulting From Loss Of Buildings

Tom Jackson, white man of the Ayden community who recently confessed the burning of his pressing club and the Ayden hotel building twelve years ago because he needed the insurance money, this morning made a similar confession before Judge F. A. Daniels in the criminal session of Pitt county superior court. After telling his story to the court Jackson, who has confessed religion and started out preaching, announced himself ready to accept whatever sentence the court imposed upon him.

Although a true bill was returned against Jackson by a grand jury at a previous term of court, Judge Daniels failed to deal out any sentence against him this morning, preferring to let him pay the \$1500 resulting from loss of the burned building. Jackson, however, declared he was unable to pay the amount and didn't know when he would be. He was told to appear in court one year hence and tell exactly what progress had been made in settling the debt.

John Eriey, white man of Bethel, charged with robbing stores of that place about two years ago, was adjudged not guilty by the jury which has been deliberating on the case since yesterday at 11 o'clock. The case has consumed considerable time, and while it appeared a verdict would be rendered late yesterday afternoon the jurors failed to agree and spent the night in the court house where they had plenty of time to thresh the matter out among themselves. The count stood nine for acquittal and three for conviction yesterday, and this was not changed until after breakfast this morning when an agreement was reached.

The appearance of Jackson this morning created considerable interest as his sensational confession several months ago attracted attention in all parts of the county, especially among those who have been intimately acquainted with him for years. He faced the court calmly and told the story of the burning of the hotel, and years following when authorities failed to discover how the fire originated.

He said his conscience wouldn't let him rest after he confessed religion, and that he was forced to make the confession to square himself with God. His honesty in laying bare the history of the crime has had great effect on the public, and met with the same consideration in court. The solicitor had prepared his bill in the case, providing for payment of the loss sustained by collection of the insurance.

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GERMANY ACCEPTS EXPULSION FROM GENOA DISCUSSION

Genoa, April 21.—Germany in reply to the Allied note concerning her participation in the Russian pact, accepted expulsion from future Russian discussions only on the points already settled in the Rapallo treaty.

Lloyd George had declared Germany must either abrogate the treaty or accept complete expulsion.

THE PRODIGAL SON USED AS SUBJECT OF SERMON HERE

Dr. Edwards Delivered Powerful Sermon on Theme at Christ Church

Dr. Ben M. Edwards delivered another interesting sermon at the series of revival services at the Christian church last night, using as his subject: "The Prodigal Son." Dr. Edwards' text was taken from the 15th chapter of Luke, and from this he painted a vivid picture of the prodigal son of today compared to the one of old.

Mr. and Mrs. Pollock led the singing in a spirited way again last night, and the congregation joined and sang as only few congregations are inspired to do. Mr. Pollock has a way of getting people to sing whether they want to or not, and when his part of the services is nearly over practically everybody in the house is singing or making an effort to do so.

Dr. Edwards' sermon was an inspiration in itself and carried a lesson to everyone inclined to wander away from the path of righteousness to that followed by the prodigal. He compared the ways of the prodigal of old to that of today, showing them to be of the same character, and of the same inclination. He drove home the lesson that the prodigal must depart from his way to reach the kingdom of God in a particularly forceful way and those who heard him will not forget the sermon any time soon.

Great preparations are being made for the closing service of the revival Sunday night. Dr. Edwards' final sermon will be on the subject of "The Closed Door" and will carry one of the greatest messages of the entire revival. Both services Sunday will be particularly interesting and those who attend may be assured of something out of the ordinary.

MRS. PATTERSON IS NAMED FOR CONGRESS

Greensboro, April 20.—Mrs. Lindsay Patterson, of Winston-Salem, was chosen Republican nominee for congress from the Fifth North Carolina district at a meeting of the delegates to the congressional convention here today. Charles A. Reynolds, of Winston-Salem, national committee man, placed her name on nomination and she was named by acclamation.

Following the congressional convention, Twelfth Judicial District delegates met and nominated C. M. Bernard, of Pilot Mountain, Stokes county, for Judge, and E. C. Jerome of Greensboro, for solicitor. Delegates to the Eleventh District Judicial convention nominated A. E. Holton, of Winston-Salem, for solicitor.

ENTIRE TOWN IN SIBERIA WRECKED BY AN EXPLOSION

Forty-Five Thousand People Homeless as Result of Disaster

NUMBER OF DEAD NOT DETERMINED BECAUSE BAD COMMUNICATION

Blast Reported From Saloniki Believed to be That in Monastir Section

(By International News)

Athens April 21.—Practically the whole town of Monastir, in southern Siberia, is in ruins today as result of a terrific explosion Tuesday, according to telegraphic dispatches received here today. Forty-five thousand inhabitants are nearly all homeless as result of the explosion.

No information as to the number of dead was received due to poor wire communication, but it is believed casualties were heavy. No further reports have been received from Saloniki where a similar blast was reported. It is believed the last report referred to the Monastir explosion.

WILSON OVERWHELMS TAR HEELS IN SLOW OPENING GAME; 13-1

Rocky Mount, April 20.—Despite the cold weather, more than two thousand fans saw Tom Clark's Wilson Bugs slaughter the Tar Heels 13 to 1 in a listless, ragged fray that served to prize the lid off the 1922 Virginia League season this afternoon.

Timely slugging, slovenly fielding and indifferent playing on the part of the locals all combined to give the Bugs their one-sided triumph. The homebats had numerous opportunities to pass men across, as they garnered ten hits, but Bennett, on the mound for the visitors, tightened in the pinches and as a result the Walkers had fourteen men stranded on the base paths.

Fried started the fuss for the locals. After the Clark crew had mixed hits and errors with several bases on balls thrown in for good measure to check in three runners in the fourth frame and six more in the fifth, the southpaw gave way to Snyder. The Clarkites were held scoreless in the next two stanzas but a combination of errors and bad breaks allowed them to rush in two more runs in each the eighth and ninth sessions.

FORMER BANKER OF FAIRMONT ARRESTED

Lumberton, April 20.—H. L. Blue, Jr., former assistant cashier of the Bank of Fairmont, was arrested and placed in jail here last night on the charge of embezzlement of \$2,000 and other monies from the bank.

The warrant was sworn out by Clarence Latham, chief state bank examiner. Records of the Fairmont bank were damaged by fire, which followed an explosion in the bank on the night of February 28. The damage to the records made an audit of the bank's affairs difficult. The bank has not been opened since the fire.

INTENSIVE FINANCIAL CAMPAIGN WILL BE WAGED BY THE EASTERN CAROLINA CHAMBER FOR THE NEXT SIXTY DAYS

COUNTY CHAMBER WILL MEET IN CITY TUESDAY EVENING

Vice President and Manager Bartlett Here Outlining Tentative Plans

CONSTITUTION ALSO ADOPTED AT MEETING IN CITY YESTERDAY

Adoption of Budget for Present Year and Other Issues Considered

Annual Meeting Expected to be One of Greatest Affairs in Years

Every indication points to a successful meeting of the Pitt county Chamber of Commerce next Tuesday night. A large number of tickets were sold yesterday and today's sales will more than likely carry to a splendid mark. J. E. Winslow, president of the Greenville Rotary Club, sold 40 tickets yesterday morning.

A splendid menu is being prepared by the ladies aid society of the Memorial Baptist church, superintended by Circle Three of which Mrs. Albion Dunn is leader.

Among those to take part on the program are the following: J. E. Winslow, president of the Rotary club; J. B. James, president of the Kiwanis club and P. S. Spruill of Rocky Mount. Mr. Spruill will deliver the main address of the evening. He is highly recommended and all who hear him will doubtless go away with a lasting memory of the delightful occasion. As to our local speakers, who will appear on the program for short talks, they are too well-known for any comment to add any great amount of force. The membership and public in general will be richly repaid for hearing these two representative men.

While this is the annual membership meeting of the Pitt County Chamber of Commerce, it is not confined to the membership, but all who so desire have a cordial invitation. Secretary Smith has the tickets and would be glad to have those wanting one or more, make their purchases immediately.

ALLEGED BANK ROBBERS KILLED AT BIRMINGHAM

Birmingham, April 21.—Charles Wilkes, alleged bank robber and fugitive from justice is held here for the murder of Claude Wilson, alleged accomplice who is in a hospital. Policeman Crabtree was probably fatally shot in a gun battle when the trio attempted to enter the Fairview postoffice. Wilkes is an alleged fugitive from Virginia where he was sentenced to 35 years in prison for bank robbery.

TO ASK MILLION DOLLAR APPROPRIATION FOR THE FLOOD STRICKEN STATES

Washington, April 21.—Congress is to be asked to approve an appropriation for a million dollars to aid Louisiana, Arkansas and Mississippi in preventing threatened floods from breaking the levees of the Mississippi river. Resolutions authorizing the appropriation will be introduced before the house and senate this afternoon.

HARDING SIGNS BILL PROVIDING \$17,000,000 FOR DISABLED SOLDIERS

Washington, April 21.—President Harding today signed the Langley bill appropriating seventeen million dollars to provide additional hospital facilities for disabled veterans of the world war, it was announced this afternoon.

FORD DENIES FACTS IN BOOK ABOUT HIMSELF

Washington, April 21.—In a letter Secretary Mellon, Henry Ford said that the author of the book "Truth about Henry Ford" did not consult him as to all details. The letter was in reply to Mellon's letter regarding the statement in the book that Ford had returned the government \$29,000,000 in war profits.

The Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce was given another big boost Thursday when the executive committee, with just one absent, met in Greenville and heard reports from the active vice president and manager, Mr. N. G. Bartlett, as to the progress that has been made up to now with the work. Mr. Bartlett has been on the ground now about ten days and has done a great deal of research work, that will be of inestimable value to the committee in promoting this campaign. This survey brought out some rather interesting data as to the condition of Eastern North Carolina.

The executive committee agreed on a constitution, and this will be submitted to the directors at a meeting to be called, at near date for their ratification. Among other things done, was the adoption of a budget for the first year. This budget was based on a very conservative estimate of the work to be done, and calls for a total of \$36,471.00. This will include all necessary clerical help; executives, incidental expenses and all. The committee thought that this was rather small, considering that there are thirty-one counties in the district.

To arrive at the amount of funds each county is to raise, a system was worked out, that is absolutely in all concerned. The basis will be to subscribe one sixth of one percent of their capital, and other corporations will be asked for a like amount. This does not include the surplus but simply the capital. Each county will be supposed to get one regular member of \$10.00 for each 1,000 inhabitants. The Chamber of Commerce will be asked to take a flat membership of \$25.00 for the organization. Inasmuch as the people all over the counties, represented will be benefited directly by this campaign, the county commissioners, the county commissioners from the various counties will be asked for an appropriation for this work. One county commissioner, expressed it this way: "We are cutting on everything except farm extension work, and things that will help whip the boll weevil." This is the true view to take, because the main mission of this organization will be to prepare the way for better conditions under boll weevil conditions. It is not the purpose of the organization to advocate the abolition of the cotton industry. Not by any means, but to regulate the cotton that it will not be the main stay for the average farmer. He must grow his own food or else suffer very materially when the boll weevil comes. The executive committee felt that this method of arriving at the amount to be raised from each county, would be absolutely fair to all concerned.

The committee did not select permanent headquarters for the organization at the meeting Thursday, but it is believed that this will be selected within the next thirty days. In the meantime Mr. Bartlett, the manager, will work out of the various towns over the district.

The committee further decided to put on an intensive campaign, for the next sixty days, the date of which to be announced later. The program will be carried to the people through the press and all arrangements will be made to put the campaign over in great form. There isn't any movement that has been launched in this section in a half century that will mean so much for the development of eastern North Carolina as the Eastern Carolina Chamber of Commerce. It deserves the active support of every real true citizen of the cotton territory.

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Friday, April 21st, 1922

If Kansas should elect a woman
governor the state will certainly have
a petticoat government, no doubt
about that.

The Germans are trying to find a
way to patch up the treaty incident,
but this is one time they are going
to find patching rather a tough job.
The allies are thoroughly disgusted
with the way Germany and Russia
have done about the treaty, and if
they get by this time with the res-
pect of nations involved it may be
said that they are going some, that's
all there is to it.

It is gratifying to note President
Harding is willing to give his support
to one good issue. Reclamation of
swamp land in the United States will
increase the resources of many sec-
tions, and the government will do
the right thing in providing sufficient
funds. Agriculture will increase by
leaps and bounds in many territories
when the great program of reclama-
tion gets under way. This has been
needed for years. But not until
right recently has it been realized.

Germany declines to settle debts
made during the war, but declination
will not occasion any worry among
allied nations. Germany should ap-
preciate what the allies did in de-
claring peace before soldiers had an
opportunity of destroying valuable
Germany property, but if they do so
they have a mighty poor way of
throwing it. The allied countries,
however still have the upper hand,
and whatever they say will come
mighty near going despite what Ger-
many and Russia are desirous of do-
ing.

Republicans failed in their attempt
to remove Miss Lillian Pearce from
office in Beaufort, and again Demo-
cratic principals receive public, rec-
ognition. Miss Pearce stood up for
what she thought was right. She
resisted efforts of the Republican
postmaster to remove her so members
of his party might be placed in office
and it was only fair and just. The
party has made many underhanded
attempts to disregard civil service re-
gulations, and it is gratifying to note
they met with absolute failure at
Beaufort, besides creating public dis-
approval.

Deportation of General Semeoff as
requested by the American Legion
will meet with popular approval in
all parts of the country. It cannot
be doubted that he is everything
claimed by those endeavoring to keep
America free of the undesirable
element of foreign countries, and find-
ing him guilty of charges launched
against him is only just. America
must protect herself from the intri-
gue of other nations, and this is the
only direct way by which it may be
done.

Greenville business men and prop-
erty owners sometime ago provided
funds for establishing a white way
system, but so far nothing in the
way of construction work has been
accomplished. The need of the sys-
tem is indubitable. Better lights are
needed by every growing town and
Greenville is no exception. It is to
be hoped those having installation
in charge will get busy immediately
and see what can be done towards
completing the work. We really
want the white way, and the
sooner it is established the better
everyone will like it.

That Ayden men have confidence
in the future of the county is evi-
denced by the many improvements
under way at the present time. Not
content with paving principal streets
of the town business men have gone
ahead and provided money for instal-
lation of a modern white way service.
This action is commendable in every
sense of the word, and should prove
a great inspiration to Greenville peo-
ple who have been much in doubt as
to the wisdom of establishing a white
way or making any other improve-
ments-while times are hard and money
tight. Ayden has indeed set a pace

others will find it hard to follow, and
its people are to be congratulated
upon this splendid spirit.

The proposal to close United States
ports to whiskey is one that should
have received attention of authori-
ties long ago. In fact, keeping down
the traffic as it should be will al-
ways be a hard matter so long as
ships are permitted to bring it here,
it matters not what is intended to be
done with it. The government should
not take the risk for the sake of
other countries, and the sooner some
definite action is taken the better the
situation will become in this country.
Now that the lid has been closed
down on the industry it should be
enforced completely. There's only one
way to prevent violation of the pro-
hibition laws, and that is to do away
with whiskey so far as this is pos-
sible. By closing our ports to ves-
sels with liquor cargoes the govern-
ment will be taking a long step in
this direction.

Pitt county farmers by this time
should realize the importance of
planting normal acreage of cotton
and tobacco this year, as the de-
mand for both crops is not what it
should be. The tobacco market is
glutted as it has probably never been
before, and another large crop on top
of this would be nothing more than
ruination. That Pitt county growers
are planning to produce normal acre-
age is evidenced by the number of

tobacco beds planted in many parts
of the county. When beds are fre-
quent as they are no one can doubt
that farmers are expecting produc-
tion comparing favorably to other
seasons. Large crops have been dis-
couraged by prominent members of
the industry many months, and un-
less their advice is heeded the season
is destined to be anything but what
expected. The situation where cot-
ton is concerned is similar. The
coming of the boll weevil is not to
be doubted, and if the crop is large
he will have greater opportunity of
increasing his ravages. If the farm-
er plants just enough so he can give
it his personal supervision then he
stands a fair chance of beating the
pest at his own game. The situation
is not favorable in any sense of the
word, and unless the farmer protects
himself the present period of de-
pression is nothing in comparison to
what the future holds forth.

Economy forces are starting their
attack on the nevy forces, desiring to
reduce expenses where reductions are
not necessary. The country would
get along so much better without re-
formers and economy experts. The
fact is the thing has been run to the
limit, and the public is tired out.

Ayden people did the right thing
in voting bonds for improvement of
their streets, as no town can expect
to enjoy the proper kind of progress
without such improvements. Ayden

has some of the most progressive
business men in the state, and im-
provements of the kind are the out-
growth of their effort to keep pace
with the progress of other places. Ay-
den is also to be commended for the
proposed white way, because it is
probably the only town in North
Carolina with such an improvement.
Ayden business men have the right
idea of what it takes to make a town,
and if they continue like they start-
ed the town will certainly double in
growth within the next ten years. Pitt
county people are proud of the spirit

in evidence in this thriving town and
are glad to claim it as a part of the
greatest county in Eastern North
Carolina.

NOTICE!

I, the undersigned receiver, ap-
pointed in the cause of Washington
Wholesale Company vs. Edwards &
Hyde Company, will offer for sale at
public auction at 12 o'clock noon, be-
fore the court house in the town of
Greenville, N. C., on the 7th day of
May, 1922, all of the book accounts
of the defendant company.
These accounts may be examined
by all prospective purchasers at the

office of the undersigned.
This the 7th day of April, 1922.
M. K. BLOUNT,
Receiver.

NOTICE OF SALE.

Under and by virtue of the author-
ity contained in a mortgage deed
made by J. L. Harris to W. J. Mc-
Lawn, dated December 20th, 1919
and recorded in book H-14, page 238,
register of deeds office, the under-
signed will sell to the highest bidder
for cash at the courthouse door in

the town of Greenville at noon, May
13, 1922, the following described
property:

Lot No. 8 of what is known as the
Jasper McLawn property as sur-
veyed and mapped by J. D. Cox, sur-
veyor, which map is recorded in map
book 2, at page 96 of the register of
deeds office of Pitt county.
This the 10th day of April, 1922.
W. J. McLAWHORN,
Mortgagee.
Corey & Worthington, Attys.
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ity that gives them lasting fit and
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Personal

Mrs. Richard Williams, Mrs. Annie Quinerly, Misses Louise Hubbard, Elizabeth Quinerly and Mr. A. P. Gilbert spent yesterday in Kinston.

Mr. A. W. Ange, of Winterville, spent the day in Greenville on business.

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In Memoriam.

Hon. D. W. Patrick is dead. It is learned with much pain and regret that Hon. D. W. Patrick of Greene county, so well and favorably known in Pitt and Greene county, and in the state of North Carolina, died in the early morning hours of April 20, 1922, at his farm home in Greene county. Mr. Patrick leaves a wife and two daughters, Mrs. Whit Hardee, of Greenville, and Mrs. Warren of Snow Hill.

In the death of Mr. Patrick, Greene county, Pitt county and the State of North Carolina sustain a real loss. He was a large and progressive farmer and connected with many industrial enterprises throughout the state. He was a man of means, and his means were always used for the uplift of humanity, and he was admired, respected and loved by all who knew him.

In politics he was a republican, consistently so throughout many years, and held numerous offices in his party organization, as a member of the State executive committee, repeatedly elected as a delegate to the Republican National Convention, as commissioner of census in this district in 1900, and as collector of customs at New Bern for eight years. He also held positions in the county of Greene, being clerk of the superior court for a number of years, and notwithstanding his politics, he could have retained this position as long as he desired, as he seemed to have the faculty of retaining demo-

HE'S CHAMPION "MIGGLE" SHOOTER.



John Wilson

Remembering the days of their youth, members of the Jersey City (N. J.) Rotarians staged a "miggie" shooting contest. It was won by John Wilson, a pupil in St. Bridget school. Having the title, he now is willing to meet all who think they know how to play marbles.

ocrats as his friends although he was a republican. He was perhaps better acquainted with the fiscal affairs of Greene county and the general condition of the people in Greene and that portion of Pitt county surrounding home than anyone else.

Mr. Patrick's death will be regretted by a large number of his acquaintances, friends and admirers, not only in Pitt and Greene county, but throughout the State of North Carolina. Mr. Patrick was a man of the highest integrity and character, and was always a friend to the poor and needy and an adviser generally of the people of his neighborhood, and his place will never be filled in the community where he was loved or the hearts of his friends.

A FRIEND.

DORAN MAKES SPLENDID SHOWING WITH RICHMOND

Greenville people will be interested in learning that Doran, former third baseman of the Greenville club, play-

JACKSON ADMITS BURNING BUILDING MANY YEARS AGO

(Continued from page one)

say what action would be taken in event he failed.

The case against Briley and Jackson were two of the most important to be taken up during this term of court, with exception of the second trial of Bonnie Andrews, young white man who was sentenced to die in the electric chair last December for alleged assault on Estelle Briley 12 year old girl of Stokes. This case will probably come up next week, but in the mean time, many unimportant issues will probably be disposed of.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND UNDER MORTGAGE.

By virtue of authority contained in that certain mortgage executed to me, the undersigned, by Richard Thigpen, dated the 22 day of October, 1919 and of record in the office of the register of deeds of Pitt county, N. C., in book C-13 at page 23, I shall offer for sale, at public auction at the court house door in Greenville, N. C., to the highest bidder for cash, on Monday the 22nd day of May, 1922, at 12 o'clock noon, the following des-

cribed parcel of land: Situate and being in the Town of Greenville, N. C.; and beginning at a stake on Long street, 65 feet from the corner of Long and Short streets; then south 31-20 east 60 feet with Short street to a stake; then south 53-40 west 65 feet to the corner of lot No. 18; then north 31-20 west 60 feet to a stake on Long street; then north 58-40 east to the beginning, same being the southern half of lot No. 19 and being the lot which was conveyed to Richard Thigpen by E. A. Moye. This April 18th, 1922. WM. F. NORCOTT, Mortgagee. F. C. Harding, Atty. The cost of keeping up appearances is hardly ever worth it. Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Lang, of Greenville, S. C., are visiting relatives in this city.

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ON AMBASSADOR'S STAFF



Miss M. Verna Nell, of Lowell, Mass., has been appointed to the staff of Ambassador Houghton the new representative of the United States in Germany. She has gone to Berlin to assume her duties.

SPECULATION RIFE OVER SENATORIAL CAMPAIGN IN U. S.

Fury of Political Races Keeping Capital Bookmakers Constantly Alert

By GEORGE R. HOLMES, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington.—Spring training is not confined alone to baseball. It exists also in that other great national pastime—politics.

The spring cro of senatorial recruits this year is especially promising. It is made all the more so because sprinkled here and there through the ranks of the aspirants are some battle-scarred veterans, attempting that most difficult of all tasks in baseball or in politics—a comeback.

By no stretch of imagination could William Jennings Bryan be termed a political "rookie." Yet he may be made a pronounced senatorial recruit by trying for the senate this year after having tried unsuccessfully three times to be president of the United States. The commoner wants to succeed Park Trammell of Florida. Senator Trammell doesn't want to be succeeded.

Political Bookmakers Busy. The political bookmakers of the capital—and they even outnumber the racing bookmakers—are engaged these languid spring days in some interesting speculation regarding the possible make-up of the next senate. From recent appearances it is going to be changed materially, and if even a third of the new blood gets in that is assiduously engaged in trying to get in it promises to be a livelier senate in the Sixty-eighth congress.

There are many Republicans, as well as Democrats, in Washington who would like to see William J. Bryan enter the United States Senate. They are the ones who mourn the passing of the "good old days" when the senate was composed of leaders and orators instead of retired lawyers and bored business men.

One prominent political personage described the Senate the other day as "an exclusive and wealthy club, where tired and retired lawyers and business men go when they get fed up with the hustle and bustle of making money."

Even the Republicans concede that W. J. B. would liven things up considerably. He would at least draw galleries, which is more than can be said for many Senators in these days, outside of Borah, of Idaho.

NOTICE.

North Carolina, Pitt County. William Johnnie Hyman vs. Blanche Hyman. In Superior Court. The defendant, Blanche Hyman, in the above entitled action, will take notice, that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of Pitt county to obtain a divorce from the bonds of matrimony. And the defendant will further take notice that she is required to appear before the clerk of the superior court of Pitt county at his office in Greenville, N. C., on the 24th day of April 1922 or within 20 days thereafter and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint. This the 18th day of March, 1922. J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk Superior Court. Julian Brown, Attorney for Plaintiff.

What does the Burley Co-operative association do for the big markets? We will take Maysville, Ky., the second largest loose leaf market in Kentucky. That market has been selling 18,000,000 to 30,000,000 each season, besides 10,000,000 to 20,000,000 additional was annually shipped to Maysville for re-drying and storage. The facilities in Maysville are the second largest on the state, there being six redryers, and the storage capacity for 40,000,000 to 50,000,000. The speakers for the Burley Organization said the Co-operative plan would increase business in Maysville, and business men of the city in Nov. 1921, declared a holiday, closed their stores and places of business and took to the country to tell the farmers what to do with their tobacco. What happened Maysville received approximately 10,000,000 on the floors 5,500,000 pooled and 4,500,000 non-pooled. The six redryers handled less than 6,000,000 and that much went into storage in Maysville. The 1921 Burley crop was the shortest since 1908, being approximately 180,000,000 produced in the entire Burley producing territory, about 100,000,000 pooled and 70,000,000 to 80,000,000 sold over the various markets. Under the conditions of the short crop, Maysville would probably have handled only 60 per cent of the usual amount of tobacco, had there been no pool. After summing up the entire situation, the business interests of the hustling city of Maysville lost at least \$300,000 in wages that would have been expended in the city. Such are the results of the business interests of a big tobacco center through Co-operation. Has the farmer been benefited? The 5,500,000 of tobacco delivered to the pool at Maysville, netted the grower an average advance of about \$8.25 per 100 pounds, and Mason county, Kentucky, produced what was recognized as one of the best crops in the Burley belt. How much more the grower is to get is problematical. He is promised more, of course, almost daily; about half of the crop is sold and delivered and the most of that remaining is low grade and green. The 4,500,000 pounds of non-pooled tobacco averaged about \$21.00, all of which went into the farmers' pockets, except the selling fees of the warehousemen. Every check for advances on pooled tobacco was drawn on Lexington, Ky., and no bank in Maysville had an account for the association, save petty cash accounts. These facts were obtained on a recent visit to Maysville; but it seems they apply about the same to every marketing center of consequence, and it is well for business men and bankers to think seriously over the situation before getting behind such a proposition.—The Southern Tobacco Journal.

NOTICE OF SALE OF LAND.

By virtue of power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed and delivered by Ed. Connor and wife Pennie Connor to Sarah Page on the 23rd day of November 1917, and recorded in book I-12, page 379 of the Pitt county registry, default in payment as in said mortgage provided having been made, I will on the 15th day of May, 1922 at 1 p. m. before the court house door in Greenville, N. C., exposed to public sale the following described tract of land: Lying and being in Pactolus Township Pitt county, N. C., and described as follows: Beginning at a corner in G. G. Ward's line and running from thence south 25 1-2, east 147 yards to a corner, thence north 43 west 260 yards to a pine corner tree in G. G. Ward's line thence with said Ward line to the beginning, containing 15 acres more or less. It being the same land which was conveyed to Ed Connor by Sarah Page and which deed is recorded in book J-13 page 110 of the Pitt county registry, and the same land which was conveyed to Sarah Page by Fred Leggett and which deed is recorded in book J-12 page 78 of the Pitt county registry.

Terms of sale cash. This the 10th day of April, 1922. SARAH PAGE, Mortgagee. Julius Brown, Atty. 10 1/2 w 4 w

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LABOR UNION OF JAPS ALARMS THE HAWAIIAN BOARD

New Move Made to Organize All Workers Into One Compact Body

By HARRY L. ROGERS, International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Washington, D. C.—American business men in Hawaii are becoming increasingly alarmed at the rapid growth of a new Japanese-controlled organization known as the United Workers of Hawaii, according to advices here from Honolulu.

This organization, which already boasts a membership of several thousand, seeks "to unite in one body all the wage earners of Hawaii without discrimination as to race, sex, craft or color." While the new union recognizes the American Federation of Labor it admits of no restraint upon its action with respect to Hawaiian matters and has carefully reserved complete autonomy with respect to strikes, election of officers and formulation of rules and regulations for its members.

American business interests, as well as the more conservative labor element, look upon the new organization as the embodiment of the "One Big Union" idea, which is branded by the former, as little better than Bolshevism.

Organization Called Radical

The United Workers of Hawaii is the outgrowth of the Central Labor Council of Honolulu, a radical, Japanese-controlled body which engineered the plantation strike of 1919-20, during which there was much violence and sabotage. Upon the payment of large bonuses to workmen the strike degenerated into a racial rather than an economic demonstration, and the movement finally came to an end without any of the demands having been complied with.

This organization, however, in connection with certain Japanese interests, financed a trip by several delegates to Washington for the purpose of urging the resident to disapprove the so-called Hawaiian Labor Relief measure, which would permit aliens to come into the islands during certain periods.

The United Workers of Hawaii, the successor of the old Central Labor Council, at present is headed by an American, George Wright, who was one of the delegates sent to Washington. Control of the organization, however, is to be centered in a committee on which will sit a Filipino, Japanese, an American, a Korean and, eventually, a Porto Rican. Under the method of representation, however, it is said that the Japanese delegate will have a controlling voice.

NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR PARDON.

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the Governor of North Carolina, on Monday, Apr. 24th, at 10:30 a. m., for the pardon of S. T. Hooker, so far as it relates to imprisonment in the county jail, imposed upon him by D. M. Clark, mayor of the Town of Greenville; and all persons opposing said pardon will take due notice. This April 12th, 1922. J. C. LANIER, Attorney for S. T. Hooker. 12 2 w 2w.

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Questioned about husbands as she arrived in America after an eight year absence, Lady Nancy Astor, first woman seated in Parliament, recommended her own Lord Astor and opined that they were pretty much the same everywhere. She thinks women here and in England have about the "same outlook"—in morality, politics and opportunity. Lady Astor returned to her native land to deliver a series of lectures.

To the Voters of Pitt County.

I have decided to withdraw from the race as county solicitor for the following reasons:

1. I am not withdrawing because of the fact that I feel that I would be defeated in the race. On the contrary, I feel confident that from the hearty indorsement that I have received from my friends that I would be nominated in the primary.

2. After due consideration I have decided that from the small salary that the office pays, that it would be a financial loss for me to accept the office at this time, as the office would as a legal necessity limit my criminal practice to that of a prosecutor, and that it would be to my best interest to devote my time to my general law practice.

In withdrawing, I desire to express to my many friends who have promised me their loyal support my heart-felt thanks for their kindness, and assure each of them that should the opportunity ever present itself when I can reciprocate that I shall be only too glad to do so.

Most cordially yours, April 21, 1922 W. A. DARDEN.

Withdrawal Notice.

Owing to a business deal which I have just closed I hereby withdraw my name as a candidate for sheriff of Pitt county. I wish to thank all my friends who have indicated their interest in my campaign for their best wishes and support.

BIGGS T. CANNON, Ayden, N. C.

LAND SALE.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a mortgage executed and delivered by David Spain and wife, Mary Spain to W. J. Dunn, on the 6th day of February, 1920, which mortgage was duly recorded in the office of the register of deeds of Pitt county in book Q-13, page 75, the undersigned will sell, at public auction, for cash, at the courthouse in Greenville, on

MONDAY, MAY 15th, 1922.

The following described tract or parcel of land: Situate in the county of Pitt and in Belvoir township, bounded on the North by the lands of Alexander Hardy, on the East by the Joel Gardner tract of land, known as the Brady farm; on the south by the Gorham place, and on the west by the lands formerly owned by A. J. Otterbridge. Containing one hundred (100) acres, more or less, and being the place where the said David Spain and wife now reside.

Said land is sold to satisfy said mortgage. This the 15th day of April, 1922. W. J. DUNN, Mortgagee. F. G. James & Son, Attys. 17 1/2 w 4 w

"And There Wasn't the Slightest Smell from Dead Rats"

Writes John Simpkins farmer, of Annadale, N. J.: "Rats were costing me hundreds yearly; tried dogs, ferrets, poison, could not get rid of them. Bought \$1.25 pkg. of RAT-SNAP (5 cakes). Used half, not a live rat since. Dead ones a plenty. I like RAT-SNAP because after killing rats it dies them up—leaves no smell." Three sizes, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Sold and guaranteed by Warren Drug Store and the Blount-Harvey Company, of Greenville and J. R. Bunting & Sons of Bethel.—adv.

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For Commissioner. I wish to announce myself a candidate for county commissioner subject to the Democratic primary in June.

C. F. LITTLE, Winterville Township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary to be held on June 3rd.

DR. W. W. DAWSON, Gritton, N. C.

To the voters of Pitt County: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the county court, of Pitt county, subject to the democratic primary.

This March 20th, 1922. S. O. WORTHINGTON.

FOR CONSTABLE. Ladies and gentlemen, the Democratic voters of Pitt county, subject to the Democratic primary, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of constable of Greenville township.

19 1 mo. THAD J. WILLIAMS

SOLICITOR OF 5th DISTRICT I hereby announce myself a candidate for Solicitor of the 5th Judicial District, subject to the approval of the Democratic Primary.

D. M. CLARK. 20th, mon wed fri, ex 6-1-22

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER I hereby announce my candidacy for County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary to be held on June 3rd.

H. C. YENTERS, 17th 1wk Chicod Township.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF. I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Pitt county subject to the action of the Democratic primary.

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POLITICAL ADVERTISING

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF I hereby announce myself a Democratic candidate for sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the approval of the Democratic primary. Greenville, N. C., Feb. 6th, 1922 ex-May 3 AMOS C JACKSON.

the action of the Democratic primary. This March 27th, 1922. 3 27 1 mo R. L. JONES.

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF. I hereby announce myself a Democratic candidate for sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the approval of the Democratic primary. Greenville, N. C., March 1st, 1922. 1st 1/2. R. HYMAN.

To the Democratic Voters of Pitt County

Believing that I am qualified to fulfill the duties of the office to the satisfaction of the good people of Pitt County, I hereby announce my candidacy for the office of Sheriff of Pitt County, subject to the approval of the voters in the primary to be held on June 3rd, 1922. 11th ex-May 4th W. T. ALLEN

FOR COUNTY SOLICITOR. To the voters of Pitt county: I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Solicitor of the county court, of Pitt county, subject to the democratic primary. This March 16th, 1922. J. C. LANIER.

J. J. SATTERTHWAITE Candidate for Representative Subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. April 11, 1922. 4 11 1m

FOR CONSTABLE I hereby announce myself a candidate for Constable of Greenville township subject to approval of the Democratic party. 15-21 ELLIOTT SMITH

J. J. LAUGHINGHOUSE Candidate for State Senator

Ladies and Gentlemen, the Democratic Voters of Pitt County Subject to the Democratic Primary I hereby announce myself as candidate for the office of sheriff of Pitt county. This March 13th, 1922. 5 13 R. E. CORBETT.

For Commissioner. I hereby announce my candidacy for re-election as county commissioner subject to the Democratic primary. J. B. HARDY, Chicod Township.

Ladies and Gentlemen, the Democratic Voters of Pitt County. I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the approval of the Democratic primary. Beaver Dam Township, March 28, 1922. HENRY C. KINSAUL. 28 ex. Apr 24 pd

COUNTY COMMISSIONER I hereby announce my candidacy for County Commissioner, subject to the approval of the Democratic primary. L. A. STOCKS, Chicod Township

CANDIDATE FOR SHERIFF I hereby announce myself a candidate for sheriff of Pitt county, subject to the approval of the Democratic primary. S. M. JONES, Bethel, N. C.

To the Democratic Voters of Pitt County. I hereby announce myself as a candidate to represent Pitt county in the State Senate convening in January, 1923, subject to the Primary. This March 6th, 1922. S. J. EVERETT.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER I hereby announce my candidacy for County Commissioner, subject to the Democratic primary to be held on June 3rd. H. C. YENTERS, 17th 1wk Chicod Township.

TO THE MEN AND WOMEN VOTERS OF PITT COUNTY I hereby announce my candidacy for county commissioner from the north side of Tar river, subject to the action of the democratic primary. W. J. SMITH, Bethel, N. C.

CANDIDATE FOR REPRESENTATIVE. I hereby announce myself a candidate for Representative in the General Assembly of North Carolina, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary. This the 10th day of March, 1922.

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REGULAR CHURCH ATTENDANCE MEANS BETTER LIVING

Sunday In The Greenville Churches

Memorial Baptist Church.
Rev. Leland W. Smith, pastor.
Sunday school 9:45 A. M. H. L. Smith, Supt.
Classes for all ages. Visitors welcome.
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by the pastor.

Topics: "Fishing on the Wrong Side of the Boat." and "Bible Salvation."
Good music at both services.
Visitors and strangers cordially invited to worship with this church.
Sunday school 3 p. m. at Allen's school house, R. T. Burnette, Supt.
B. Y. P. U. Sr., 7 p. m. Richard Gorman, President.
B. Y. P. U. Jr., 7 p. m. Miss Dovie Burnette, president, Mrs. C. S. Graves, leader.

Free Will Baptist Church
The Home-like Church
N. D. Wiggs, Pastor
Sunday School at 9:45 a. m. R. V. Fleming, Supt. A class for all ages.
Preaching 11 a. m. Subject: "Gospel Growth." Get the Message.
Prayer service Wednesday 8 p. m.
Christian Endeavor Thursday 8 p. m.
Little Workers League Sunday 3 p. m.
Evening sermon 8 p. m. Subject: "Christ Purifying the Temple."
You are especially invited to all these services. —John ;16

Immanuel Baptist Church
Thos. H. Plemmons, Pastor
Sunday School 9:45 a. m., Prof. L. R. Meadows, Supt.
Preaching at 11 a. m. Subject: "Numbers Don't Always Count."
B. Y. P. U. 7:15 p. m.
Preaching 8 p. m. Subject "How to be Good."
Prayer Meeting Wednesday at 7:30 p. m.
Choir practice Friday at 8 p. m.
Immanuel Baptist Church is a of Jarvis Memorial Methodist church "Homelike Church." Where the lone-

ly forget their loneliness the burdened forsake their sorrows, and the distressed banish their cares in the cordial fellowship of sympathetic Christians and in the worship and service of God. We crave the opportunity to serve all who need help.

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Sam K. Phillips, Pastor
9:45 a. m. Sunday School. Every class 100 per cent.
11:00 a. m. Morning worship, Sermon by the pastor. Special Music.
7:00 p. m. Christian Endeavor. Expert in charge.
8:00 p. m. Evening worship. Sermon by the pastor.
COUNTY PROGRAM
10:00 a. m. Sunday School at Hollywood. For this Sunday only.
3:00 p. m. Sunday School at Masons.
3:00 p. m. Sunday School at Polard's. Mr. Phillips will preach.

Christian Church
Eighth Street Church of Christ
"The New Testament Church"
William Preston Shanhart, Pastor
9:45 a. m. Bible School. W. E. Hooker, Supt.
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship and sermon by Evangelist Ben M. Edwards.
6:00 p. m. Young Peoples Happy Hour, for all young people.
8:00 p. m. Evening sermon by Evangelist Edwards.
This will be the closing service of the series of evangelistic meetings. This should be a great day from the Bible School hour until the close of the evening services.
Monday night will be a reception for all new members and friends of the church.

THE BARACA CLASS
The pastor will preach as usual at the evening hour — 8 o'clock.

Sunday morning at 9:45. The largest Baraca Class in Greenville. More than 120 members. Mr. Robert H. Wright, J. H. Waldrop, President.

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Rev. C. H. Bascom Rector
First Sunday after Easter.
Holy Communion 7:30 a. m.
Church School and Bible Class at 9:45 a. m.
Morning Prayer and sermon 11 a. m.
Evening Prayer and sermon 8 p. m.
All welcome to our services.

Jarvis Memorial Methodist Church
Sunday School at 9:45. J. H. Rose, Supt.
Special service for old people at 11 a. m. There will be the singing of hymns dear to the heart of old people. Miss Joyner will sing a beautiful solo. The sermon will be comforting and reassuring. All elderly people are most cordially invited, and if such have no means of conveyance will notify the pastor, his assistant, Miss Wilson, or any steward in the church a car will be sent for them and after the service they will be returned home.

At 4 p. m., a special memorial service for brother George Edward Harris will be held. The friends of brother Harris of all churches and those who are not members of any church, are most cordially invited to avail themselves of this opportunity of doing honor to his memory. A memorial will be read, a brief address by the pastor will follow, and then the meeting will be thrown open to give opportunity to any of his friends who may desire to do so to pay a tribute to his memory. The service will close with an opportunity being given to unite with the church.

The pastor will preach as usual at the evening hour — 8 o'clock.

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How would you like to be name? That is my condition. \$10.00 in gold if you will name me, if the judges like your selection.

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Wanted—A suitable name for the new filling station. Put on your thinking cap and give it a name.

IF YOU WANT EGGS IN WINTER raise Anconas, Sheppard strain especially. Eggs for hatching both combs. F. L. Hudson, R. 1, Greenville, N. C. t-f 4wks

There are arriving daily. What? names for the new filling station. Is yours among the number.

LETTUCE 10c A HEAD. MAT- thews Grocery Co. Phone 75.

WANTED—8 YOUNG GIRLS TO wrap Romeo Pies, in our factory. 20c hour. Apply to J. G. Lautars. 21

Come in, the water is fine! Numbers are in, are you. Name the new filling station and stand a chance of winning \$10.00 in gold.

LAST—FROM MY HOME ON Thursday night a small bay horse. Reward is offered for its return. Ed. Thompson, Clark St., Greenville, N. C. 15 1w

Where is the new filling station? At the intersection of the two new roads leading to Farmville and Ayden. What is its name? We don't know, but we do know that it must have a name. You name it and if the judges so decree, you will be given \$10.00 in gold.

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EGGS FOR HATCHING PURPOSES single comb Imperial Barred Rocks, Thompson Strain, single comb Rhode Island Reds, Tompkins strain, White Plymouth Rocks, all prize winners, eggs from Pen No. 1, \$3.00 per 15 delivered. Eggs from pen No. 2, \$2.00 15 delivered. Single comb, white and brown Leghorns, Ferris and Neubert strains \$1.25 per 15 delivered. Address Greenville Poultry Yards, Box 148, Greenville, N. C. 18 1w

\$10.00 in gold. Who said \$10.00 in gold? We did, and we intend to.

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ROE SHAD 25, BUCK SHAD 20c pound. Fresh every day. Greenville Market Co. 17 1w

We pay you to think \$10,000 in gold will be given to the person who can think of a suitable name for the new filling station.

WANTED—TO RENT FURNISHED room in private home. Apply at this office. 20 1tp

Have you sent your name in for the new filling station? Don't fail to do so, you stand a chance to win \$10.00.

FOR PLUMBING AND HEATING. Call S. T. Hicks. Phones 230 residence; 60 office. 15 2w

NORFOLK SOUTHERN RAILROAD announces Reduced Round Trip Fares account

Annual Convention, United States Good Roads Association, Phoenix, Ariz. April 24th—29th, 1922 Tickets on sale April 20th—20th. Final Limit May 5th. J. F. Dalton General Passenger Agt.

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DAILY Leave 8:40 AM—Raleigh and intermediate points. 4:15 PM—Raleigh, intermediate points and beyond. 1:50 AM—Norfolk and intermediate points, sleeping car. 3:27 AM—Raleigh and intermediate points. 9:18 AM—Norfolk and intermediate points. Parlor car from Marden to Norfolk. 6:25 PM—Belhaven and intermediate points via Pinetown. J. L. HASSSELL, Agent

Spirits Reveal Triangle in Mid-West Divorce Case.



Dr. Florence Fowler, Mrs. E. H. Kuttner (Below)

Dr. Florence Fowler has been accused of maintaining a love nest for the husband of Mrs. Emanuel H. Kuttner, of Lombard, Ill., winning him away after sixteen years of married life. Dr. Fowler scoffs at her accuser, maintaining that Mrs. Kuttner first got the idea during one of her "spiritualistic seances."

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Name me! Name me! I must have a name. Please name me and if the judges like your name, the owners will give you \$10.00 in gold. The New Filling Station.

SENIOR PLAY REHEARSAL PROVES GREAT SUCCESS

The dress rehearsal of the Senior play, "The Merchant Gentleman," to be given at East Carolina Teachers College this evening at 8:30, was a great success. The students of the college watched the performance last night. The girls that have been in the school for several years say it is the funniest play ever put on by the school. It kept the audience in a roar. The play is only two hours long, and the curtain goes down only once so there are no waits between scenes.

There will be music both before the curtain goes up and between the two parts of the play. There will be an orchestra and Misses Mead Bartolet and Fahnestock will play. There is singing scattered along through the play and the folk dances add greatly to the effects and enjoyment. The play while full of fun and life is not coarse; and it is not heavy at all, but light and easy to follow.

Those who have failed to get their tickets ahead need not fear that they will not be able to get seats tonight if the seats open to the public are

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members of the faculty and the students cheerfully give up their seats. The college has always taken care of all who come to the entertainments there.

The members of the cast this year speak very clearly and distinctly so that they can be heard in any part of the house.

SOUTHERN INTERESTS RALLY BEHIND SHIP SUBSIDY BILL TODAY

Washington, April 21.—The Southern Commercial interests rallied to the support of the Parting-Lasker ship subsidy bill before a joint congressional committee. Matthews Hale, president of the South Atlantic States association, credited development of the South Atlantic ports activities to the shipping board. They declared the bill would maintain the American Merchant Marine which will continue development of southern ports.

FOUR DEEDS OF TRANSFER FILED SINCE YESTERDAY

The following deeds of transfer and young people, which made it all the more interesting. The game was

registered of deeds for registration since reports of yesterday afternoon:

S. S. Smith to Minnie Locust, consideration \$220; N. L. Steadman, et al., to Tyndall, Boyd, Stroud & Company, consideration \$1000; A. W. Ange, et al., to S. S. Smith, consideration \$166; Albion Dunn, trustee, to Sam Harden, et al., consideration \$440.

GRIFTON ITEMS

Grifton, N. C., Apr. 21.—A big barbecue dinner was given at Quinley High School following the closing today. A large crowd attended.

The Grifton Grammar School closed today. The High School will continue for one month longer.

Much progress was made in cleaning up Grifton during Clean-up Week which ended yesterday, but due to an unfavorable weather, there is still some to be done and the Grifton people are working faithfully toward this end.

On last Monday afternoon quite a bit of enthusiasm was shown over a game of ball between the High School boys and the people in town. The town team consisted of both old and young people, which made it all the more interesting. The game was

called at an early stage on account of rain, with the score at tie of 1 to 1.

There will be a ball game this afternoon between the fat and lean men of Grifton. This has been tried in other places, and proved a success so the game this afternoon is expected to be one.

Messrs. J. R. Harvey, Vance Hall, Jack Chapman and G. T. Gardner attended the Shrine Club meeting in Kinston last Monday night to make arrangements for the big Shrine ceremony of Sudan Temple to be held in Kinston, May 18th.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Patrick will build a new home in the hilly section of our town.

FLOOD CONDITIONS SERIOUS ALONG THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER

Memphis, April 21.—Flood conditions along the Mississippi river, particularly on the Arkansas side, are increasingly serious, and indications are that the river will reach the highest mark in history. A special freight train en route from Schneectady, New York with a million sandbags from the lower Mississippi valley. The greatest danger is at

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"COLLEGE VIEW." Next to Mayor Clark's New Home. 50ft. x 110ft. \$1500. (\$500 Cash. Balance Easy).

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Greenville, according to engineers, hundreds of men are at work strengthening the levees. Congress has appropriated a million dollars to help strengthen the levees.

ADVERTISE IN REFLECTOR

GREAT QUANTITY OF WHISKEY FOUND ON SHIP

New Orleans, April 21.—Three hundred and eighty quarts of whiskey, valued at thirty five hundred dollars, was found in quarters of the crew/steamer Cabadello when she arrived at Rio de Janeiro, according to customs officers, despite declaration of the captain that the vessel had been searched and no liquor found.

NOTICE

North Carolina, Pitt County. William Reeves vs. William Ann Reeves.

The defendant, William Ann Reeves, will take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced in the Superior court of Pitt county, to obtain an absolute divorce from the bonds of matrimony. And the said defendant will further take notice that she is requested to appear at the office of the clerk of the superior court of Pitt county, in Greenville, N. C., on the 15th day of May 1922, or within 20 days thereafter and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in the complaint.

This the 8th day of April, 1922. J. F. HARRINGTON, Clerk of the Superior Court. By E. F. TUCKER, D. C. Julius Brown Attorney for Plaintiff. 12 1tw4wp

A Business Statement that is a Great Human Record

HOW WAS IT DONE?

Records kept by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company show an extraordinary decrease in the death rate among its Industrial, or weekly premium, policy-holders. Comparing 1921 with 1911, for example, there were 55,000 less deaths in 1921 than there would have been if the 1911 death rate had prevailed.

What brought about the great saving of life?

The general public health movement—progress in medical science and sanitation—other causes, perhaps. But a very great factor has been the tremendous health campaign carried on by the Metropolitan itself. This page tells a part of the story.

HELPING 19,000,000 PEOPLE

About 19,000,000 people are insured in the Metropolitan—over 16,000,000 under weekly premium policies. The weekly calls of Agents at the policy-holders' homes provide a wonderful opportunity for health and welfare work.

The Company has accepted the opportunity and to-day is at the forefront of public health work in America.

14,000,000 VISITS BY TRAINED NURSES.

Free nursing service is given to Industrial policy-holders in 2,000 cities and towns. Trained nurses not only heal the sick but teach right living. About 14,000,000 visits have been made—2,116,875 in 1921 alone. Numerous letters tell of lives saved.

DISCOVERING DISEASE IN TIME

Free medical examinations of closing incipient disease in time to cure it, are granted to Ordinary (annual premium) policy-holders, subject to reasonable conditions.

HELPING THE EMPLOYER TO HELP

Employers insuring their employees under Group policies are advised regarding health conditions and accident prevention, while the employees receive the benefits of nursing service and welfare literature.

238,000,000 PIECES OF LITERATURE

Attractive booklets and pamphlets in great variety, dealing with the important phases of health and disease, and prepared by leading experts, are distributed broadcast. So far 238,000,000 copies have been distributed—25,000,000 in 1921.

In addition, 18,000,000 copies of "The Metropolitan," a health magazine, are issued annually.

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Business Statement, December 31, 1921

Assets	\$1,115,583,024.54
Increase in Assets during 1921	\$134,669,937.37
Liabilities	\$1,063,341,845.04
Surplus	\$47,241,179.50
Income in 1921	\$301,922,699.39
Gain in 1921	\$38,462,919.41
Total Insurance placed and paid for in 1921	\$1,564,789,607
Gain in Insurance in Force in 1921	\$625,695,328
Total Amount of Outstanding Insurance	\$7,005,707,839
Ordinary, (that is, exclusive of Industrial) Insurance in Force	\$3,892,267,274
Number of Policies in Force December 31, 1921	25,542,422

Number of Policy Claims paid in 1921 323,531
Averaging one claim paid for every 27 seconds of each business day of 8 hours
Amount paid to Policy-holders in 1921 \$91,348,472.98
Payments to policy-holders averaged \$630.16 a minute of each business day of 8 hours
Dividends to Policy-holders payable in 1922, nearly \$16,000,000
Amount paid Policy-holders and Beneficiaries since Organization, plus Amount now Invested for their Security \$2,047,692,135.07

GROWTH IN TEN-YEAR PERIODS

YEAR	Income for Year	Assets at End of Year	Surplus at End of Year	Number of Policies in Force at End of Year	Outstanding Insurance at End of Year	YEAR
Dec. 31, 1891	\$11,423,496.68	1891 \$15,626,948.21	1891 \$3,068,833.18	1891 2,201,640	1891 \$258,707,763	1891
Dec. 31, 1901	38,017,163.59	1901 74,771,738.56	1901 9,938,694.23	1901 6,234,302	1901 1,076,977,204	1901
Dec. 31, 1911	98,135,273.71	1911 322,785,890.36	1911 32,939,469.87	1911 12,007,138	1911 2,399,878,067	1911
Dec. 31, 1921	301,982,699.39	1921 1,115,583,024.54	1921 47,241,179.50	1921 25,542,422	1921 7,005,707,839	1921

The Company issues policies from a Hundred to a Million Dollars of Insurance. In fact, its Ordinary is now larger than its Industrial. The Company also issues Health and Accident Policies—minimum \$5,000.

GREATEST

IN ASSETS IN BUSINESS PLACED IN ORDINARY BUSINESS IN FORCE IN INCOME IN BUSINESS GAINED IN REDUCTION of MORTALITY IN GAIN of EACH IN BUSINESS in FORCE IN HEALTH and WELFARE WORK

"The Company OF the People, BY the People, FOR the People."—John R. Hegeman

FOR THE NATION'S HEALTH

144 health exhibits and emergency hospitals at county fairs last year; 295 "Clean-up" campaigns; agitation by Agents for health legislation; nationwide campaigns against special diseases; sickness and sanitary surveys; a study of municipal health departments; leadership of practically all American research work relating to influenza—these are some instances of the Metropolitan's activity in the interest of public health.

HOUSES FOR 17,744 FAMILIES

In the investment of its funds, the Metropolitan is now giving preference to loans which will aid housing. During 1920 and 1921, the Company made and pledged loans of \$68,080,017, on new dwellings and new apartment houses, providing homes for 17,744 families.

GREAT DECLINE IN DEATH RATES

The death rate among Industrial policy-holders reached its lowest point in 1921—31.9% lower than in 1911. The rate from typhoid decreased 71%; tuberculosis, 49%; Bright's disease, nearly 30%; infectious diseases of children nearly 37%. The "Expectation of Life" of white males (reckoned from age 10) increased 4 years.

PUBLIC APPRECIATION

The American people have made the Metropolitan the greatest life insurance company in the world, with \$7,005,707,839 insurance in force.

It leads not only in Industrial but in Ordinary. More than half of its business in force is Ordinary—\$3,892,267,274—which is more than any company in the world.

THE FUTURE

The Metropolitan will continue its endeavor to offer the best there is in life, health and accident insurance, and to save human life. Continued growth will give the Company still greater opportunities to serve the American people in insurance protection and in the conservation of life and health.