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THE PRESS CONVENTION

The 43rd session of the North Carolina Press Association convened in Durham Tuesday evening.

Alfalfa (Lucerne) is a name known by everyone these days that pretends to be much of a farmer, though it is not a misstatement to say that there are some farmers who are regarded as pretty good ones, who have been fairly successful, but do not know the plant on sight.

When the Deutschland, the German undersea merchantman, slipped into the Chesapeake Bay at 1:45 Sunday morning, after a 3,800 mile run under innumerable dangers and difficulties, there was accomplished one of the most notable sea voyages in the world's history—marking an epoch in navigation.

No effort will be spared to settle the trouble with Mexico without actual resort to arms, but preparation on an adequate scale will not halt until a proper adjustment is effected.

Ever since the first of this month, according to reports; Germany has been losing ground and the allies gaining. It looks like the beginning of the end of the conflict.

Wives To Be Pitied.

In the June Woman's Home Companion a writer says: "I know plenty of women in town who pad their bills and connive with their dressmakers so as to cheat their husbands and get spending money. I also know some country women who can't get their husbands to put running water in the house, who cook on old-fashioned and broken stoves, in inconvenient, badly-arranged kitchens, who have neither vacuum-cleaner, fireless cooker, dishwasher, clotheswasher or anything else to make work easy. They don't even get the egg and butter money, or they might buy these things themselves."

The report of Commissioner of Insurance Young shows that the revenue collected by this department and paid into the State for the fiscal year was \$948,780.90.

The Boone Democrat says that Hodge Ward and Oscar Oliver, of the Valley Mountain section of Watauga county, received a shipment of liquor at Butler, Tenn., and by the time they reached their home community both were very drunk.

Four Constitutional Amendments Voted on Next Fall.

At the election next fall four amendments to the State constitution will be submitted to the voters for ratification. The amendments provide (1) restricting local, private and special legislation; (2) to prevent delays in trials by providing emergency judges; (3) to prevent special charters to corporations by the General Assembly; (4) to prevent special charters to towns, cities and incorporated villages.

Each of the amendments proposed has in it the promise of reducing the expense of the State. Three of them will relieve the General Assembly of attending to various local affairs and give time to pay attention to legislation of State-wide interest.

The amendments to restrict local, private and special legislation would relieve the General Assembly of such matters as establishing county and city courts, appointments of justices of the peace, matters relating to ferries, bridges, non-navigable streams, cemeteries and all that class of county and town legislation which could easily be looked after in the counties and towns.

Alfalfa 9,000 Feet High.

Iredell was the first county in the State to vote a big issue of bonds for the building of good roads, and through having done this, Iredell not only secured a fine system of roads, but gave inspiration to other counties in the State. It begins to look as if Iredell is going to pave the way to a general cultivation of alfalfa in North Carolina.

A sudden attack at night of some form of Bovid complaint may occur to any one. Every family should be provided with a bottle of DR. SETH ARNOLD'S BALSAM. Warranted by Hayes Drug Co. adv.

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Stop Using Dangerous Drug Before it Salivates you! It's Horrible! You're bilious, sluggish, constipated, and believe you need vile, dangerous calomel to start your liver and clean your bowels.

Rabies or Hydrophobia in Animals.

The term "hydrophobia" was employed as a name for the disease of rabies at a time when it was thought that fear of the sight of water was one of the best symptoms in its determination.

It is principally a canine disease, being seen mostly in dogs, and usually transferred from dog to dog, dog to man, or dog to other animals. Only a few animals are not susceptible to it.

The natural manner of transmission of the disease is by means of introducing saliva into or under the skin with the bite of an infected animal. With few exceptions, the bite is from a dog.

The length of time occurring between the bite of the animal and the development of the disease varies from a few weeks to several months in rare instances.

There are two forms of rabies most commonly observed in dogs. One is the "furious" and the other the "dumb," and the terms used are descriptive of the general symptoms of each.

Another and much preferable laboratory test is now in process of development. This consists of taking a sample of blood from a living or healthy person or animal which has been bitten by a diseased animal and submitting the sample to a test.

Democratic campaign headquarters will be opened in Raleigh August 1st. State Chairman Warren says the speaking campaign will not begin until September; that two months of speaking should be sufficient.

English Spavin Liniment removes Hard, Soft and Calloused Lumps and Blemishes from horses; also Blood Spavins, Curbs, Splints, Sweenys, Ring Bone, Stiffes, Sprains, Swollen Throats, Coughs, etc.

Rev. T. W. Chambliss, who recently resigned as pastor of the First Baptist church at Wilson, has purchased an interest in the Asheville Times and has become general manager of that paper.

You Can Cure That Backache.

Pain along the back, dizziness, headache and general languor. Get a package of Mother Gray's Backache Remedy. It is a natural cure for all backache, rheumatism, neuralgia, sciatica, etc.

Rules of Health and Long Life.

John D. Rockefeller, the world's richest man, was 77 years old on the 8th of July. His physician for 25 years is Dr. H. F. Bigger, Sr., of Cleveland, O.

The average span of life has lengthened. Three hundred years ago the average period of life was less than 20 years. Today it is more than 40.

We hear much of diet these days. The chief thing to remember is this: Do not acquire overweight if you would acquire length of years.

Exercise makes it possible for muscle to throw off its waste. Exercising in bed, if practiced every day, is better than 36 holes of golf on a Saturday and a swivel chair the rest of the week.

More energy is stored up in sleep than in any other way. The conditions of sleep have improved. It is customary now to sleep with fresh air, whereas a century ago only supposed freaks risked exposing themselves to night air.

GIVE LOVING CUP FOR BEST MUSICAL COMPOSITION.

To encourage original musical composition in North Carolina and properly recognize work of merit, Mr. H. A. Shirley, dean of music of Salem Academy and College, Winston-Salem, and president of the North Carolina Music Teachers' Association for the year 1915, has announced the offer of a loving cup for the best musical composition during the year ending October 1, 1916.

The cup will be awarded at the next meeting of the North Carolina Music Teachers' Association with the State Teachers' Assembly.

All contestants shall send their manuscripts to the President of the North Carolina Music Teachers' Association, Miss Martha A. Dowd, of Raleigh, on or before October 1, using an assumed name in order that the judges may decide on the merits of each composition before knowing who the composer is.

There is more Catarrh in this section of the country than in any other. It is a disease that is incurable. For a great many years doctors pronounced it incurable and prescribed local remedies, and by continuing to use them for years, the patient pronounced it incurable. Science has proven Catarrh to be a constitutional disease and therefore requires constitutional treatment.

Up to July 6th the State had issued licenses for 22,760 automobiles for the year beginning July 1st. For the year ending on that date 24,460 automobile licenses were issued.

Mr. and Mrs. William Bradley, who live three miles from Old Fort, in McDowell county, celebrated July 1st their diamond wedding—the 75th anniversary of their marriage.

FREE PROTECTION AGAINST Typhoid Fever! Every Citizen in Alamance Should Be Immunized.

It causes no sores, no loss of time. It is safe, almost certain protection convenient, practically painless and FREE. Typhoid has been eradicated wherever vaccine has been used.

The average annual toll of typhoid fever in our army before vaccination was begun was 536 cases and 37 deaths per 100,000 soldiers. In 1910 the treatment was made optional and the rate fell to 239 cases and 16 deaths.

- Saxapahaw—Monday forenoon, July 3, 7, 10, 24. Swapstonville—Monday afternoon, July 3, 10, 17, 24. Oakdale School House—Tuesday forenoon, July 4, 11, 18, 25. Alamance Mills—Tuesday afternoon, July 4, 11, 18, 25. Elon College—Wednesday forenoon, July 5, 12, 19, 26, 8 to 10 o'clock. Ossipee—Wednesday forenoon, July 5, 12, 19, 26. 11 a. m. to 2 p. m. Altamahaw—Wednesday afternoon, 5, 12, 19, 26, 3 to 6 p. m. Dailey's Store—Thursday forenoon, July 6, 13, 20, 27, 9 to 11 o'clock. McCray's Store—Thursday afternoon, July 6, 13, 20, 27, 1 to 3 p. m. Glencoe Mills—Thursday afternoon, July 6, 13, 20, 27, 4 to 6 p. m. Mebane—Friday forenoon, July 7, 14, 21, 28. Haw River—Friday afternoon, July 7, 14, 21, 28. Graham—Saturday forenoon, July 8, 15, 22, 29. Burlington—Saturday afternoon, July 8, 15, 22, 29. Special arrangements will be made for Bellemont and Hopedale.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF The National Bank of Alamance At Graham, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business on June 30, 1916.

Table with columns: RESOURCES, LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and discounts, Total loans, U. S. bonds deposited, Capital stock paid in, Surplus fund, etc.

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When friends drop in— simply send nearby for the VELVET KIND. No need to worry. Order Some Today!

The "VELVET KIND" Ice Cream Sold by Graham Drug Company

What North Carolinians are Doing the World Over. Phases of Country Life and High Schools at University Summer School.

Speaking recently to North Carolinians resident in Atlanta, District Attorney F. D. Winston told a story of the activities and achievements of North Carolinians that is out of the common. He said: "We rejoice over the achievements of our absent sons here, and elsewhere. They daily give us cause boastfully to exclaim when others recite their worthy deeds."

"The fastest train in Continental Europe is engineered by a native of Guilford county and North Carolina engineers pull the throttle up the slopes of the Andes, in African jungles and across the island of Japan."

Pool rooms are falling under the ban. Asheville has refused to license pool rooms in certain sections of the city, the police alleging that these places are breeding-grounds of crime.

You needn't waste too much sympathy on Mexico. She won't have three national conventions on her hands in one month.

Now that warring nations have quit slaughtering neutrals on the high seas, rifling the mail bags also will have to stop.

Another pathetic little feature of the situation is recalling that that British battle-cruiser was named "Invincible."

America will build five battle cruisers in one year. In the North Sea last week five battle cruisers were sunk in one day.

It is stated that Teddy's phone from Oyster Bay to the Convention at Chicago cost him \$900 a day. It doesn't seem to have been worth the price.

James Leland Stamford, a highway engineer, who made a nation wide investigation of road work for the national committee on prisons, which is interested in promoting road building by convicts, says in regard to the lack of efficient supervision of road work generally:

"In forty-four states county road work is carried on under the supervision of county commissioners; in other states it is under the control of the sheriff. These authorities are not trained for their work, and the road work is costly and inefficient. All counties carrying on road work should obtain the services of a county road engineer who is acceptable to the state road authorities and able to work in co-operation with them."

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President Graham, in welcoming the visitors, stated that the University had been trying to find out what the people of the State are thinking by calling people here to conference. The modern University, he continued, must concern itself with such things as corn clubs, pig clubs, and the like. Some connection has to be made between the theory in our churches and our education and the practical daily life of our people. Our salvation depends upon our own mastery of our situation.