

FEDERAL RESERVE SAYS BUSINESS IS MUCH BETTER

July of This Year Shows Retail Trade in July Ahead of Same Month Last Year

Richmond, Va., Sept. 1.—(AP)—Retail trade in the Fifth Federal Reserve District ran 3.1 per cent better in July than the record established during 1925, the monthly report on business conditions issued from the Federal Reserve Bank here.

The increase came in the face of characteristic seasonal decline during July, and averaged 16.3 per cent better than average retail sales during the five years of 1920-25 inclusive, according to figures supplied by 31 leading stores in the district.

The report showed that stocks on hand were 2.4 per cent larger at selling value, than stocks a year ago. The increase was accounted for by large increases in stocks in Washington and Baltimore. Stock, declined toward the end of June but outstanding orders for merchandise increased sharply with the making of fall commitments.

Stock turnover was reported slower for July than for previous months, but this was regarded as a normal condition for midsummer months.

July collections were comparatively slow, averaging 27.1 per cent of outstanding receivables.

Farmer Asks for Pair of Pheasants

Raleigh, Sept. 1.—(AP)—A resident of Franklin, in the mountains of western North Carolina, has requested the Secretary of State to send him a pair of Pheasants, and Max Abernathy, his chief clerk, is in a quandary.

The people in the office of the Secretary of State have been most accommodating about sending things people write for—characters, law volumes and almost any kind of a report—but after due search into all the state's resources they haven't been able to locate a pair of Pheasants.

The nearest approach to it was a chicken hawk, in the possession of Wm. H. Richardson, editor of the Agricultural Department's publications, but all hands agreed that they would never be able to pass off a single hawk for a pair of Pheasants.

So the search goes on for one pair of Pheasants. Abernathy hasn't yet answered the man's letter because he is a great believer in the ancient slogan about life and hope, but he showed slight signs of discouragement today when he approached one well known state official in quest of information about where he could procure a pair of the so-rare birds, and was met with the blank expression:

"Pheasants? Certainly I don't. What are Pheasants anyway?"

AGED LADY DIED THIS MORNING

Mrs. Elizabeth Stepp Passes Away at the Home of Daughter Near Farmville

Mrs. Elizabeth Stepp, age 72, died this morning at 10:40 o'clock at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Cora Evans, near Farmville. Mrs. Stepp was the widow of the late W. J. Stepp, who died about a year ago. She was a member of the Liberty Adventist church at Marlboro. Funeral services will be conducted at the home tomorrow afternoon at three o'clock, interment following in the Dick Carr graveyard near the Stepp farm.

Mrs. Stepp is survived by three sons, A. R. Stepp, Greenville, J. W. Stepp, Ayden, Route One, and Clarence Stepp, Farmville. Four daughters, Mrs. Nannie Oakley, Mrs. William Skinner, Mrs. Cora Evans, who live near Farmville, and Miss Bessie Stepp, of this city.

SECOND PRIMARY IS NECESSARY IN SOUTH CAROLINA

Smith and Brown Must Go in Run-Off Primary for Senate Nomination

Columbia, S. C., Sept. 1.—(AP)—Ed Smith, who voted for the World Court proposal when it was adopted by the Senate, and Edgar A. Brown, who criticized his vote, will be in the run-off primary September 14 when the South Carolina Democrats will decide who will represent them in the United States Senate the next six years after March 4, 1927. Nomination in the Democratic primary is equivalent to election in this state.

Senator Smith led his two opponents, N. B. Dial and Edgar A. Brown, speaker of the South Carolina House of Representatives in the returns from the South Carolina primary yesterday. However, he failed to obtain a majority over both men, which is necessary for nomination.

When returns were tabulated early today from 1,264 of the 1,384 precincts in the state, the vote stood: Brown, 54,233; Dial 29,734; Smith, 61,185.

George G. Richards led the field of nine candidates for Governor. Ira C. Blackwood was second and Edmund B. Jackson third. The figures from 1,189 precincts were: Richards, 37,620; Blackwood, 31,020; Jackson, 27,770.

Four of the seven congressmen were renominated without opposition, and the incumbents in the other districts were leading their opponents by a wide margin.

Education Dept. Issues Booklet on North Carolina

Raleigh, Sept. 1.—(AP)—An attractive booklet portraying the progress of public education in North Carolina has been issued by the State Department of Education for distribution at the Sesqui-Centennial Exposition in Philadelphia.

The booklet contains 18 pages and is handsomely illustrated with full page half-tones of representative North Carolina school buildings. On the cover appears the state flag in colors.

On the first page is a table showing the progress of education in the state in every department from 1890 to 1925. This shows briefly how the total expenditures for schools increased from \$1,602,393.71 in 1890 to \$33,978,063.08 in 1925 and its consequent results, reflected in a doubled enrollment and halved illiteracy rate.

The booklet explains fully the method of administration of the schools by the state board of education, and the means of support principally by means of a county ad valorem special tax.

The schools illustrated are: R. J. Reynolds high school at Winston-Salem, which cost more than the total amount expended for public education in North Carolina in 1900; a New Hanover County School, Old Fields Township School in Wilson county, the consolidated school at Wentworth, High Point high school, and the Clemmons consolidated school in Forsyth county.

ARMY OF WOMEN SCRUB CHICAGO OFFICE FLOORS

Chicago, Sept. 1.—(AP)—Business men and building owners of Chicago's central business district, known as "the loop" pay \$3.144 each night to have the office floors scrubbed. The work is done by women.

A rate of 42 cents an hour is paid each of 1575 women, who also receive the same pay for overtime, which occasionally runs to two hours a night. They do not have any union, and are among the few workers here who are not organized.

The scrub-women are in charge of the building janitor who belongs to one of the strongest unions here, and who draws a salary check twice a month that makes the ordinary white collar worker ashamed of his weekly stipend.

NORTH CAROLINA PUBLIC SCHOOLS MUCH IMPROVED

Academic and Financial Status Shows Much Improvement From Year to Year

Raleigh, Sept. 1.—(AP)—The academic status and the financial status of North Carolina public schools improved from the term 1923-24 to that of 1924-25, it is shown in State School Facts, a new issue of the Department of Public Instruction, which came from the presses here today. The tabulation, made by the editor of the publication indicate that both rural and city schools showed improvement.

The general condition, which included both financial and academic factors improved in the period named from 50.1 percent to 53.1 percent in the rural schools and from 81.1 to 83.9 percent in the city schools. These percentages represented what had been attained toward the standard of perfection set down by the Department for a perfect school system. The percentage on the purely academic side showed an increase of from sixty one per cent to 63.2 per cent schools. In terms of financial conditions, the rural schools improved from 39.3 per cent to 42.9 per cent while the city schools improved from 78.7 to 82.9 per cent.

The academic status took into account the percentage of enrollment in average daily attendance, average length of term, scholarship of teachers, percentage of total enrollment in high schools and percentage of enrollment normal and under age. The financial average took into consideration average annual salary of teachers, per capita cost of instruction based on enrollment, total per capita cost of current expense based on enrollment, total current expense per teacher and principal and valuation of school property per child enrolled.

The figures showed that in no case had the rural schools reached the standard of perfection set down by the Department, while the city schools had made this grade in only two particulars. The city schools registered 100 per cent in the average annual salary, which was set at \$1,200 as a standard and in valuation of school property per child enrolled, the standard for which was given as \$200 per child.

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Reservations two and three also were quickly approved. The second provides that the United States shall be permitted to participate in the elections of judges of the court by the assembly of the League.

The third authorizes the United States Council and states to contribute a fair part of the court's expenses.

K. OF C. ORDER DOES NOT SEEK INTERVENTION

Flaherty Declares Only Asking Exercise Good Offices Under International Law

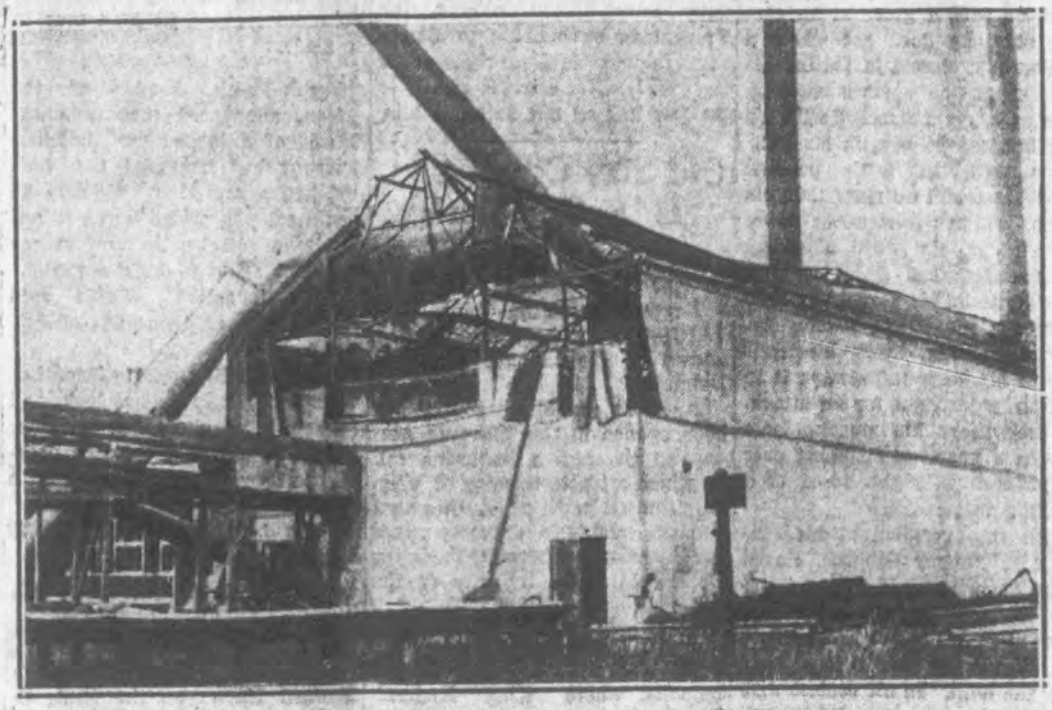
Paul Smith's, N. Y., Sept. 1.—(AP)—President Coolidge was told today by James A. Flaherty, supreme knight of the Knights Columbus, that his organization does not ask intervention by the United States in Mexico.

The order, said Mr. Flaherty, who was accompanied by members of his supreme council, does not even ask the lifting of the embargo on arms shipments to Mexico. Instead he said it is clear it desires only the exercise of whatever good offices the United States can extend under international law to ameliorate conditions in the southern republic where Catholic churchmen are engaged in a religious dispute with President Calles.

Conditions in Mexico at this time were ascribed by Mr. Flaherty to policies of the past three American administrations. Mr. Coolidge, who has pursued a policy of "hands off," in the religious controversy, was said to have listened "kindly and patiently" to the delegation, which was later photographed with him at the executive office.

What's in a name? Representative Fish of New York is a dry—Lakeland Ledger.

In the Wake of Louisiana Hurricane



A hurricane struck Louisiana, leaving a trail of wreckage. It demolished this factory at New Orleans. (International News)

MEMBERS WORLD COURT CONVE IN GENEVA TODAY

Conference President Declares Date of America's Memorable Occasion

Geneva, Sept. 1.—(AP)—The conference of members of the permanent court of international justice, summoned to discuss the reservations under which the United States is willing to become a member, was opened with a private session today. Professor Vaneynsing, Dutch member of the court, was elected president of the conference and the conference then went into a public session.

President Vaneynsing sketched the history of the American negotiations concerning the court.

He hailed the date upon which the United States had decided to adhere to the court as one of the most memorable in history. He paid impressive tribute to the United States as the country which had initiated the great movement of arbitration and pointed out that she had incorporated this practicable in a number of agreements.

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TODAY

Champion Hog, Caller. When You're Old and Poor. The Sultan Likes Us. Good Pay and Gratitude. By ARTHUR BRISBANE

Fred Patzek, champion hog caller of Nebraska, won the hog calling championship easily. Hogs will climb fences to reach him, when they hear his call, Poo-Ew-Oig. Stentor, according to Homer, had a voice as loud as the combined voices of fifty men, but Fred Patzek would not fear him. His voice can be heard two miles away.

Office-seekers should listen to the wisdom of the champion hog caller: You have got to have appeal, as well as power in your voice. You've got to convince the hogs you have something for them.

Many politicians have power in their voices, but when the voters come, they have nothing for them. Consider the Republican Party. It calls the farmers, and year after year they come running. When the election is won they are told: Sorry, but we cannot interfere with the law of supply and demand.

That is poor comfort for hogs or men.

A poor old woman found wandering by the police could not tell her name or age. "I think my name is Amelia Patterson, and I am between fifty and eighty years of age," said she. The hair under her knitted black shawl was snow white, her hands were wrinkled and callous from hard work.

The police wrote down "About seventy-five years of age, name unknown, white, female." And that is as much interest as the world takes in a woman, old and poor, and no longer fit for hard work.

The solution of Sulu is happy under Uncle Sam's rule. What is more? We release the Philippine Islands from American control, the Sultan says he and his Moros will fight the Filipinos to the last gasp. The Sultan who has his wives and his religion and carries a 45 automatic at his belt undisturbed, was assured, confidentially, that he, a Mohammedan need not hesitate to deal with us, because the United States is a nation with no official religion. That is the assurance that Thomas Jefferson once gave to an earlier, more important Mohammedan Sultan.

Frank Farrington represented union coal miners in Illinois for twelve years and got five thousand dollars a year. Now he leaves the union, goes to work for the Peabody Coal Company, with interests naturally opposed to the union, and he gets twenty-five thousand dollars a year.

Corporations pay well, and are grateful. Unions and the public pay little and are ungrateful. That is why the ablest men, lawyers and public officials usually belong to

English "Malihini" Uses Hawaiian Words

Honolulu, Sept. 1.—(AP)—If Hawaii continues to attract tourists and charm them with its language, dictionaries, in fifty years will contain some words now virtually unknown.

A prominent writer recently visited the islands and took back a new word for the title of one of his articles—hoomalima. The Hawaiian glossary says the word means "to gain one's favor by flattery." A common American synonym is "kidding." The word, like all Hawaiian words, is easy to pronounce: simply pronounce every syllable and vowel with the accent on the next to the last.

The malihini—for a person who would be a "cheechaco" in the Klondike or a "griffin" in Shanghai is a "malihini" or newcomer in Hawaii also learns that paw, pronounced pow, is a good way of saying he is finished, done, or ended with what he is doing and that pilikia is an extremely expressive word for trouble. He usually also learns that ma-ho (by and by) is a good designation for the time some unpleasant task will be done.

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PRIMARY RETURNS IN CALIFORNIA INCOMPLETE YET

Young and Shortridge Leading for Governor and Senator Respectively

San Francisco, Sept. 1.—(AP)—Decisive victory still eluded the major contestants in yesterday's state primary election, as returns from about one third of California's precincts were tabulated early today. C. C. Young, candidate for the Republican gubernatorial nomination, was leading Governor Richardson by 10,812 votes and United States Senator S. M. Shortridge, Coolidge Republican, was almost 14,000 votes ahead of Robert N. Clark, one of the anti-world court rivals for the Republican nomination for United States Senator. In neither case was the lead large enough to bring concession of defeat from either Governor Richardson or Mr. Clark.

Mr. Clark's candidacy had the active support of Senator Hiram Johnson. Clark's supporters pointed out that the two anti-world court candidates combined were polling a heavier vote than Shortridge.

Somewhat similar indecisiveness prevailed in the Democratic gubernatorial and senatorial conflict which had been looked upon as a preliminary skirmish in the 1928 Presidential campaign. John B. Elliott, who was endorsed for Senator by W. G. McAdoo, was leading Isadore Dockwiler, whom he accused of complicity in a Tammany Hall plot to capture California Democracy. However, Carl Alexander Johnson, the dry candidate, carrying the McAdoo endorsement, was trailing Justus S. Wardell in the gubernatorial race.

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ARGUMENTS IN MITCHELL CASE STARTED TODAY

After Presenting Testimony of Score of Witnesses in Bigamy Case Both Sides Rest; Case Will Not Reach Jury Before Noon Hour Tomorrow

Immediately after court convened this afternoon the prosecution in the Mitchell bigamy case announced that it would rest and following the introduction of two more witnesses the defense rested. Upon agreement each side was allotted three hours time to be divided between the three speakers for argument before the jury.

Judge Sinclair indicated that no night session will be held tonight which means that the arguments will not be completed until near the noon hour tomorrow.

Col. F. G. James began the argument for the prosecution at three o'clock this afternoon.

With the court room crowded from wall to wall with witnesses and eager spectators, the case against James M. Mitchell, Jr., of Greensboro, on a charge of bigamy was begun in Superior court here yesterday. The case was called promptly at 2:30 o'clock and the first forty-five minutes were required for the selection of the jury.

At the very outset counsel for the defense made it known that the plea of the defendant would be that he was intoxicated and doped on Sunday night, May 9, the day prior to his marriage to Miss Ward Moore, until Wednesday, May 12, and that he knew nothing of what had transpired during that time.

The first witness to take the stand for the State was J. C. Gaskins, local Register of Deeds who testified that on the morning of May 10 he had issued licenses for the marriage of J. M. Mitchell, Jr., and Miss Ward Moore. He testified that these licenses were returned to his office with the marriage certificate properly executed and that same was duly recorded. The State then presented the marriage license as evidence. In answer as to who applied for the license, Mr. Gaskins stated that the licenses were applied for by H. S. Ragsdale of this city.

The second witness for the State was Rev. H. F. Jones, who testified that on the night of Sunday, May 9, Mitchell and Miss Moore came to his house to request him to perform the marriage ceremony for them on the following morning. He told them that he was planning to leave early the next morning for Raleigh, where he was to board an afternoon train for Texas. The couple assured him, he said, that if he would remain here for the ceremony they would see to it that he reached Raleigh in time to catch his train and upon this promise he agreed to stay over. Mr. Jones testified that he then asked the usual question of whether or not either of the parties had ever before been married, and in reply Mitchell stated that he had been married but was now divorced from his wife. When asked by whom the divorce was secured and upon what grounds, Mitchell declared he had been granted divorce from his former wife on scriptural grounds, the witness testified. After this assurance, Mr. Jones said, he agreed to perform the ceremony and on the following morning at the home of Miss Moore's parents, he united the couple in the presence of a number of witnesses.

When asked on cross examination whether or not he detected the odor of whiskey on Mitchell's breath when he came to his home on Sunday night, Mr. Jones testified that he did not. When asked whether or not Mitchell was drunk when the marriage ceremony was performed, Mr. Jones testified that following the ceremony he smelled the odor of liquor but that in company with Mitchell and Miss Moore he rode up to the hotel and that Mitchell drove carefully and showed no signs of intoxication. When asked whether or not he accompanied the couple to Raleigh, he stated that Mitchell went into the hotel here, supposedly for his baggage, and remained for some time. Mr. Jones stated that when Mitchell did not return immediately by the train in Raleigh so someone else consented to carry him to that place and he got out of Mitchell's car and went to Raleigh in another one.

Following the testimony of Rev. Mr. Jones, the State presented as evidence a certified copy of the marriage license and certificate of Mitchell's marriage in 1917 to Miss May Bell, of Charlotte.

Judge D. H. Bland, of Goldsboro, brother-in-law of the prosecuting witness, testified that he was in Greenville on Sunday, May 9, and that during the afternoon he was in company with Mitchell and Miss Moore in his automobile and that at the time Mitchell was not drunk. He stated that he returned to Goldsboro late in the afternoon and that later in the evening Miss Moore called him by telephone to inform him that she and Mitchell were to be married on the following morning. He was present at the ceremony he said, and testified that at the time the defendant was not drunk but that he had apparently taken a drink or two. Later in the day he and his family returned to Goldsboro. Mr. Bland said and he heard nothing further until Thursday, when he was informed that Mitchell already had a wife in Greensboro and had abandoned Miss Moore in Henderson. He went to Greensboro, he said, and found Mitchell at home with his wife and children. He stated that upon inquiry he learned that Mitchell had been married to Miss Bell in 1917 and had not obtained a divorce.

Following the testimony of Judge Bland the State rested its case and the defense witnesses were sworn.

Mrs. E. P. Spence, the first witness, testified that on the morning that the wedding took place, Mitchell, in company with Mrs. E. V. Carter, came to her floral establishment to purchase a bridal bouquet. She was unable to state whether or not Mitchell was intoxicated at this time.

L. P. Padgett, employee of the floral company, stated that he came in while Mitchell and Mrs. Carter were present, that he talked with Mitchell and smelled the odor of whiskey, but that Mitchell talked as if he knew what he was doing.

Robert Greene, Jr., next witness for the defense, employee of W. L. Best, jeweler, testified on the morning of Monday May 10, Mrs. E. V. Carter came to the jewelry establishment, selected the wedding ring and that same was delivered to her. He stated that Mitchell was not with her and that he did not see him.

J. B. Cherry testified that he was present when the marriage ceremony was performed, that he saw the groom and was of the opinion that he had been drinking.

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SIX NEGROES DIE IN TENEMENT FIRE

Five Bodies Recovered and Sixth is Known to Be in the Ruins

New York, Sept. 1.—(AP)—Six negroes were burned to death and three others were injured seriously in a fire which swept through a five story tenement early today. Five of the bodies were recovered and another is known to be in the ruins.

The fire started on one of the lower floors and spread with such rapidity that the building was entirely in flames when the firemen arrived.

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Yes, Sir, next Tuesday is a big day in Greenville and the beginning of what is expected to be the best year in the history of the Greenville Tobacco Market.

Now comes the statement that postmasters can get in politics. It was our opinion that postmasters got in by their politics.

Publishers have agreed to reduce the prices on four of the text books used in the public schools of North Carolina. This helps some, but how about a refund for the excess paid for these books last year.

The number and type of criminal cases before Superior Court here this week is indeed something of which the county should be ashamed. Cases on the docket included bigamy, several murder cases, rape, arson and incest. Not until the good people of our community take a hand in bringing to the bar of justice and convicting criminals can we hope for a decrease in the ever growing number of crimes being committed within our borders.

A SOUND PROPOSITION
Banks were probably never rendering a greater service to the public than they are today. Within recent years they have been emphasizing the value of properly safeguarding the interest of a wife and mother in estates which are left to them in the shape of insurance payments or other assets.

The banks of the country have been doing good work in showing the problem faced by the average woman who is left money to invest. Her business has been running the home and raising the family. In 99 cases out of 100 she cannot be expected to know the difference between good and bad investments. The result is, that savings left for her protection are too often acquired by the smooth stock salesman who offers her a glittering proposition which "promises" large returns.

An insurance trust, administered by the modern bank, eliminates the danger of loss, capital and assures a steady income. It is the height of folly for dependent persons to attempt to speculate with or invest funds upon which their future living depends.

There would be less need for charitable institutions, if the insurance trust idea were better understood and more extensively followed.

PRESS COMMENT

"MA" AS A GOOD SPORT
(Richmond Times Dispatch)
Just as the curtain was rung down on the political comedy in Texas—a comedy that was not without its touch of pathos, for it was played at a fearful cost in dollars and prestige to one of the empire States of the Union—Jim Ferguson, voiced the most execrably funny line of all the side-splitting national audience has heard.
"My wife is a good sport," Jim said, solemnly and emphatically. And all the country laughed. It was the piece de resistance of the play. To say "Ma" Ferguson is a good sport is as ridiculous as to say Julius Caesar were bell bottom trousers, or to aver Calvin Coolidge is a second Mark Twain. If the Governor of Texas has in him any element of sportsmanship, Napoleon was an international philanthropist and Cicero was a dumb Roman.

"Ma" is a good sport! Then perhaps we have taken the wrong view of many personages of history. It may have been that Theodore Roosevelt was a mollycoddle, George Washington an errant Tory, working in a mysterious way his object to accomplish; Patrick Henry a voiceless backwoodsman, ridiculed by his fellows as the Demosthenes of the New World; and Kaiser Wilhelm a benevolent old gentleman sending missionaries to France by way of Belgium.

It is true, no doubt, that Mrs. Ferguson didn't scream when she realized that Dan Moody had blotted her out politically under an avalanche of Texas votes. But despite the fact that "Ma" refused to give way to a purely womanly emotion, the world at large regards her as anything but a good sport, and the world at large, having given some thought to the situation in the Lone Star State, believes it possesses better judgment along most lines than does "Ma's" husband.

Here is the way Mrs. Ferguson in the mind of Mr. Ferguson, proved her sportsmanship:

A long time ago, when Dan Moody, the next Governor of the State, loomed on the political horizon as "Ma's" chief antagonist, she offered to quit the executive chair at once if Moody in the primary, led her by one vote, provided Moody would withdraw if she led him by 25,000 votes, and Moody took the bet. The primary was held and Moody ran away with the field, lacking only a few hundred votes of securing the necessary majority of all the ballots cast.

When the result became known Mrs. Ferguson, who was Moody's nearest competitor, announced that she would not enter the runoff primary, but would accept the situation as reflecting the wishes of the people of Texas. There was a brief period when it appeared that the woman Governor might be a good sport. Mr. Ferguson, however, with his penchant for comedy, stepped in and told "Ma" she must have a final tilt with Moody. She succumbed again a victim to the political ambitions and machinations of her husband. And when she did that Mrs. Ferguson lost all claim to good sportsmanship.

It is hardly fair, however, to censure "Ma" too severely. She took Jim for better or for worse. It was for worse—well, that's largely her business and Jim's.

The Ferguson are out of the political field now, or will be when the Governor's term expires. "Ma" soon will resume her duties as a housewife—a position in which she will find more time to learn the art of being a good sport. In the meantime, Jim is a big joke and a capital joker.

CHICAGO'S ART COLONY GIVES WAY TO COMMERCE

Chicago, Sept. 1.—(AP)—Chicago's "Greenwich Village" in the maze of streets on the near north side, is in danger of extinction.

The surge of the builder beyond the north bank of the Chicago river following an improvement program which opened up a wide, new territory to rehabilitation rapidly is encroaching upon the quiet Bohemian area.

Huge business blocks and luxurious apartment hotels are replacing the studios, tea rooms and other adjuncts of "village" life which had blossomed in remodeled dwellings of a by-gone generation in the drowsy hinterlands lack of the "Gold Coast."

Even that center of village life, the Hull Pickle Club in Tucker alley, a narrow thoroughfare of studios not unlike Washington News in New York, soon is to be ousted from its curious dwelling. The ground and building have been sold.

DEMPSEY GREATEST "FINISHER" OF THE RING

New York, Sept. 1.—(AP)—Jack Dempsey, the old two-handed puncher among the heavyweights since the days of Bob Fitzsimmons, probably is the greatest "finisher" in modern history of glove fighting.

When the world's heavyweight champion fires a glove at an enemy's chin, he does not waste a fraction of a second in getting his opponent at the earliest moment. He is as heavy a puncher with his right hand as he is with his left.

Dempsey's heaviest punches sometimes travel no more than six inches. He has tremendous power concealed in his broad shoulders and muscles that stand up like whip cords in his forearms. The titleholder, a weaving bobbing figure in the ring, keeps his arms close to his body and always is in position to lash out for an attack. Dempsey keeps his muscles loose and has a knack of snapping over his punches with the speed of a serpent's tongue.

With the exception of his contest with Tommy Gibbons, staged in the boom town of Shelby, Montana, three years ago, all of Dempsey's battles since he became champion have been won before they went the limit. In his contest with Gibbons, Dempsey was plainly worried by the disposition of the crowd towards him, owing to the insistence of Jack Kearns, his former manager, for complete fulfillment of the \$300,000 contract. Gibbons proved to be one of the best defensive fighters Dempsey ever met. His cleverness and shrewdness saved him from being hammered to the canvas in spite of the champion's most determined attacks.

Dempsey's battles against Jess Willard and Luis Firpo stand out as the most spectacular of his career. He won the championship from the Kansas giant in Toledo, O., July 4, 1919, in one of the most one-sided contests in heavyweight history. Willard, weighing 245 pounds, was beaten into a helpless, bloody figure in three rounds, although he did not admit until his seconds tossed a towel in the ring, just as the gong sounded for the fourth round.

The tigerish Dempsey floored Willard seven times in the first round. Willard, blinded and so weak he could hardly defend himself, was an easy target in the two remaining rounds.

Dempsey's cyclonic battle against Firpo in the Polo Grounds three years ago never has been equalled for thrills and excitement. It only went two rounds before the ponderous Firpo was stretched flat on his back with his toes pointed to the skies. But in those two rounds there were more knockdowns than ever has been before recorded in a heavyweight fight. Dempsey himself was knocked out of the ring after he had floored Firpo seven times in the first round. In all, there were eleven knockdowns in those wild few minutes of swinging fists.

The heavyweight champion's first battle in defense of his title was against Billy Mike of St. Paul, at Benton Harbor, Mich., on Labor Day, 1920. Mike, who has twice faced Dempsey in no-decision contests, before Jack became champion, fell a victim to Dempsey's knockout punches in the third round of a 10-round match.

Dempsey really won the fight in the first round when he drove a piling-driving right to Mike's heart. Mike never recovered from its effects.

Dempsey next boxed Bill Brennan the Chicago veteran, beating him to defeat in the 12th round of a 15-round match in Madison Square Garden, December 15, 1920. A short right hook delivered with great force under the left start of Brennan on his way to defeat after making a game stand against the champion. As Brennan crouched, wincing with pain, Dempsey stepped in and hooked his left with all the power of his massive shoulders into Brennan's right ribs. That punch finished him.

The greatest and most picturesque crowd in fight history saw Dempsey defeat Georges Carpentier in their memorable Battle of a Century decided in Boyles Thirty Acres on July 2, 1921. That fight lasted four rounds, the Frenchman succumbing to Dempsey's famous blow—a right under the heart—after a right smash to the jaw had all but flattened him.

Old Slav City Is a Gambler's Paradise Now

Ragusa, Dalmatia, Sept. 1.—(AP)—Ragusa has come to be known as the "Monte Carlo of Dalmatia."

A great gambling resort has been opened in this Slavonic Athens, as the native Ragusans call it, which attracts throngs of visitors from all parts of Southeastern Europe. It is a favorite place for Americans emerging from the Balkan countries by way of the sea.

Several new hotels have been built, and the old Ragusan metropolis, where King Richard, Cœur de Lion, is said to have taken refuge in a storm while returning from Palestine, has been beautified in other respects so as to attract visitors.

Ragusa is situated on one of the finest landlocked harbors in Europe, and has a mild climate throughout the year. Embowered in hanging gardens, great palms, aloes, cacti and oleanders, and garlanded with all kinds of tropical flowers, it is one of the prettiest spots on the Adriatic Sea. Its picturesque old walls, dating from the days of the Venetians, are still intact, and many exquisite gems of architecture remain as memorials of the days when Ragusa was a proud republic. The Old World atmosphere, the quaint narrow streets, paved with huge slabs, and the flocks of fluttering pigeons, remind one of an ancient Italian city.

NOTICE OF SALE

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in that deed of trust executed on May 6th, 1925, by Bernard Smith and wife, Elvira Smith, to J. H. Blount, Trustee, of record in Book V-15, at page 299 in the office of the Register of Deeds for Pitt County, default having been made in the payment of the notes there described the undersigned Trustee will offer for sale to the highest bidder for cash before the Court House door in the Town of Greenville, N. C., at 12 o'clock noon, September 30th, 1926, the following described real estate: Being lot No. 3 of Block 1 of the Riverdale sub-division as well as by reference to Map of the Riverdale subdivision of record in Book 2, page 36 of the Register of Deeds of Pitt County and being one of the lots conveyed by E. G. Panagan to M. K. Blount as will appear by reference to Book V-14 at page 230 of the Public Registry and the same house and lot deed by M. K. Blount and wife, Ruth B. Blount, conveyed to Bernard Smith and wife, Elvira Smith. This sale will be made subject to deed of trust securing loan from Greenville Building & Loan Association and upon which there is now due about \$800.00. This the 28th day of August 1926. J. H. Blount, Trustee 30-1tw-4wk.

SALE OF VALUABLE FARM PROPERTY

Under and by virtue of authority conferred upon us in a deed of trust by John Thomas Harris and wife, Vivian P. Harris, on the first day of February, 1923 and recorded in book of mortgages T-14 at page 210, we will on Saturday, the 25th day of September, 1926, at 12 o'clock noon, at the court house door in Greenville, sell at public auction for cash, to the highest bidder the following land, to-wit:

Serving Term for Box Car Robbery, Invents Car Lock

San Quentin Prison, Sept. 1.—(INS)—Elmer Gloss, serving a four year term for robbing box cars, came to the conclusion that there was a need for such things, so in his spare time he invented and perfected a lock for box car doors that is said to be the most ingenious lock of its kind ever to be made.

Frank Smith, warden of the prison, announced that representatives of a large car building company had inspected the lock and had approved it. He said he would ask the prison board to authorize a sufficient sum of money to enable Gloss to build a model. "The invention," Smith said "may net Gloss thousands of dollars."

In commenting on his invention, Gloss said, it is a good lock, and I know a lot about box car door locks. Of course it could be opened but it would be a hard job to do it. Gloss has already served 18 months of his time.

Adjoining the lands of the Heirs of Henry Harris, on the North, formerly the lands of Howard Harris on the East, the lands of the Smith Heirs, and Samuel Joyner on the South, and Mrs. Alice King on the West.

Beginning at a bridge on the Farmville and Center Bluff road, thence along said road S. 70-35 W. 1302 feet; thence S. 71-05 W. 598 ft.; thence S. 73-20 W. to an iron stake on South side of road; thence S. 3-30 W. 6131 feet to an iron axl; a corner between J. T. Harris, Samuel Joyner and Mrs. Alice King, thence N. 45-30 E. 730 ft. to a pine stump, a corner between J. T. Harris and Samuel Joyner; thence along old Tram road N. 67-30 E. 4924 ft.; thence S. 83-10 E. 1521 ft. thence S. 82-20 E. 300 ft. thence S. 73-15 E. 142 ft.; thence S. 65-20 E. 177 ft.; thence S. 75 E. 95 ft.; to a big long strawed pine, a corner between J. T. Harris and line; thence N. 7-30 W. 4070 ft. to a Gum Stump; J. T. Harris and Howard Harris; thence S. 54-12 E. 619 ft. to a stake on East side of path, a corner between J. T. Harris and Howard Harris; thence N. 31-10 W. 3210 ft. along the Avenue to the center of the Farmville-Center Bluff road; thence N. 31-10 W. 579 ft. thence N. 79 W. 552 ft.; thence N. 79-20 W. 347 ft. to an old Bridge over Branch a corner between J. T. Harris, and Howard Harris, thence along the various courses of Meadow Branch to the beginning, containing 943 acres, according to a survey made in 1915 by W. C. Dresbach, C. E., which plot is duly of record in Map Book 1 at page 47 of the Pitt County Registry.

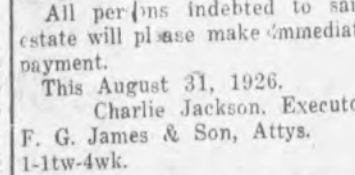
This sale is made by reason of failure of John Thomas Harris and wife, Vivian P. Harris, to pay off and discharge the indebtedness secured by said deed of trust to the North Carolina Joint Stock Land Bank of Durham. This the 11th day of August, 1926. The First National Company, Inc., Trustee, formerly The First National Trust Company, Durham, N. C. 30-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS

Having this day qualified as executor on the estate of Mamie Jackson, late of Greenville, Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the estate to present them to the undersigned within twelve months from this date, or this notice will be placed in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment. This August 31, 1926. Charlie Jackson, Executor F. G. James & Son, Attys. 1-1tw-4wk.

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CALL BENNETT FOR SATISFACTORY CLEANING, PRESSING, DYEING, PHONE 27. 31-4f.

FRESH FISH EVERY DAY, wholesale or retail, young chickens, eggs, country produce, vegetables. Anything in the grocery line. C. T. Oakley, Phone 24. 17-f

FOR GOOD TABLE OILCLOTH come to Home Furniture Co.

WANTED — ROOMERS AND boarders. Mrs. J. A. White, 217 Cotanch street. 28-6f.

I WISH TO ANNOUNCE THAT I have just received a car load of the new model Singer Machines. Both Electric and Treadle Machines, and will be glad to take one to your home for free demonstration. It costs you nothing to try one. See J. A. Johnson, Greenville, N. C., Agent for Pitt County. Sat-Mon-Wed

WANTED—SEPT. 10th, FOR general housework, neat, intelligent woman. Must be good laundress. Have electric labor-savers. Family, 3; wages \$11. Give references. Mrs. R. H. Harris, 2336 Spring Ave., Elkins Park, Philadelphia, Pa. 31-2f

PEARS FOR SALE—\$1.00 PER bushel. Select hand picked, \$1.50 per bushel for next 10 days. L. C. Arthur 37-6f

WANTED—POSITION TO DO stenographic or general office work. "R. S." this office. 30-3f

FOR RENT—TWO ROOMS AND kitchenette on Greene street. Apply to Mrs. Louise Greene. 30-4f

WANTED AT ONCE—GIRL TO do a little housework and make herself useful in custom tailoring shop. Must be neat, active and intelligent. See Wm. Size, Custom Tailor for Men and Women, 3rd and Cotanche Sts., On black East of Postoffice. 31-3f

STOLEN—OFF STREETS OF Greenville, Aug. 30th, Ford Touring car, 1922 model. Motor No. 11779835, License No. 310-842. Has large steering wheel. Practically new top and left front fender has been bent. If found notify C. C. Waters at Young's Store, or Chief of Police Lester Jones, Greenville, N. C., and receive reward. 31-3f

FOR SALE—SINGER SEWING machine. Price \$35.00. 500 E. 5th St. 1-3f

FOR RENT—BARN, STABLES, dairy room and all equipment as required by law for a No. "A" Dairy. Will rent reasonable. See me at once at Mrs. Bud Nobles, Dickinson Ave. Mrs. J. A. Wingate. 1-2f

WANTED — GOOD TOBACCO grader. Apply J. G. Taylor, at residence on Eighth street. 1-4f

EXPERT YOUNG LADY STENO-grapher, nine years experience desired position. Highest references. Box 62, Kinston, N. C. 1-3f

LOST — AT FIVE POINTS —spectacles, tortois shell frame, in brown leather case bearing name "Sime, Washington, D. C." Return to Reflector office and receive reward. 1-3f

FOR SALE—WHOLE & SKIM milk, cream and butter/fat. Regular milk customers wanted. Phone 309-W. Mrs. M. L. Turpage. 1-3f

POSITION WANTED BY A settled lady who has had experience as bookkeeper and general office work. Address Box 44, City. 1-4f

FOR RENT—TWO COMFORT-able bedrooms in desirable home. Mrs. W. L. Hall, Phone 681-W. 1-4f

LOST—THIS MORNING—A BIG brown stuffed dog with blue ribbon around neck. Finder please return to Mrs. H. A. White, Greene street. 1-2f

\$600 Building lot 50x130 ft. Sidewalk paid for. All conveniences. 4th street. Easy terms. See it today. L. J. SMITH Real Estate—Insurance 107 East 4th St Phone 303

PITTSBURGH TO ASK WATER WAY TO GREAT LAKES

Campaign is Started to Build a \$75,000,000 Canal From Ohio River; Steel and Coal Products Need Further Outlet to Handle Shipping

Pittsburgh, Sept. 1.—(INS)—Pittsburgh, heart of the nation's greatest steel and coal industries, seeks a waterway to the Great Lakes.

A concentrated movement today was being formulated to build a \$75,000,000 canal from the headwaters of the Ohio River to Lake Erie. Mindful that two great natural waterways, the Monongahela and Allegheny Rivers flowing into a third, the Ohio, have brought to Pittsburgh the great bulk of Western Pennsylvania's raw products of iron and coal, to be blasted into steel products which have made the city the workshop of the world, Pittsburgh capitalists are taking steps to exploit a fourth waterway which would make the city a virtual lake port.

Visionaries picture the canal lined with mills and blast furnaces, as are the Monongahela and Allegheny today—vast roaring furnaces which line the river banks for miles on both sides, and out of which pour steel products to be shipped to the far corners of the world.

The movement will be formally introduced at a hearing before the United States Army Board of Engineers in Washington, late this month.

Originally the outgrowth of a five-year fight by the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce and allied interests against what was termed discriminatory freight rates on lake cargo coal, the movement has since presented itself as a new field of exploitation much as the harnessing of the Monongahela and Allegheny Rivers brought the State's natural resources into Pittsburgh to build the nucleus of such great fortunes as those of Carnegie and the Mellon interests.

"The enterprise is no longer an alternative to freight rates relief," a spokesman for the plan pointed out.

Coal operators here realize that coal freight rates, at best, are subject to conditions in other parts of the country. The opposition to changes in Pittsburgh district freight rates voiced by midwestern and southern interests, was doubtless born of economic necessity in those places.

"The canal idea is not merely to escape a temporary condition in the coal industry, but to open up new fields of enterprise for Pittsburgh's capital.

"A waterway such as the Lake Erie and Ohio River canal would provide an assured means of transportation now and in the future, removed from regulation by the Interstate Commerce Commission, and would save the coal industry alone in a few years the cost of building the canal.

"This is without considering the great value to Pittsburgh and the coal, iron and oil fields it represents, of a Great Lakes outlet for its products."

The canal, as planned, would be 106 miles long. The approaches to the city, long considered an impregnable natural fort in the early history of the country, are lined with solid walls of rock. Through hills of this description engineers would have to blast a deep cut to bring the head of the canal to the headwaters of the Ohio, where it meets the Allegheny and Monongahela at the lower end of Pittsburgh's business district.

NORFOLK SOUTHERN R. R. Announces Popular Excursion to Savannah, Ga. and Florida Points Friday, September 3, 1926

From	Savannah	Jacksonville
Edenton	\$12.50	\$16.50
Elizabeth City	12.50	16.50
Greenville	11.50	15.25
Kinston	11.50	15.25
New Bern	11.50	14.50
Plymouth	11.50	15.25
Washington	11.50	15.25
Wilson	11.00	14.50

Fares 10 points below will be amounts higher than Jacksonville as shown:

Arcadia, Fla.	\$ 7.00
Auburndale, Fla.	7.00
Avon Park	7.00
Bartow	7.00
Boca Grand	7.00
Bradenton	7.00
Bonita Springs	7.00
Daytona	2.75
Fort Lauderdale	9.50
Fort Meyers	7.00
Havana Cuba	34.25
Hollywood	9.50
Jacksonville Beach	.50
Key West, Fla.	16.75
Lakeland	7.00
Lake Wales	7.00
Miami	10.00
Moorehaven	7.00
Ocala	2.75
Okeechobee	7.00
Palmetto	7.00
St. Augustine	1.50
St. Petersburg	7.00
Sarasota	7.00
Sebring	7.00
Tampa	7.00
West Lake Wales	7.00
West Palm Beach	9.00
Winter Haven	7.00

Tickets sold September 3, 1926, with limit of September 10th to Savannah, Jacksonville Beach, St. Augustine, Ocala, Daytona and Jacksonville, to Key West, September 17, to Havana, September 21, and to other points, September 14.

HAY FEVER

Hay Fever cannot exist in the body after Chiropneumatic adjustments have corrected the cause. Start your adjustments a week ahead of the time for hay fever to attack you. Others have been cured. Your case should prove no exception.

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LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Duncan, of Red Springs have returned home after a visit to Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Duncan, and Mr. and Mrs. Closs W. Hearn. Mrs. J. L. Duncan is a sister of Mrs. Hearn, and Mr. J. L. Duncan is a brother of Mr. H. H. Duncan.

Johnson Dees returned to Buies Creek Academy yesterday to resume his studies.

Mrs. M. A. Whichard, of Stokes spent today with Mrs. D. J. Whichard.

Rev. and Mrs. L. R. O'Brien and family left this afternoon for a visit in Oxford.

Hon. Lindsay Warren and Herbert Bonner, of Washington, were here yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Boyd, Jr., has returned from a visit in New York and Philadelphia.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Chaney and family, of Akron, Ohio, are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. H. Woodard in College View.

Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Breth, of Akron, Ohio, are visiting their sister, Mrs. J. H. Woodard in College View.

Ensign E. W. Armentrout, of Rappahannock, Va., and Jack Howard of Wake Forest, are visiting Ben Dixon here.

Willis Whichard, of Stokes, was here today.

Mrs. J. A. Collins and little son, John, Jr., have returned from a visit to her parents at Newton Grove.

Miss Helene Higgs is visiting friends in High Point and Danville.

PRAYER MEETING
CHRISTIAN CHURCH TONIGHT

Prayer meeting tonight in the Christian church at 8 o'clock. Mr. Henry Fleming will conduct the service. The public is cordially invited.

MID-WEEK PRAYER SERVICE
AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

At the regular prayer service this evening, the pastor, having returned from his vacation, will have charge and the topic will be "The Unanswered Prayer of Jesus." Every member is urged to attend this service.

MR. MARTIN LEAVES
FOR NEW YORK

R. E. Martin, of McKay, Washington and Company, left today for Suffolk, Va. From there he will go to New York to purchase fall stock for the local firm.

MRS. GAYLORD ENTERTAINS
BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. L. W. Gaylord was hostess to her bridge club yesterday afternoon at Hill Home Drug Company. As decorations cut flowers were used.

As the guests arrived they were served Coca Colas and cheese wafers.

Mrs. Richard Speight, making the top score, was awarded a bunch of peafowl feathers. Mrs. T. A. Galbraith, of Kingston, was remembered with a box of powder. Following the game a tempting ice course was served.

Mrs. T. A. Galbraith, Kingston; Mrs. Richard Speight, Mrs. N. O. Warren, Mrs. E. G. Garrett, Mrs. C. A. Brown, Mrs. J. S. Ficklen, Mrs. C. W. Schuff and Mrs. Macklin were guests.

REV. AND MRS. W. S. HARDEN RETURN

Rev. and Mrs. W. S. Harden returned last evening from a two weeks vacation at Montreat, the beautiful conference grounds of the Southern Presbyterian church located just 18 miles east of Asheville. They report a delightful visit, and having heard some of the greatest speakers of the Presbyterian church in the United States. They are back home, glad to be here, and ready to do their full part to make Greenville the most spiritual community in the state.

HE WON THE BEST

"I was skeptical of all medicines and doctors. A friend advised me to take Poslam and assured me it had cured him of his stomach trouble. I didn't take any stock in it and he bet me \$30 that it would be equally successful in my case. He won the bet." It is a simple harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Sold by all the leading druggists.

POST-WAR VIENNA
PICTURED IN FILM

A picture of post-war Vienna, once the gayest city in Austria

empire, is shown in "The Greater Glory," June Mathis' super feature for First National release. The picture is on its way to White's Theatre and will be shown here Thursday.

"The Greater Glory" is an adaptation of Edith O'Shaughnessy's famous novel, "The Viennese Medley." More than a year was spent on its production by Miss Mathis and a large company.

Miss Mathis, well-known screen writer, produced "The Greater Glory." She is famous for preparing the script of "The Four Horsemen," which also brought renown to Rex Ingram and Rudolph Valentino.

The picture shows the changes in the lives of a well-to-do Viennese family before and after the war. The scene in the picture are authentic, and give a new insight into conditions in war-torn Austria not hitherto revealed.

Heading an exceedingly large cast are Anna Q. Nilsson, Conway Tearle, Ian Keith, May Allison, Jean Hershot and Lucy Beaumont. Miss Beaumont, a comparatively newcomer to the screen, portrays a remarkable character, that of a kindly, unworldly maiden aunt who is the protecting angel of a large family of relatives and friends. More than 300 character women were tried out for the part before Miss Beaumont was selected.

Cur Refld directed the production. This is his first picture although he has been associated with the screen for more than a decade.

Shocks France

Bastion Guyot, wealthy French broker, was accused of strangling Marie Louise Deulaguet, a French peasant girl, while motoring with her. The crime shocked France.

(International News)

FINE WHEAT CROP
RAISED IN STATE

State College Expert Gives Timely Advice to Farmers Who Would Make Most of Crop

Raleigh, Sept. 1.—(AP)—The wonderful crop of wheat produced in Piedmont North Carolina this past spring was due to the cool, dry May which resulted in a lack of rust, according to G. M. Garren, cereal agronomist at State College, who added that the fine yield secured last season will be responsible for a greatly increased acreage this fall.

"We have found that the fundamental problem growing wheat in North Carolina is a rust problem. All other problems are secondary. We may comply with all conditions for producing a bumper crop, yet if weather conditions in May favor the development of rust, the crop will be poor. There is no remedy for rust but there are preventatives which may be used which will benefit the crop," Mr. Garren declared.

The three preventatives for rust as outlined by Mr. Garren are: First, wheat must be planted only in well drained, compact, upland soil. Poorly drained land favors development of rust. Second, some varieties of wheat are more rust resistant than others. Falcaster and Glenison are equally rust resistant, experiment station tests show. Third, some varieties, by reason of their earliness, escape heavy ravages of rust. Purple Staw and Alabama Blue Stem are two early varieties which Mr. Garren finds to be of value in this respect.

Mr. Garren urged all growers to take advantage of these three preventatives, they will find them to be of valuable aid in overcoming destruction of the crop by rust.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Susie H. Cobb, deceased, late of Pitt County, North Carolina, this is to notify all persons having claims against the state of said deceased to exhibit them to the undersigned or his attorney on or before the 20 day of August, 1927, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This the 20th day of August, 1926.

W. C. Cobb, Adm'r of Susie H. Cobb, Dec'd.
H. D. Hardison, Atty.
20-1tw-6wk.



LITTLE OLD RED SCHOOL HOUSES ONLY A MEMORY

Illinois Teachers Discuss Dwindling Influence of Country Teachers; Attendance Falls Off As Equipment Is Improved in Village and City Schools

Springfield, Ill., Sept. 1.—(INS)—The day of the country school and its sphere of influence is on the wane. The Little Red School House is mostly a memory.

This, the Illinois State Teachers' Association believes is due to many things, chief among which it lists short terms, poor equipment, untrained teachers, insufficient supervision, small attendance and oftentimes social isolation. The country school, the association believes, has failed to keep pace with the city and village schools.

To support this theory the teachers point to an address delivered by ex-governor of Illinois, Frank D. Lowden, admittedly a leader of thought in things agricultural and rural.

"I recall the country school of my early days. It was the center of a genuine community life. The school house was a simple structure, plain and unadorned. But the country school itself was a different thing from what it is today. There were pupils enough in each district to make the school a vital thing. It was large enough to stimulate group spirit.

"How changed the country school of today! The population in the school district, due largely to improved farm machinery, has steadily declined. The country school has therefore lost its old vitality and its old importance in the life of the people. At the same time the rural school has been undergoing this evolution the schools in the towns and cities constantly have improved.

"The farmer and his wife, and their children know of the superiority of the city school over the country school. The time, therefore, has come when we must strive to carry the conditions of living upon the farm and in the towns and cities. We shall be unable to maintain much longer a double standard of living in the United States as we have in recent years.

"If the inequalities which now exist shall continue we shall not much longer be able to keep the normal home and plots on the farm. The trend of the future is already under way. If it shall go on as planned it has in the last few years the next generation will witness a farm population largely composed

of the physically and mentally unfit."

Such an opinion from a man like Lowden, the teachers contend, should stir congress and state legislatures to action in behalf of improved country schools.

ARMY FLIER DIES FROM INJURIES

Lieutenant Cyrus Bettis Dies From Wounds Received in Plane Fall Last Week

Was'gton, Sept. 1.—(AP)—Lieutenant Cyrus K. Bettis, Army flier, injured in a crash in Pennsylvania last week, died today at Walter Reed Hospital.

Death resulted from spinal meningitis, which developed after the flier was believed to be on his way to recovery.

He was brought to the hospital several days ago in an ambulance airplane from Bellefonte, Pa., where his accident and injury took place.

NOTICE OF ADMINISTRATION

Notice is hereby given, that I have qualified as administrator of the estate of Richard Forbes. All persons indebted to the estate are requested to make prompt payment to me. All persons having claims against the estate are hereby notified to file their claims with me, duly verified and itemized, within twelve (12) months from this date, or this notice will be pleaded at the bar thereof.

This the 2nd day of August, 1926.

SHARPER FORBES, Adm'r.
7-1tw-4wks.

TRY OUR WANT ADS

NOTICE

State of North Carolina County of Pitt

Before John Ivey Smith, Esq. In Justice of Peace Court

Mamie Ruth Tunstall vs. A. Frankel

To the defendant A. Frankel: You will hereby take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced against you by above named plaintiff, and that summons was issued herein

against you on the 12th day of August, 1926, by John Ivey Smith, Esq., a Justice of the Peace in Greenville Township, Pitt County, for the sum of \$200.00, due Plaintiff by contract for rent, and you will further take notice that a warrant of attachment has this day been issued against your property in the town of Greenville consisting of that certain stock of goods, wares and merchandise in that store on Evans street, and known as The Carolina Shoe Store.

And you will further take notice that this summons together with said warrant of attachment is returnable before John Ivey Smith, Esq., of Greenville Township, Pitt County, at his office in Greenville on the 13th day of September, 1926; and you will further take notice that if you fail to appear as required at the office of the undersigned, Justice of the Peace of said County, Greenville township on said 13th day of September, 1926, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, said plaintiff will move for the relief demanded in said complaint; and that property herein attached be applied to satisfaction of plaintiff's judgment.

Given under my hand this 12th day of August, 1926.

John Ivey Smith Justice of the Peace

Atty D. M. Clark 14-1tw-4wk.

NOTICE OF SUMMONS AND WARRANT OF ATTACHMENT

North Carolina—Pitt County In the Superior Court

Ben Gordon vs. A. Frankel

To the Defendant A. Frankel: You will hereby take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced against you by the plaintiff above named in the Superior Court of Pitt County to recover of you the sum of Four Hundred Dollars, being for salary due the plaintiff for ten weeks service as shoe salesman in your employ, and you will further take notice that a warrant of attachment has this day been issued against your property in the town of Greenville, consisting of that certain stock of goods, wares, and merchandise in that store on Evans street, in the town of Greenville, and known as the Carolina Shoe Store.

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And you will further take notice that this summons together with said warrant of attachment is returnable before John Ivey Smith, Esq., of Greenville Township, Pitt County, at his office in Greenville on the 13th day of September, 1926; and you will further take notice that if you fail to appear as required at the office of the undersigned, Justice of the Peace of said County, Greenville township on said 13th day of September, 1926, and answer or demur to the complaint of the plaintiff, said plaintiff will move for the relief demanded in said complaint; and that property herein attached be applied to satisfaction of plaintiff's judgment.

Given under my hand this 12th day of August, 1926.

John Ivey Smith Justice of the Peace

Atty D. M. Clark 14-1tw-4wk.

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Leland T. Stancill, 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 or his attorney on or before the 19th day of August, 1927, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate will please make immediate payment.

This August 6, 1926.

LUELLA L. STANCILL, Administratrix of Leland T. Stancill.

James L. Evans, Atty.
8-1tw-6wks.

NOTICE

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This the 19th day of August, 1926.

J. A. Tyson, Adm'r. of J. Frank Tyson, Dec'd.
Blount & James, Atty.
19-1tw-6wk.

TRY OUR WANT ADS

NOTICE

State of North Carolina County of Pitt

Before John Ivey Smith, Esq. In Justice of Peace Court

Mamie Ruth Tunstall vs. A. Frankel

To the defendant A. Frankel: You will hereby take notice that an action as above entitled has been commenced against you by above named plaintiff, and that summons was issued herein

against you on the 12th day of August, 1926, by John Ivey Smith, Esq., a Justice of the Peace in Greenville Township, Pitt County, for the sum of \$200.00, due Plaintiff by contract for rent, and you will further take notice that a warrant of attachment has this day been issued against your property in the town of Greenville consisting of that certain stock of goods, wares and merchandise in that store on Evans street, and known as The Carolina Shoe Store.

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Daily News Letter

Gossip of Staff Correspondents at World Centers of Population.

San Francisco, Sept. 1.—(INS)—Extensive use of the oil-electric locomotive for logging in the West was seen today when it was learned that the 100-ton engine of this newest type of railroad power ordered by the Red River Lumber Company for service in timber land operations was on its way from Schenectady, N. Y., to Westwood, Cal.

The new locomotive will be the first of its kind to be operated on the Pacific Coast and, according to Red River Lumber officials, the first in the lumber industry in the United States.

Of the internal combustion type, the new locomotive uses low grade fuel oil which drives an electric generator. The generator in turn moves powerful motors fastened to the axles of the driving wheels. The new type of locomotive is said to be a tremendous weight puller and economical in operation.

The locomotive, which is of 800 horsepower, will be used to haul logs of from six to eight feet in diameter over steep grades from the timberlands of the Red River Company's holdings to the lumber center at Westwood. The locomotive was designed and built by the American Locomotive, Ingersoll-Rand and General Electric companies.

One feature valuable in logging operations is that the new engine gives forth no smoke or sparks. In addition it uses little water and is said to be particularly suited to lumber work.

Marking completion of the Southern Pacific's new Cascade line between Klamath Falls and Eugene, in Oregon, "trail to rail" pageant and celebration was staged at Eugene, Ore., recently. The pageant, written by Prof. W. P. G. Thatcher of the University of Oregon, depicted the evolution and history of transportation in the Northwest. More than 3,000 people were included in the cast of the pageant. Ezra Meeker, famous Oregon Trail pioneer, was a

character in the historical play. He was also grand marshal of the parade which preceded the pageant. Among the transportation vehicles in the pageant were Indian pole drags, ox teams, burros, corered wagons, stage coaches, buckboard, buggies, canoes, ships, high-wheeled bicycles, horses, rail-way locomotives and coaches, and airplanes. The new Cascade line will be open for local train service early in September and through train service is expected to be inaugurated later in the year.

One of the latest San Francisco bay bridge plans being considered by the San Francisco board of supervisors is the one put forth by the New York and San Francisco Development Company, of which Major General George W. Goethals, former chief of engineers of the United States Army and builder of the Panama Canal is consulting and advisory engineer.

The proposed Goethals bridge would run from Hunter's Point, two or three miles south of the Ferry Building, taking off between the drydocks there, to the foot of High street, Alameda, six and one half miles across San Francisco bay. It would have several cantilever spans of 750 feet across the main channel to a point about 3600 feet out in the bay from the pierhead line, and from that point on would be a series of 250-foot simple spans.

Cost of the project ranges from \$40,000,000 for a vehicular bridge; \$60,000,000 for a combined vehicular and rapid transit bridge, and \$85,000,000 for a bridge to include heavy transcontinental rail traffic. According to Herbert L. Rotchild, vice-president of the company, the Goethals structure conforms to war department rulings and naval requirements.

Arguments in Mitchell Case Started Today

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ing, but that he was not a drunk en man. Mansfield Hollingsworth, clerk at the Proctor Hotel, testified that Mitchell registered at the hotel after supper Saturday night May 8. He stated he did not notice Mitchell's condition when he first entered the hotel, but that late Saturday night he saw him in the lobby of the hotel and that he appeared to have been

drinking but he could not say how much. He testified that he saw Mitchell again Sunday night and again he appeared to be drinking. Monday morning Mitchell again appeared to have been drinking, the witness testified, but following the marriage ceremony he came into his room in the hotel and borrowed money from him. He stated that both before and after the marriage on Monday morning, Mitchell was apparently in possession of his faculties and knew what he was doing. When asked when was the first time he had ever seen the defendant this witness stated that he was in the hotel Tuesday or Wednesday prior to Saturday, May 8.

At this stage Mitchell took the witness stand in his own defense and the remainder of the afternoon session was consumed with his direct testimony and a grueling cross examination. He testified that on Monday, May 3, he left Greensboro for Washington, N. C. He stated that on the following Saturday he wired his wife in Greensboro that he would be home late that night. He then went fishing, he said, and upon his return took several drinks and then left Washington, coming to Greenville. He was drunk when he arrived at the hotel here, he declared, and soon after his arrival here he procured more whiskey and proceeded to get drunker. The next morning he got up and went down to eat breakfast with Mr. Hollingsworth, he said, but had not recovered from his drinking of the night before and was unable to eat. He then procured more whiskey and took several more drinks, he said. During the morning he met Miss Moore in front of the post office which was the first time he had seen her since his arrival in Greenville, he said. The witness stated that during Sunday he went to ride with Miss Moore in company with Judge Bland but he was unable to say whether it was during the morning or afternoon. When they got out of Judge Bland's car, Mitchell testified, he and Miss Moore got into his car and went to someone's house, but whose, he could not say.

Here, he stated, apricot brandy was served but he testified he apparently did all the drinking, as he drained the only three glasses of the beverage brought into the room. A few minutes later, the man of the house called him out and took a bottle of whiskey from his pocket and offered him a drink. Mitchell declared he

said, "You drink first," but the man stated that he did not care for any, so he, Mitchell, again drank alone. Mitchell declared that following this drinking he remembered nothing further that transpired until he found himself riding along the country road in company with Miss Moore. Upon questioning, he said, he learned from her that it was then Wednesday, that he was enroute to Henderson from Wake Forest and that on the previous Monday morning he had been married to Miss Moore. He testified that upon arrival in Henderson, he registered himself and Miss Moore as man and wife at the hotel, went to the room and had lunch with her and then left her. He then went home to Greensboro to his wife and children, he said.

Under cross examination by former Judge Albion Dunn, the witness stuck to his story of his loss of memory following his drinking Sunday afternoon. He denied all knowledge of having visited the home of Rev. H. F. Jones Sunday night, remembered seeing no one that night and knew nothing of the ceremony performed Monday, nor his visit in company with Miss Moore to Raleigh and Wake Forest between that time and Wednesday when, he found himself nearing Henderson. Upon being asked if he communicated with Miss Moore on Saturday night before he saw her Sunday morning, he admitted having talked to her over the telephone but was unable to say whether he called her, she called him, or someone else placed the call.

He declared he did not know whose home he visited on Sunday afternoon, nor did he know where same was located. He said all he knew was that there was a man and his wife there and he and Miss Moore, and he stated that he could not identify the couple if they were in the court room. All he knew of the visit he declared, was that he drank apricot brandy and whiskey there. He acknowledged his signature on the hotel registers of the Wake Forest and Henderson hotels. He declared he knew none of the witnesses for the defense except members of the Moore family and knew them only from former acquaintance.

None of the witnesses for the defense were summoned by him nor upon his instructions, he said, and declared that he knew not who had summoned them. The entire morning session of court today was taken up with the continuation of the case. The

defense put on several witnesses including Mrs. J. M. Mitchell, Jr., wife of the defendant, and several witnesses for the prosecution, including Miss Ward Moore, prosecuting witness.

While most of the testimony was in corroboration of testimony offered yesterday it was also brought out that the licenses were purchased by H. S. Ragsdale upon instructions of Mitchell and that the money for same had been given him by Mitchell. Other witnesses testified that Mitchell was in this city Friday and Saturday prior to the wedding and that on each of these occasions he was in company with Miss Moore and that he was not drunk. In addition, to testimony supporting that of her husband, Mrs. Mitchell testified that "at times her husband suffered the loss of memory following heavy periods of drinking."

Following the testimony the State presented many character witnesses all of whom testified that the character and reputation of the prosecuting witness were excellent and above reproach. After the introduction of the character witnesses court recessed until 2:30 this afternoon.

YALE SPENDING MORE THAN MILLION ON NEW UNIVERSITY BUILDINGS

New Haven, Conn., Sept. 1.—(AP)—Like a town that has suffered from shell fire is a great section of the University district here as Yale University proceeds with spending ten millions or so in erecting additional buildings for its plant.

Forty separate buildings are in various stages of wreckage, the structures ranging from two to five stories in height and most of them landmarks at Yale.

In one section half a million brick, taken from these buildings, are stacked in great squares almost resembling an ammunition dump, and daily the piles are expanding as the wreckers progress. Fan lights and mullioned windows are stacked up where the man who seeks such things for a genuine Colonial house may find and purchase them, and doors of genuine artistic design are on display. For the buildings Yale is razing were once the homes of the elite here.

The chief razing jobs now under way are to make clear the sites for the six million Sterling Memorial Library, and the two million art school, gift of anonymous friends of Yale.

SEN. W. B. M'KINLEY IS CRITICALLY ILL

Physicians Hold But Scant Hope for Recovery of Illinois Senator

Martinsville, Ind., Sept. 1.—(AP)—Senator William B. McKinley, of Illinois, was in a critical condition here today with physicians holding out scant hope for his recovery. The Senator was brought here from Washington about two weeks upon the advice of his physician.

He had been confined to bed since shortly after the Illinois primary. Relatives from Illinois and Washington have gathered at the bedside of the stricken Senator, who, due to his advanced age, is said to be showing little resistance to his trouble. He has a congestion of the lungs brought about by other condition of a rheumatic nature.

MARKET CLOSE

(By C. A. White & Co.)
Wheat, Sept. 132 3-8 1-2; Dec. 136 1-8 1-4; May 141 1-8 1-4.
Corn, Sept. 75 5-8; Dec. 82 5-8; May 89 1-8.
Oats, Sept. 36 5-8 3-4; Dec. 40 3-4 7-8; May 45 3-8 1-2.
Rye, Sept. 94 3-4 bid; Dec. 100 1-4B; May 100 3-8B.

TODAY

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corporations. A cynical corporation lawyer said "The only favor a little man can do me, is to get run over, so that I may defend the corporation that runs over him."

A German has now conquered the channel, the sixth man to do so, and his record beats that of Gertrude Ederle by more than an hour. Henceforth channel swimmers must find their reward in good exercise. The world will offer no special rewards of praise or publicity. Webb and Ederle will be remembered, the others

forgotten. Someone said it was a brave man that first swallowed an oyster. But subsequent oyster eaters could not expect praise.

In New Jersey a bootlegger's still is found with a big supply of interesting whiskey. Analysis shows it to be 180 proof, with one part of ether to four parts of alcohol. The ether causes prompt stupefaction. That particular whiskey is called "undertaker's delight." Other bootleg whiskey deserves the same name, and yet millions buy it and drink it.

If prohibition and bootlegging accomplishes nothing else, they will reduce the number of fools, by a ping actual.

Living pictures is the greatest religious advertisement. A well planned religious moving picture might do more than many ser-

mons. The Rev. H. H. McQuilkin, Orange, N. J., says religion is for the highbrow, or the rich man. "The spirit of salvation is for the innocent." That makes the advertising problem the more difficult for the rich are needed to finance the campaign, and the highbrows to write it.

Fraudulent bankruptcies, organized with special managers and a vocabulary of their own, cost the nation two hundred and fifty millions a year. Fraudulent stock, bogus seals, oil wells, mines, real estate and other get rich quick grands cost the public more than a billion a year. Bootleg whiskey takes another billion and many lives. The miracle is that any of the people have anything left for old age.

White's Theatre Today

Robert Frazer, Clara Bow in "THE SCARLET WEST"
Real Indians—real Frontiersmen. Real wild western horses—all in a picture filmed where the west was made. The one big faithful picturization of the land of every true American's dreams. Also Our Gang Comedy, "SHOOTING INJUNS"
Prices, all day, 10 and 25c.

THURSDAY

"THE GREATER GLORY"
WITH CONWAY TEARLE AND ANNA Q. NILSSON
The finest array of talent that has appeared in any single picture at this theatre. Also a two-reel comedy, "MIGHTY LIKE A ROSE"
Prices, mat. 10-30c, night 10-30-40c

Announce Opening Of Ladies' Ready-to-Wear, Millinery and Gents Furnishing Store

We take this opportunity to announce to the buying public that our store on Dickerson Avenue opposite the National Bank will open for business FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 3. Our stock is not yet complete but we are receiving daily new DRESSES, COATS, AND MILLINERY and can supply your needs.

We also take pleasure in announcing that Mrs. R. L. Crow, of this city, will be in charge of our ladies' department and render you efficient service.

Williams-Chapman, Inc.

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