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FRIDAY, Sept. 26, 1913.

The legislature met Wednesday.

The Mills of the Legislature are beginning to grind.

Go out to hear Dr. Covington Tuesday at the court house.

The Louisburg to Rocky Mount railway is creating a lot of talk.

The House passed the currency bill practically as it was presented.

The trial of Gov. Sulzer, under impeachment charges is in full sway.

It seems that everybody wants the Louisburg to Rocky Mount railroad.

ON Wednesday night, October 8th, a most enjoyable musical concert will be given.

NOBODY seems to question the fact that Louisburg is the place to sell your tobacco.

Mr. Walter Murphy was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives on Wednesday.

PREPARE to attend the musical concert at the Opera House on Wednesday night, October 8th.

GOV. Craig recommended that the State accept the revised freight rates offered by the railroads.

WITH the Louisburg to Rocky Mount railroad in view why not lets have a cotton mill in Louisburg.

DON'T let our Merchants and Warehousemen forget that a good live tobacco fair would mean lots to Louisburg.

Dr. Covington will speak on health conditions at the court house next Tuesday. Go out and hear what he has to say.

ABOUT the most popular thing we have seen recently along its line of travel is the Louisburg to Rocky Mount railroad.

ITS a pity our people cannot get together and establish a hospital in Louisburg. It pays in other towns. Why not here?

HON. W. A. Devin, of Oxford, has been appointed to a Superior Court Judgeship to succeed Judge H. A. Foushee, resigned.

THE locomotives and cars have already been offered for the Louisburg to Rocky Mount railroad, and a number of rights-of-ways. What next?

THE Creedmoor News is a new exchange just come to our desk. It is a neatly printed eight page weekly and will no doubt become popular within its territory.

THE political pot in Franklin is beginning to boil although the election is over a year off. Be careful gentlemen that you don't say anything you will be sorry for afterwards.

EITHER the Williamson field, the Baker property or the property recently owned by Mr. R. G. Allen, would make pretty sites for the depot of the Louisburg to Rocky Mount railroad.

A PLANTER was asked the past week if he had received as much for his tobacco as he expected and his answer, which was given with a smile, was "Yes sir. I received just double what I expected."

A MOST worthy cause is the concert to be given at the Opera House Wednesday night, October 8th. The proceeds will be used for one of the greatest additions ever made for the public school system in Franklin County.

THERE'S no use "cussing" the night policeman, for not catching a robber

when he is required to go a quarter of a mile from the business center of the town and hide between box cars to munch a clock, and no lights to see by. It looks to us the responsibility is more than shared higher up.

AND Franklin is soon to have a day electric current. Who is it in Louisburg that does not envy the splendid service being given the people of Franklinton? Louisburg owns its plant and although doing about twice as much business as the plant at Franklinton, it can get light only half the night.

We were sorry to hear a commissioner say Tuesday that he had suggested lighting the back alleys with oil lamps. His intentions in the suggestion however were for the best, but it don't look good to us to think that a town that owns an electric light plant will have to resort to oil lights for the town. But who is it that can truthfully say that the town was not more universally lighted when it used oil lights altogether than it is now with an electric plant. We hate to admit this, but it is bare facts that stand for themselves.

RALEIGH is sparring for first place in the big headlines. Within the past few months they had several instances of trouble resulting in death from little boys, and now they come to the front with a pistol duel between a policeman and a few toughs who attempt to take a prisoner from the officers. We hope it will not be so very long before the level headed members of the General Assembly will come to the rescue of Raleigh and all the other towns in the State by taking away a little of the doubt and all the technicality in the laws that the wrong doers may receive positive and speedy punishment for their wrong doings.

ONE of the great troubles with our system of dealing out justice to violators of laws, lies within the grand jury. Without meaning to bring charges against anyone, but to recall the solemn duties of a grand juror to the end of the public benefit, we would say too many of them think they only have to thresh out the different cases brought before

them, or that it is not their duty to report a case wherein they have even the slightest knowledge. This position is entirely erroneous. The fact is whether a grand juror has personal knowledge of a violation of the law, or not if he knows of any person who does know that a violation of law has been made it is his duty to have those persons called that the body can investigate the case. The editor of the Times knows of instances where persons criticised certain irregularities or violations, later they would serve on the grand jury, and still later no reference was made to these matters, only that after the court was over the same parties could be heard to criticize the same condi-

tions. It is true such things, or omissions of duty, could be done intentionally to defeat equal justice to all, or it could be done through ignorance. We do not agree to either as compared to the actual practices here. We feel that our people are easily comprehensible enough to understand their duty and are equally honest in doing it, but the trouble lies in an old unjust practice that causes them to feel that as these things have not been done before it is not entirely their duty to take it up now. If our grand jurors would begin now to correct their errors in the past and apply the law as it should be by seeing that all things within their knowledge of even the possibility of a crime hav-

ing been committed should be investigated, there would be a big change in our conditions, and we don't hesitate to say they would be for the best. It would be only a short while before everybody would be glad of the change in practice.

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- :- MAKES IMPORTANT CHANGE - :-

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S. S. MEADOWS, Manager.