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All the Southland may well take pride in the "Walden" the new 9,000 ton freighter built by the United States Shipping Board for the South Atlantic Maritime Corporation and assigned by the latter to the export trade between the four South Atlantic states and the Argentine Republic.

For not only has the "Walden" been pronounced by Shipping Board experts "the handsomest liner in the South Atlantic" but her distinction goes further than that. Strange as it may seem to those familiar with the energy and the commercial growth of the "new South," the "Walden" is the very first liner to run in the export trade between the Southeastern states

and South America. She will ply between the ports of Charleston, Jacksonville and Buenos Aires.

On her trips she will fly the red, white and blue pennant of the South Atlantic Maritime Corporation, the quasi-public shipping organization formed by the five ports of Wilmington, Charleston, Savannah, Brunswick and Jacksonville for the development of trade with Latin America. Matthew Hale of Boston is president and the vice presidents are William H. Sprunt of Wilmington, R. T. Rhett of Charleston, George F. Armstrong of Savannah, F. D. M. Strachan of Brunswick and M. F. coachman of Jacksonville. Other ships and other routes are assigned to the other ports, depending upon the harbor and freight facilities.

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North Carolina in the Hall of States



Hundreds of wounded North Carolina soldiers who have been in the Army Debarcation Hospitals of New York have been dependent for their first touch of home and their first personal greeting on the activities of a few women volunteers in the Hall of States here. Where other states, such as Kansas, which has appropriated \$25,000, have provided large funds for the welcoming of their returning sons, North Carolina has no official fund and the women working in New York for the old home state are dependent on voluntary contributions, which come in from time to time by mail. They need money for the mere clerical work of writing to the wounded men, paying for little delicacies for them and paying carfare to the hospitals. For a long time Miss Elvira B. Wright of South Carolina, who took North Carolina under her wing, paid the bills from her own pocket and she is now gradually being reimbursed as North Carolinians who know her or her principal assistant, Mrs. Pride Jones, who comes from Raleigh, send in contributions.

The Hall of States is a former Rectory of the famous Trinity Church which is now maintained by the War Camp Community Service as hospital headquarters for committees from two-score states. By a system perfected by the War Camp Community Service and not available anywhere else in New York, the names of the wounded men arriving on the transports, sometimes

to the number of 4,000 a day, are divided into state groups and turned over to the women of these committees. They write to the men the night the lists come in and their letters are in many cases the first cheering words received by wounded men in a year or more.

"For heaven's sake come and see me!" "Your letter was a Godsend. I haven't heard from home in twenty-one months!" are some of the replies North Carolina men have sent. Visitors follow up such requests and then little things are done for the men, such as telegraphing to their families, getting their deficiencies and sending them flowers. It is for this work that money is needed.

For those who return from overseas, well and strong, the Hall of States offers a home welcome by home folks that is unique among all war work institutions. The War Camp Community Service does many other things for those who come to their state committee desks. There they find mail from home that has been forwarded in care of the state committee, they find free state tickets, free bus rides about New York, a free employment bureau that endeavors to obtain jobs for them back in the home states, a lounging room that is of the home-like order, doughnuts and coffee served free, besides a shopping bureau that saves the men from top to thirty per cent. on their civilian purchases.

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Entered at the Post Office at Louisburg, N. C., as second class matter.

Evidently the people knew what they were doing Saturday. The only trouble with the election is there were too few voted.

Why can't Louisburg citizens get together on some manufacturing plant that will be a benefit to the whole county. Let's try.

The electric light plant in Louisburg is the only public utility in the county paying a profit. Is the town commissioners going to give away the goose that lays the golden egg?

Franklin County needs a Recorder's Court less now than it ever did before since the laws passed by the last legislature have been received. If they are followed in good faith it will do more for clearing up the docket than two Recorder's Courts would.

The town commissioners of Louisburg would do well to do two things before selling the town to a tremendous corporation. They are to investigate conditions in towns served by the corporation and investigate conditions and experiences in towns where the oil plants are run.

To install Carolina power and lights in Louisburg practically every house will have to be rewired, and if our information is correct our citizens will have to pay the same 15 cents a kilowatt. The town will have to pay for the street lighting and power for pumping water. Where is there any advantage?

We received the information this week from a very reliable source that the current for ginning forty bales of cotton will cost the King Seed Co. at Franklinton, where they use Carolina power, \$24.00 this year. To gin the same forty bales at the plant of the same Company in Louisburg where the oil engine is used will cost, including two gallons of cylinder oil \$5-10. It looks like oil power is cheaper than electricity.

The town commissioners have been up against several propositions the past week for remedying the electric power plant of the town. Among them was another proposition from the Spring Hope firm, one from the Carolina Power and Light Co. and one from the Fairbanks-Morse Co. The latter is the only proposition in which the town is not asked to sell its rights and privileges and that of its citizens.

Now that the citizens of the County have said in the election on last Saturday that in their opinion the County was paying enough for its judicial system to get better service, lets insist on the proper officials seeing that more speedy trials are had. There is no question but that there is much room for improvement. It might be well for the people of each township to hold a meeting and adopt resolutions to the Judge, the bar and other judicial officials asking for the necessary relief. It would be a wonderful help.

Collection of Indian Curios at the Methodist Centenary Celebration



WHAT has been pronounced the greatest private collection of Indian curios in America has been loaned to the Methodist Centenary Celebration at Columbus, O., by H.

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W. Palm, an Indian trader of Ortonville, Minnesota. Mr. Palm is here shown with some of his interesting relics.

Indian exhibitions will have a considerable place in the Celebration. Pueblos will unconcernedly mold pottery before throngs of curious spectators; just as their grandfathers did before the white man invaded their lands. Navajos will weave rugs and St. Regis make basketry—all actually living in their native homes, be they pueblos or wigwams.

NO SEATS RESERVED
First Come, First Served, at Coliseum at Methodist Centenary

At a conference of Director General S. Earl Taylor, Dr. Fred B. Fisher, H. B. Dickson and other members of the Centenary Exposition staff, it was decided that there will be no seats reserved to the Coliseum for "The Wayfarer" pageant presentations at the Methodist Centenary Celebration, Columbus, O., June, 20-July 13.

All seats will be available to spectators as soon as the doors of the Coliseum are opened each evening. "It will be a case of 'first come, first served,'" says Mr. Dickson. Season tickets to the exposition grounds admit the bearer once to the pageant in the Coliseum. Single admission fees at the gate require an additional fifty cents for the Coliseum evening feature.

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