

The Weather

Fair and somewhat colder to night and Tuesday, moderate to fresh west shifting to northwest and north winds.

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CONDUCTORS AND OTHERS DEMAND INCREASED PAY

Eastern Railroads Given Until March 2 to Make Their Decision

New York, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Eastern railroads today received demands for increased pay from trainmen and conductors and were given until March 2 to make their answer. The increases demanded amount to about \$1 a day.

Five Men Demand Be Allowed Search the Jail for Tritt

Brevard, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Five men appeared at the Transylvania County jail yesterday morning and demanded to be allowed to search the cells for Lawrence Tritt, convicted late Saturday of second degree murder in connection with the slaying of William Norris, and sentenced to 30 years in the state penitentiary at Raleigh. The prisoner had been removed from the jail a few hours earlier and carried to Raleigh. So great was the dissatisfaction with the result among crowds at Brevard Saturday night that Sheriff Sifton and two deputies guarded the jail all night.

Time May Come When Kids Obey; Parents Blamed

By MARGERY REX. I. N. S. Staff Correspondent. New York, Feb. 1.—(I. N. S.)—"The man who came back" must be Father. And Mother must come back with him. Parents must stage a complete comeback and once more convince their children that the judgment of one's elders is to be relied upon, and that the idea of obedience is worth taking seriously.

Less Forest Fires Since Coal Strike

Hazleton, Pa., Feb. 1.—(I. N. S.)—There is one redeeming feature of the hard coal strike and that is that forest fires have been reduced in the Pennsylvania anthracite region, according to the annual report of J. M. Sloan, of this city, secretary-treasurer of the Anthracite Forest Protective Association, with headquarters here.

M'Lean Attempts Promote Migration

Raleigh, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Governor M'Lean has been trying for some time to start an organized movement to promote the migration of farmers from the drought-stricken sections of the northwest to North Carolina to engage in trucking and dairying, he said today. There are possibilities of large groups of farmers coming to the state soon, it was said.

When Liner Roosevelt Rescued 25 Sailors



HEROIC RESCUE IN MID ATLANTIC Artist's conception, based on radio reports of the heroic rescue of twenty-five sailors from the foundered British freighter Antiope in mid-Atlantic by the U.S. liner President Roosevelt. The Roosevelt lost two men and five life-boats in the rescue, but the entire Antiope crew was saved.

Educational Meets Be Held This Week

The following letter from R. J. Hicks, District Supervisor of the North Carolina Cotton Growers Co-operative Association, was written to the group leaders in Pitt county advising them of the dates of the educational meetings which will be held in the consolidated schools of Pitt county this week. The meetings were scheduled for last week, but were postponed until this week.

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Nunn Takes Oath of Office Today

New Bern, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Romulus A. Nunn took the oath of office here today as Judge of Superior court succeeding Judge Albion Dunn, of Greenville. Judge Nunn immediately convened the February term of Craven county civil court.

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Splendid Program Given at Reedy Branch Yesterday

One of the most enjoyable and inspiring meetings that has ever taken place in this section, was held yesterday at Reedy Branch church, when the regular quarterly Vocal Union rendered a program that well repaid those who attended.

Gandhi Criticized Abusing Father

Bombay, Feb. 1.—(I. N. S.)—Mahatma Gandhi, by an attack on the character of his father Karamchand Gandhi, has aroused the resentment of orthodox Hindus. In his autobiography just published, Gandhi accuses his father of being given to carnal pleasures. This has caused thousands of protests, written and verbal, all charging the great leader with unflattering conduct and needless slander of the dead.

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RELIGIOUS CENSUS TO BE CONDUCTED SUNDAY, MARCH 4

All Denominations to Take Part in Census; Great Interest Manifested On Sunday, March 14th, all the denominations of Greenville will conduct a religious census of the city. This census is being conducted for the purpose of ascertaining the number of people in Greenville who are not attending church, the number of church members and the number of non-church members.

DAWSON RESIGNS CHAIRMAN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS

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(Copyright, 1925) Edsel Ford's Air Signs. The Good of the Service. Poor Old Sam, He's In. Non-Voting Stock. ARTHUR BRISBANE

In a few years thousands of young men will take up flying as a profession, and, beginning immediately, there will be in the United States thousands of sign boards telling fliers where they are, and what the town is.

At the request of Edsel B. Ford, head of the Ford Automobile Factories, Ford agents all over the country will paint on the roofs of their garage information for fliers.

New York draws up "air rules," somewhat in advance of the need. Troopers, on the ground, of course, are to see that aviators keep to the right and stay sober. Let any pilot turn to the left, up in the air, and the commissioner of motor vehicles, now made into "commissioner of aircraft," will revoke the pilot's license to use New York State air.

The road of clouds is rather wide, but perhaps it isn't too soon to begin making rules. "Stunt" flying over cities, towns and crowds is forbidden. That is sensible.

Spain makes a public holiday of October 7, birthday of Cervantes. They honor the great writer who has made the world laugh and think, and made ancient "chivalry" ridiculous.

Late news indicates that the coal mine owners will win the strike. The mine owners can tell the public to go without hard coal and use substitutes.

Dean Gauss of Princeton University says, "Prohibition fills the jails," and "Long distance drinking" drinking done far from the campus, threatens college life. The Reverend, able and distinguished Dr. Vandryke confirms the sad story.

It is assumed that Colonel Mitchell's resignation from the army will be accepted, "for the good of the service." There will be solemn truth in that, although the "283 chairs" may not realize it.

When Mitchell gets out of the army he will do some useful, plain talking that will wake up the United States' sleepy defense department and compel it to interest itself in flying machines and in men that fly.

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TAX REDUCTION BILL IN POSITION FOR SHOWDOWN

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Chairman Smoot, of the Finance Committee in charge of the bill, is confident the compromise reached between Republican and Democratic members of the committee which favored the repeal of these two provisions would be approved by the Senate. In planning a final vote by Saturday night, Senator Smoot declared he would demand night sessions next week if this program failed so as to assure early passage of the measure to permit tax reductions by March 1, when the first income tax installments are due.

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RECOMMENDS AN INVESTIGATION OF MELLON COMPANY

Washington, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Senate investigation of the Aluminum Company of America in which Secretary Mellon is a large stockholder was recommended in a report submitted today to the Judicial Committee by Senator Walsh, Democrat, Montana. This proposal is made, the Senator says, because of "doubt aroused at the vigor and good faith of the Department of Justice" in the conduct of its inquiry to establish whether the Aluminum Company of America has violated the Federal Court Consent Decree entered against it in 1912.

Beside recommending what would be the third government investigation of the Mellon company in four years, Senator Walsh asked that the Senate direct the Federal Trade Commission to turn over to it all of the evidence furnished by the Aluminum company and which the commission withheld on the grounds that it was "confidential."

Growing Efficiency Saves \$500,000,000

Washington, Feb. 1.—(I. N. S.)—Five hundred million dollars a year is being added to the wealth of the American people with no extra expense, but simply by the increased efficiency of business and industry in this country, according to the statistics for the year.

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Thrift is worth a lot of money, yet doesn't cost a cent.

A hick town is where they look twice at a girl in knickers.

What a man does isn't half so important as why he does it.

The slogan of all blocs is the quaint American phrase: "Gimme."

When you don't know what you are making you are making a mistake.

The best way to make a man do what he doesn't want to do is to make him want to do it.

Uncle Sam feeds soldiers at 10 cents a meal, but the purchasing department isn't called a bureau.

The greatest argument for religion is the expression on the faces of those who say they have none.

Husbands are more to be desired than pensions. Such evidently is the view of the 95,500 British war widows who have surrendered pensions by remarrying.

Bills pending before the state legislatures would create 150 additional holidays. If this thing doesn't stop, a man may yet be compelled to do his banking at the corner drug store.

MAKING EDUCATION EASY

The days of the birch-rod system of punishment for whispering seem to have passed away. The old theory that a child could exercise his brain by struggling through the intricacies of Latin and Greek grammar, thereby making his mind more useful in practical ways, is being supplanted by a pleasanter one. The new idea disclaims any virtue in sitting in a stiff seat without communication; it also disclaims the value of doing hard tasks that will not make themselves be useful.

The results of such changes have yet to be demonstrated, for the value of training is not apparent until an individual's life has been spent and his contribution to human welfare made. The fact remains, however, that in education lies the hope of a country's future. Experiments, when they are made, must be carried on with a deep sense of the

vital material with which they deal and the far-reaching effects which they may be the means of bringing about.

A GLOOMY PROGNOSTICATOR

The almanac crop for 1926, now at the height of its harvest season, equals in supply of previous years and probably will not lack the usual demand. There are editions in many countries and as many languages, and wherever they find readers they find some believers.

American almanacs devote their pages principally to advertisements of patent remedies, weather forecasting, interpretation of the signs of the zodiac for the guidance of back-yard gardeners, and collection of allegedly interesting facts and figures.

An oddity among almanacs is Old Moore's Almanac in London. Its purpose in the world is to forecast storm and strife. Some place on this globe it can find a disaster, war or storm for each day of the year, because of which it is popularly known as Old Moore's collection of horrors. No doubt the philosophy of its publishers is that an almanac's duty is to forewarn humanity that it may be forewarned.

Prophets, soothsayers and astrologers are not alone qualified to predict political disturbances in Mexico and Europe during 1926, as does Old Moore's Almanac, and this prognosticator of doom is on just as safe ground when it foretells of railroad accidents, sudden deaths, wars, fires, explosions and drownings. Instead of being predictions, these things are illustrations of the inevitable.

Some of Old Moore's prophecies will no doubt "come true" through the good graces of the law of choice and chance. The almanac of nation-wide distribution, which make one weather forecast for the entire United States, can always find some section of this broad domain in which the forecasted weather conditions are actually experienced.

APPLICATION FOR PARDON OF DAVID NOBLES

Application will be made to the Commissioner of Pardons and the Governor of North Carolina for the pardon of David Nobles, convicted at the May, 1925 Term of Superior Court of Pitt County, for the crime of larceny, and sentenced to Pitt County Roads for a term of 18 months.

All persons who oppose the granting of the said pardon are invited to forward their protest to the Commissioner of Pardons without delay.

This the 30th day of Jan., 1926
J. C. Lanier, Atty.
1st-11w-12wk.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of J. J. Evans, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate of said deceased, to exhibit them to the undersigned at Greenville, N. C., on or before the 30th day of January, 1927, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This January 30th, 1926.
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of J. J. Evans, Deceased
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18 Superior Courts Session This Week

Raleigh, Feb. 1.—(AP)—Due to an exchange made some weeks ago by Judges W. A. Devin and Albion Dunn, Judge Romulus A. Nunn, of New Bern, who was named by Governor McLean Friday to succeed Judge Dunn, will hold his first court, opening today in Craven county. Except for the exchange, Judge Nunn would have opened court today in Granville.

The exchange noted is one of six which will be in effect this week in North Carolina Superior courts, sixteen of which opened this morning. Judge H. A. Grady and Judge W. M. Bond are in exchange; so also, are Judges T. H. Calvert and M. V. Barnhill, of Raleigh and Rocky Mount respectively; also Judge W. F. Harding and Judge D. A. McElroy. Judge Michael Schenck and Judge A. M. Stack; and Judges J. L. Webb and H. P. Lane, are the other four judges in exchange.

Judge Nunn's first term in Craven county, will continue for two weeks. It is for the trial of civil cases.

Judge Calvert will preside in Wake, over the one-week criminal term, while Judge Barnhill goes to Wilson. In the latter county, the court is for two weeks, the first to be devoted to the criminal docket, the second to the civil.

The term in Granville, where Judge Devin will preside, is for two weeks. It will be a mixed term.

Judge Lane goes to Surry to hold a one-week mixed term, while the Catawba term, which is for two weeks, a mixed term, will be held by Judge Webb.

The one-week civil term in Stanley will be held by Judge Stack. The term in Rutherford is for two weeks, to be devoted to the civil docket. Judge Schenck will preside.

Judge Harding, in Mecklenburg, will preside over a two-weeks civil term, while the civil term of two weeks in Buncombe will be held by Judge McElroy.

Civil terms of two weeks each opened today in Harnett, New Hanover and Guilford counties. In Harnett, Judge N. A. Sinclair will preside; Judge G. E. Midyette goes to New Hanover and Judge T. B. Finley will hold the Guilford term.

The mixed term opening in Sampson is for two weeks. Judge H. A. Grady, of Clinton, will preside. Another two-weeks mixed term opened today in Wayne, with Judge John M. Oglesby presiding.

Judge F. A. Daniels goes to Robeson to hold a one-week mixed term.

Court terms previously opened will continue this week in Halifax and Iredell counties, making a total of 18 Superior courts in session during the week.

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While in France with the American Army I obtained a French prescription for the treatment of Rheumatism and Neuritis. I have given this to thousands with wonderful results. The prescription cost nothing. I ask nothing for it. I will mail it if you will send me your address. A postal will bring it. Write today.

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A woman's idea of frankness is to have someone say nice things about her.—Little Rock Demo.

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LOST—BETWEEN PACTOLUS and Tar River bridge, Michelin balloon tire and rim for Ford car. Finder return to J. P. Fleming, Pactolus, and receive reward. 1-1t

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"Man-Woman"



DR. M. V. MAYFIELD, seventy-four years old, posed for twenty-five years as a man while practicing medicine at Mena, Ark. Recently, when she fell ill, her real sex was discovered.

One ting about running on a shoe-string. Another shoe-string doesn't cost so much.—Durham Sun.

Urgent Deficiency Bill is Reported

Washington, Feb. 1.—(AP)—An urgent deficiency bill carrying appropriations of \$381,233,000 for various navy, coast guard, custom service, reclamation, post offices, treasury and other activities was reported today to the House.

GREAT BASSO PROFUNDO TO SING WITH "BOHEMIAN GIRL"

Bertram Goltra, noted American basso profundo, is to be heard here in the Valentine production of "The Bohemian Girl," which is one of the outstanding attractions of the musical season.

Goltra is in no sense of the word a newcomer in the field of music, having appeared throughout the country in concert and oratorio engagements. He has long been recognized as one of the leading American basso's. His great power and range of voice, his varied and comprehensive repertoire have assured him constant appearances and a favored place on the best programs for many years.

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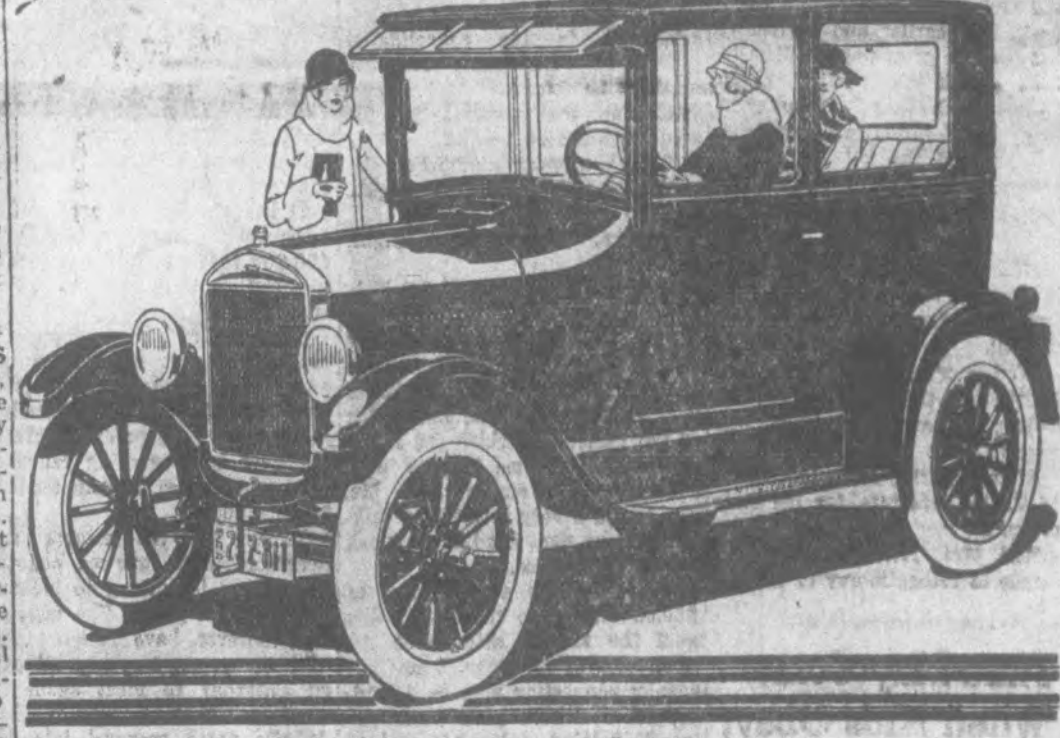
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LOCALS

Mr. J. I. Hassell left this afternoon for Miami, Florida.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Brim, of Greensboro, spent yesterday with Mrs. Brim's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Overton.

Mr. Jonathan Overton, who is attending school in Raleigh, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Overton.

Mr. Henry Clay Edwards, who is attending school in Raleigh, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Edwards.

Mr. Jake Dixon, who is attending school at Wake Forest, spent the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Dixon.

Mrs. J. S. Fleming, Julius Fleming of Pateville were in the city today.

Mr. C. F. Burbank of Washington spent Sunday here.

Mr. Earl Trevathan, of Tarboro, Mrs. G. G. Trevathan of Pine-top spent Friday with Mrs. Annie Long.

Miss Mary Gold Harrington of Waterville was in the city today.

MRS. JAMES IMPROVING

Friends of Mrs. F. G. James, who has been ill for several weeks, will be glad to learn that she is improving.



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MRS. A. H. TAFT LEAVES FOR JOHN HOPKINS HOSPITAL
Mrs. A. H. Taft left today for Baltimore, where she will enter the John Hopkins Hospital for treatment. Her many friends wish for her a speedy restoration to health.

SANS SOUCI BOOK CLUB TO MEET TUESDAY

The Sans Souci Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. W. L. Hall on Fourth street.

MOVES LAW OFFICE TO REFLECTOR BLDG.
The offices of Ward, Grimes & Edwards, which have been temporarily located in the rooms formerly occupied by Mr. J. C. Lanier, will be moved to the Reflector building.

Mr. Edwards only secured Mr. Lanier's offices for the period of Judge Dunn's service on the bench and this change has been made necessary on account of the recent resignation of Judge Dunn, who has resumed his offices which were occupied by Mr. Lanier during his absence.

MANY HUGE SETS IN NORMA'S LATEST FILM
Some gigantic sets were built for Norma Talmadge's new First National picture, to be shown at White's Theatre today.

The first is a complete English theatre of the 1900 period. This theatre is perfect in every detail and was done from old photographs obtained in London. It includes the stage, dressing rooms, back stage, orchestra pit, boxes, galleries and lobby of the theatre where "Floradora" was first presented in London.

Another huge set was that of the House of Parliament in England and London Bridge. This scene, with the London fog dimming the whole set, was a triumph of architecture, lighting and camera work. Wallace MacDonald is Norma's leading man.

Also Keith Vaudeville act, Hopkins comedy circus, with dog and pony show. Bring the kiddies.

MR. F. J. DEIMER ABLE TO LEAVE HOSPITAL

Mr. F. J. Deimer, who recently underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Pitt Community Hospital, returned home today. His many friends will be delighted to learn of his improved condition.

B. Y. P. U. IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH CONDUCT SERVICES

The three B. Y. P. U. organizations of the Immanuel Baptist Church, had charge of the evening services on Sunday. The program proved most interesting and the services were largely attended.

The president of the Senior B. Y. P. U. conducted the opening exercises, which were followed by a sword drill on the Bible by the Junior B. Y. P. U. The quartette of the Seniors rendered several enjoyable selections.

One of the most interesting features of the program was a pageant given by the Intermediates.

This was the second time that the B. Y. P. U. had had charge of the evening services and the program proved very inspiring and enjoyable.

DEEDS OF TRANSFER

The following deeds of transfer have been filed since last report:

R. M. Garrett and wife to E. L. Baker and wife, 1 town lot, \$2,250.00.

Elias Little, Mtgee., to J. H. Robinson, 1 town lot, \$313.00.

Albion Dunn, Tr., to W. B. Brown, 1 town lot, \$2,000.00.

W. H. Brown, Mtgee., to Besie Brown, 1 town lot, \$950.00.

J. J. Jones and wife to W. B. Tripp, 1 town lot, \$100.00.

R. M. Garrett and wife to Leila B. Powell, 1 town lot, \$1,100.

A. B. Corey, Tr., to Atlantic Coast Realty Co., 1 lot, \$105.00.

SENIOR B. Y. P. U. TO ENJOY WEINER ROAST

The members of the Senior B. Y. P. U., of the Immanuel Baptist Church will enjoy a weiner roast this evening at the spring opposite the old court house. The members are asked to meet at the home of Rev. and Mrs. L. R. O'Brien at six o'clock, from which place transportation will be provided for each one.

Jonas Dilda and wife to J. A. Mercer, 3 town lots, etc., \$3,000.

B. L. & S. T. Carson to Lizzie G. Beverley, 1 town lot, \$1.00.

B. A. Leggett and wife to Jas. Hilliard, 26 acres, \$10.00.

Jonas Dilda and wife to Bennie Phillips, 40 acres, \$1.00.

Arthur Cook and wife to Jonas Dilda and wife, 40 acres, \$1.00.

LITERATURE DEPT. WOMAN'S CLUB EO MEET ON TUESDAY

The Literature department of the Woman's Club will meet Tuesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock with Mrs. E. L. Henderson. Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Franks will be joint hostesses. A large attendance is desired.

MR. JOHN L. HORNE SUFFERS AN ATTACK OF INFLUENZA

Mr. J. L. Horne is ill at his home on Ninth street, suffering from influenza. His condition shows an improvement today, and his friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

MR. LEE HANNAH ENTERTAINS BRIDGE CLUB

On Saturday evening at the home of her sister, Mrs. L. W. Gaylord, Mrs. Lee Hannah delightfully entertained the members of her bridge club. The home was attractively decorated with Val-

MEMBERSHIP TO MERCHANTS ASSOCIATION STILL GROWS

The membership to the Greenville Merchants Association continues to grow, and the organization is rendering a great service to its members in various ways, and the general public is being benefitted by its existence. Three new additions to its roster today include Greenville Grocery Co., Bennett's Cleaners and Dyers, and S. T. Hicks, plumber.

CONDITION OF MRS. BOSTIC CONTINUES TO IMPROVE

Mr. Berry Bostic and little son, Alfred Quinn, spent the week-end in Richmond with Mrs. Bostic, who recently underwent an operation in St. Luke's Hospital. The friends of Mrs. Bostic will be delighted to learn that she is getting along nicely.

MR. V. B. HAYES ARRIVES TO COACH BATCHELOR'S HONEYMOON

Mr. V. B. Hayes, of the National Producing Bureau, Fayetteville, arrived today to coach the "Bachelor's Honeymoon," a musical comedy which will be presented in White's Theatre, Friday evening, Feb. 12th, under the auspices of the Pitt County Post of the American Legion.

GREENVILLE HIGHS WILL PLAY AYDEN SEMINARY TUESDAY

The basket ball quint of the Greenville High School will experience one of its hardest contests of the season tomorrow night when they meet the five of the Ayden Seminary on the local court. Greenville has already met and defeated some of the strongest teams of the Eastern part of the state, and while the oncoming visitors have, too, gained considerable recognition this year because of their winning, the locals are confident of victory and Coach Crater states that the boys will enter into the contest with the entire first string at their respective places.

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Mrs. L. W. Gaylord was hostess to the members of her bridge club on Saturday afternoon, having as honor guest, Mrs. Tom Galbraith, of Kinston.

Mrs. Burney Warren, making the top score, was presented with a string of beads. Mrs. Galbraith and Mrs. V. P. Colman were remembered with beads. After several interesting progressions the hostess served a salad course.

MR. CECIL COBB UNDERGOES OPERATION FOR APPENDICITIS

Mr. Cecil Cob, of Grifton, underwent an operation for appendicitis in the Pitt Community Hospital Friday. His many friends in this city will be glad to learn that his condition shows an improvement today, and wish for him a speedy recovery.

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Thrift Chats

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TODAY

(Continued from Page One) corner, is not such a bad plan.

Edna Root, one of the ablest lawyers in the country, says the "blue" system in the Senate is a disgrace. He objects to Senators the represent farmers uniting in the interests of the farmers.

How would you go about reviving interest in the National Democratic Party for instance?

And what about the financial bloc, the original bloc, dating back a couple of centuries, that has initiated, blocked, and put through more legislation than all other blocs combined? Nobody seems worried about that bloc, perhaps it is "respectable."

A school teacher admits beating small boys with a rubber hose, because "the boys cannot be controlled by other methods."

If the same teacher whipped adults with the same hose, the teacher would go to jail. Why should cowardly beating of children confer immunity?

A teacher unable to control children without the aid of a rubber hose should find a job digging ditches, or better, picking oakum.

Vodka, Russian name for whiskey, has come back with a rush. The Bolshevik government will produce this year 75,000,000 gallons

of vodka, 40 per cent alcohol, five million gallons of brandy and other liquors, 60 per cent alcohol. The government monopoly will earn a profit of about \$175,000,000. We spend more than that here, trying unsuccessfully, to prevent the sale of alcohol.

A cut in tire prices is predicted, and tire dealers protest against "downward revision to car products."

The public should protest against methods of retail in tires and some other things. That the consumer should pay ten dollars or more for having the tire landed to him by a retailer is preposterous. Distribution costs too much.

Italy regulates dancing, particularly "jazz" dancing, of the kind called "hip shaking." Some of the old fashioned Mussolini ideas might be accepted in this country.

Daily News Letter

Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population.

By ALIE LANGELEIR, I. N. S. Staff Correspondent. Paris, Feb. 1.—A monster hotel is promised for the gay capital in the near future. It will be built in the fashionable Ettoile quarter at a cost of one hundred and fifty million francs. The building will spread over a surface of 9000 square meters and touch on seven streets. There will be a bath for every one of the one thousand rooms with a tap for ice-water which is almost unknown in Paris today and not very much liked by the Frenchman. Each room will also have its balcony and be furnished with luxurious Gobelin tapestries and Oriental rugs, with a special apparatus for regulating the heat in summer as well as in winter.

Beneath the hotel will be a garage for 400 automobiles with repair shops, douches and lavabos for the chauffeurs. On the ground-floor will be an elegant swimming-pool, with rooms for massage, a finely-equipped gymnasium and

douches. Two hundred chambers will lodge the domestics. Sarah Bernhardt will soon be set up in stone in the Place Malesherbes, very near the last home of the famous tragedienne. The statue, which is the work of Frederic Sicard, is not yet finished, but the sculptor is working on it with great enthusiasm and expects to have it ready for the inauguration the early part of the month of March.

What's in a name? If Shakespeare attached little importance to it, a certain Mr. Jenkins does, so much so, in fact, that he has recently changed his. The real reason for this change is really a good one for Jenkins in French nasals, sounds very much like "jackass," and even a good-natured Welsh-American can't stand for that.

In the future, Mr. Jenkins will be known as Joseph Glamorgan. He is a singer and has been studying in the French capital.

Rust is threatening the celebrated Eiffel Tower in Paris, and unless a suitable protective paint can be found in the near future, the huge mass of metal which rises 1,000 feet into the sky will some day disappear.

When the tower was built in 1889, every section was coated with three layers of a special mixture of red lead and pure linseed oil, which was then covered by a final application of thick paint. Two years later it was discovered that rust had begun to spread through it, and in 1892, it was necessary to scrape the entire structure and repaint it. Since then it has been repainted and repainted a number of times, but the process of disintegration is still going on.

Experts must soon come upon a protective paint which, in addition to being proof against oxidation, must also be a non-conductor of electricity, so as to guard against rust in the French capital.

LIBRARY NEWS

Our Slogan: "Let The Library Serve Greenville."

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Two copies of the "Carolinian," a magazine published by the Uni-

versity of South Carolina, are on our reading table and are of special interest because two poems, "A Word of Cheer" and "Milestones," were written by a Greenville High School graduate of last June, Max Revelise. The friends of Mr. Revelise will be interested to know that he writes for each issue of the "Carolinian."

Most popular books the past week, were: Fiction: "Keeper of the Bees," "A Bush That Burned," "Vanishing American," "Perennial Bachelor," "Drums." Non-fiction: Wheeler's History of North Carolina. The World Court, History of Africa. There is a decided increase in the calls for magazines since they have been placed on the over-night and week-end list.

"Barren Ground," by Ellen Glasgow, has been one of the semi-populars this winter but deserves a classification among the best, we think. So we asked Mr. "Dink" James to give us his criticism of the novel and we feel that his opinion will increase the popularity of "Barren Ground" and will also prove helpful to some of the clubs that are reading it as part of the year's program. Mr. James' criticism follows:

"Mr. Walter Hines Page said that the two greatest curses of the South were oratory and fried meat. Many intelligent leaders of thought are becoming painfully conscious that the South is not all that its orators have painted it to be. They are beginning to realize that the statements of these orators are not only misleading but positively true.

"It is difficult to establish the correctness of such unpleasant facts in the meat fed minds of the rank and file of Southern people. Their dull complacency and the superficial character of their thought and knowledge has been a fatal impediment to the labors of the engineers of disillusionment. The students of Economics and Sociology have accomplished much toward revealing the real status of the dark side of the South but the task of accurately portraying the human element involved in this dark side has remained for the novelist.

Miss Glasgow has performed this gigantic task with a fair amount of success. "Barren Ground" is a vividly realistic portrayal of rural life in the South. This phase of Southern life is what has been previously referred to as the dark side. It is with the authority of an intimate knowledge and a keen understanding of the drabness, inertia, and grim tragedy that she has chronicled the colorless, un-lived lives of three generations of Virginia farmers. Unveiled is used with special intent because there is no depth to their lives, they do not think and work and aspire like human beings. They merely seem to exist.

Lorinda, the leading figure in the book, is a splendid character. Jason, her ill-starred lover, is also an interesting figure. Both of their lives were very sad. Perhaps their lives were not entirely unrewarded but they paid a very exacting price for their little time on earth. Many of their experiences and the circumstances that surrounded them are typical of those to be encountered by the youth who turns today to life on the Southern farm.

The great fault with the book is the detailed and elaborate development of the background at the expense of the characters. Miss Glasgow shows a very fine understanding of her subject in a great many ways, hence, it is to be regretted that she did not give stronger proof of this understanding in the building of her characters.

The damage done by this effect is somewhat mitigated by the rare excellence of the author's craftsmanship. The plot is also uncommonly well conceived and well developed. These facts combined make the book very interesting and this constitutes a merit which is capable of concealing a multitude of sins in most anything.

Cloudburst Leaves Top Dressing On Baseball Park

By CARL L. TURNER, I. N. S. Staff Correspondent.

Pittsburgh, Feb. 1.—The huge task of marshalling players and coaches from twenty-four states around whom it is hoped to model another world championship baseball club is under way in the office of President Barney Dreyfuss at Forbes Field, home of the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Accompanying this announcement came word that the first contingent of Pirates will leave Pittsburgh on February 21, for Paso Robles, Calif., where the champions will train for a possible second consecutive National League pennant.

Pitchers and catchers, especially those living in the East will comprise the first unit to head for the Central California training camp. Orders have gone out from Pirate headquarters for infielders and outfielders to join their battery mates a week later. Players liv-

ing in the Middle West will be picked up enroute.

From all indications, President Dreyfuss is experiencing none of the unpleasant bartering with hold-out players that other major league moguls came in for when they sent out contracts the year following the winning of a world series.

Thus far, the public has yet to hear of a Pittsburgh player returning his contract for the 1926 season unsigned because of salary differences.

Reports from the California city are to the effect that the ball park where the effect that the ball park where the Pirates will timber up in the spring, is in much better condition than for their last visit. Strangely enough, it is said, a cloudburst accomplished this.

Small pebbles and the sandy texture of the soil left much to be desired of the Paso Robles diamond last spring, according to the players. The city fathers had all but completed arrangements for covering the playing field with loam when along came the cloudburst. Sweeping down a nearby canyon, having its outlet just above the baseball park, the rain torrents rushed on toward the field. When

the skies had cleared, it was discovered that sediment in the water left a substantial layer of the desired soil covering the entire park, so the story goes.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between V. A. Jackson and J. H. Brooks, which partnership ran the Geimesland Filling Station, and also traded some in the firm name of Brooks & Jackson, has been dissolved by mutual consent, on the 1st day of January, 1926. V. A. Jackson, J. H. Brooks, 30th-11w-4wk.

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Announcement

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for SHERIFF OF PITT COUNTY, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held on June 5th. And if elected, I will endeavor to carry out the duties of sheriff according to the oath upon which I take.

Samuel A. Whitehurst