

# \$3,521,000 INCREASE.

### Report of Comptroller of Currency On State Banks.

INDIVIDUAL DEPOSITS TOTAL \$17,578,000.

The Past Year Was Big One For Tar Heel Banks—Figures Show a Strong Commercial Pulse.

The past year has been one of great prosperity to the banks of North Carolina as the following figures from the report of the Comptroller of Currency on State banks will show.

During the past year the individual deposits in the 52 national banks North Carolina now aggregate 7,578,000. These figures are taken from the report of the comptroller of the currency on the condition of the national banks of the state at the close of business September 4. Compared with the corresponding statement a year ago, individual deposits have increased \$3,521,000.

Cash resources have jumped from \$6,498,594 to \$33,829,856.

A year ago the loans and discounts of the national banks of North Carolina were a little in excess of six million dollars. They now aggregate \$21,207,300.

The surplus fund has increased \$1,000, now footing up to \$2,820,000.

The present holdings of gold coin amount to \$365,357 as compared with \$330,664.

United States deposits in the state have increased in the twelve months from \$385,482 to \$745,996, and the undivided profits, less expense and taxes, from \$900,292 to \$1,000. The percentage of legal reserve to deposits is 16.63, a decline from 17.1 per cent.

### TEACHER WEEPS.

William Siler Breaks Down In Announcing the Death of Dr. McIver.

Angier, N. C., Sept. 27.—In announcing the death of Dr. Chas. D. McIver, president of the State Normal and Industrial College, Captain Siler, the teacher broke down in tears.

### Stanley Notes.

On The Enterprise.

M. Dry, of Albemarle, left today for Charlotte to accept a position with the Southern Express Company.

Miners from a distance are prospecting around New London, where it is rumored some lucky strikes are being made.

Miss Jennie Deese, of Cottonville, and Mr. Richard Foreman, of Port Hope, were married Sunday, Sept. 27.

The Wiscasset Band, of Albemarle, is making fine progress under management of Mr. Barrier.

Mr. W. C. Fitzgerald, of Charlotte, Va., has decided to locate at Charlotte to practice dentistry.

Catherine, the infant of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Eflord, died September 24, after an illness of three days.

### WE COULD ONLY KNOW! TOMACH TROUBLE AND NERVOUSNESS CURED.

Four years ago my general health went away. I was afflicted with a distressing stomach trouble, and did not touch solid food of any kind. For one year I could vomit anything I would swallow, even water to medicine and water. My stomach would not retain a thing. One can know what I suffered from weakness, dizziness, shortness of breath and nervousness. I often felt it would be so much better if I died and got out of my suffering. Oh and on I was under doctor's treatment for three years. I can only say that doctor's medicine did me no good. Then a good fate put one of Mrs. Perry's pamphlets in my hands, and I where so many had been cured were as bad off as I was. I got a bottle of the Remedy, and from my first dose I took I knew I struck the right thing. It was first medicine I ever took that did me good. For the first time in a long time, I was not treated after taking it. I continued until I took thirteen bottles, it made a perfect cure of me. I have been a year since I was cured. I know I am well. I recommend it to every one who has stomach trouble, and to all who have indigestion, as it cured my brother's indigestion. He tried to get me to take it long before I did, but I thought, because it will cure rheumatism, because it would cure rheumatism, because it would cure rheumatism, because it would cure rheumatism.

REBECCA TROLLINGER, Newton, N. C., Nov. 11, 1904.

### A MATTER OF HEALTH



### DAVIDSON COUNTY.

Interesting Industrial and Miscellaneous Notes From Neighbor County.

From The Dispatch.

Saturday morning September 22, a white infant was found in a well in the tenement section of Lexington. The identity of the child is unknown.

The Lexington Mirror Co., is ready to begin operation.

Robt. Harvey, member of Co. K. 45th regiment, aged 61 years died last week and was buried at Fork Church Davidson County.

Mrs. W. H. McInturff, after spending a month in Washington and Philadelphia, returned to Thomasville last week accompanied by her mother who will spend some time visiting her daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cramer and Miss Helen Julia returned to their home at Thomasville last week from a months visit to relatives and friends in different cities in the state of Ohio.

We hear that the Conrad Hill gold mine, including the Clayton and Dodge Hill parts, is now all owned by one company, and that this company will begin to operate the property as soon as possible. The work will be under the direction of Mr. Jno. F. McKee, who is a miner of many years experience. This valuable property has not been worked since the war, or if any, very little.—The Dispatch.

Mr. W. H. Rounsaville, who used to live here and fifteen years ago conducted a grocery store, was in Lexington last week. He has moved from Randolph county to Apex, N. C., where he will run a hardware store.

### CONDENSED FOR BUSY READERS.

The Vega Suit Case and Bag Co. of Philadelphia, has finally decided to locate the trunk factory at Lexington.

A tropical hurricane swept the cities along the Gulf of Mexico, last Friday doing great damage to property between New Orleans and Pensacola, Fla. At Pensacola the wind reached its height and \$3,000,000 worth of property is in ruins.

Bernard O'Neal, who was shot at the University last week while attempting to seize a fellow student is recovering. James Hatch, who died the shooting, has been released.

In seven Southern states in which the Bell Telephone and Telegraph Co. operates they now have more than 100,000 phones in use.

Late reports from the explosion at Jellico, Tenn., say the condition is more serious than at first expected. Contributions of money and clothing are asked for by the mayor of the Tennessee town as well as that of Jellico, Ky., adjoining.

J. C. Nail, independent candidate for Sheriff of Rowan County, who is largely endorsed by the Republicans of that county, says their recent convention was Boss ridden.

Cabarrus Republican's met at Concord the 22nd inst. and nominated a partial county ticket. A resolution endorsing the Democratic nominee W. R. Odell, for the Senate, but the motion was lost eight of. This place will be filled by the boss.

State of Ohio, City of Toledo, Lucas County.

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### THINGS TO KNOW.

Dip half a lemon in salt and rub on knife handles; then wash immediately in warm water, and the handles will be as white as when they were new.

To remove coffee stains, rub the spots with glycerine and water and they will disappear as by magic.

Heat a lemon thoroughly before squeezing, and you will obtain nearly double the quantity of juice that you would if it had not been heated.

If housewives who dislike to find worms when cutting apples would first put the fruit in cold water, they would find that the worms would leave the apples and come to the surface of the water.

After washing lace curtains lay a blanket on the floor in some empty room; spread the curtains on the blanket, stretching them carefully, and they will keep their place without any fastening until dried.

Graniteware can be soldered as easily as tinware by adopting this method: Brush over the edges of the holes to be mended with shellac, both inside and outside, and immediately apply the melted solder, which will adhere firmly.

To keep the neighbor's hens from scratching up your flowers, spread on the ground, close to the rows or clumps of plants, strips of heavy paper, through which, at close intervals, carpet tacks have been pushed up to the head. Lay the paper, point side up, and place flat stones or pieces of brick on its edges to keep it from blowing away.

The very best way to keep violets fresh is not to put them in water, but to throw over them a handkerchief thoroughly wet, and set them in a draught.

### A Real Love Letter.

When I begin a letter to you, the great difficulty is to leave off again. Oh! how warm it makes one feel to know there is one person in the world to whom one is everything! A lover is the most precious, the most marvellous possession. No wonder people like having them! And I need to think that so silly. Heavens! What an absurd person I have been. Why, love is the one thing worth having. Everything else—talents, interests, arts, religion, learning, the whole 'tremblement', are so many drugs with which the starved, the loverless, try to drug their pangs, to put themselves to sleep.

How strange and dreadful love is! Till you know it, you are so sure the world is very good and pleasant up in those serene, frost-bitten regions where you stand alone, breathing the thin air of family affection, shone upon gently by the mild and misty sun of general esteem. Then comes love, and pulls you down. For isn't it a deceiver? Isn't it? Somehow, though it is so great a glory, it's a coming down as well—down from the pride of absolute independence of body and soul, down from the high-mightiness of indifference, to something fierce, hot and consuming.—From "Fraulein Schmidt and Mr. Anstruther" in the October Delinquent.

### Hondlemann Lyceum Course.

A contract has been signed with the Alkhest Lyceum for six of their best attractions to appear here during the fall and winter. Their entertainments come with the highest recommendations, and it is to be hoped that our people will come to the front and help support those who are endeavoring to present here as excellent course of entertainment as can be found in the larger towns of the state.

The workmen are putting the finishing touches to the interior of the three large brick stores on the corner of Main & Ferrie St. These buildings will be occupied by Elliott & Co and W. A. Underwood.

All the cotton mills are running on full time, in fact the business side of Handlemann seems to have taken on a new life due to the prospect of the Randolph Commercial Railroad which it is claimed will be built here within the next 18 months.

Mr. S. G. Newlin, is erecting a cute pretty cottage on the lot adjoining his residence on Main Street.

Mr. James W. Marshall, of Richmond, Va., spent Tuesday night here the guest of his brother, Mr. Thomas E. Marshall.

### Debating Society Organized.

Several boys of the Asheboro Graded School met at the Academy a few nights ago and perfected the organization of a literary and debating society. They will meet once each week. The officers of the society are D. M. Sharp, President and Herndon Moffitt, Secretary. The organization has nineteen members, embracing pupils from the 5th to the 9th grades inclusive.

### Married.

On September 23, 1904, at the residence of Iva Garner, Love Duggel and Miss Rosella Luther, of New Hope township, were united in the holy bonds of matrimony.

James W. Luther, J. P., officiating.

### Another Fair Flower Plucked.

Once again the death angel has visited this lowland of sorrow and taken from our midst one of earth's fairest flowers. On September the 20th we were called to witness the death of little Francis H. Scotten, who died of bronchial pneumonia at the home of his parents John and Eva Scotten.

Little Francis was born at Walsh, Ind. November 5th, 1900, and came to North Carolina with his parents in 1904. He leaves a father, mother two sisters and one brother to mourn their loss. He was preceded to the Heavenly land just seven weeks by his little sister Helen.

All earthly love and skill could not save him. Heaven opened wide her everlasting gates for another one to enter the realms of day and wear a jeweled crown.

Entertainment took place at Mt. Pleasant Church. There while the sun in Heaven was shining in all his glory and brightness we looked for the last time upon his sweet face and laid him to rest to wait the resurrection morning.

Weep not dear parents, though the vacant place in your home can never be filled and your hearts are bleeding for the little one gone on before. For Jesus has said, "suffer little children to come unto me and forbid them not for of such is the kingdom of Heaven."

"A precious one from us has gone, A voice we loved is still, A place is vacant in our home Which never can be filled.

"God in his wisdom has recalled, The child his love had given, And though the body slumbers here The soul is safe in Heaven.

### Among the striking outdoor books of the year Mr. Horace Kephart's book of "Camping and Woodcraft," which The Outing Publishing Company promises during August, is one of the best.

Few men are as well known, as campers or as writers of campers, as is Mr. Kephart. For many years he has spent a large amount of his time in the woods, and his book covers every detail which the novice or the inexperienced camper can care to know about, from the kind of mosquito netting to the quality of tent canvas. The book moreover is written with all the charm of the story.

### Parker-Tomlinson.

The event of the social season at High Point was the marriage of Miss Deborah Tomlinson to Mr. Alvin Parker last Thursday.

The bride is a daughter of Mrs. Anna F. Tomlinson and of rare accomplishments. The groom is a son of Rev. J. R. Parker, popular with all who know him. They are spending their honeymoon in the South.

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By Virtue of an order of sale granted by the Superior Court of Randolph county on the petition of John F. Jarrell Executor of Matthew Jarrell, deceased against C. L. Robbins et al. I shall sell at the courthouse door in Asheboro at 12 o'clock M. on the 27 day of October 1904, the following Real Estate, to-wit: Two tracts of land in Back Creek Township in said county. Tract No. 1 joining the lands of Dr. A. M. Bull, W. F. Redding and C. L. Robbins and others containing 30 acres more or less.

Tract No. 2 being a one fourth interest in 30 acres more or less adjoining the lands of C. L. Robbins, B. K. Trotter and others on one stream of Cataway. Terms cash, to be received till the first or order of the court. This 25th day of Sept. 1904. J. F. JARRELL, Executor and Commissioner.

### NOTICE.

To whom it may concern: I have sold my interest in the Central Falls Store company to my former associates in said company who will continue the business, they to assume all obligations of the former company and collect all accounts owing said company. W. B. WINTER. This 23rd day Sept. 1904.



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