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## STATE NEWS

Condensed Items of Interest Happening Throughout the State.

The first of the monthly spelling tests to be held during the year in the public schools of the city will be given the latter part of this week. The superintendent has selected the list of fifty words which is to be sent to every teacher. The papers will be returned to the superintendent's office for correction and the marks entered for the honor roll. These spelling contests, which have been inaugurated for the second year, have created a great deal of interest among the children of the city, and according to the superintendent the spelling has improved more than was expected at the first.—Asheville Citizen.

The Elfrida dropped her anchor at 5:20 yesterday in the Trent river, on her return from the cruise to Elizabeth City. The trip from here Saturday afternoon to Elizabeth City was made easily. But returning the heavy northerly wind caused low water in Croatan Sound, and it was necessary to anchor, then return to Elizabeth City before starting back, as the coal supply was low. The Elfrida left Elizabeth City, midnight, Monday, and the return trip was made without trouble. A few of the New Bern and all of the Oriental division went on the trip. Capt. T. C. Davis, in charge.—New Bern Journal.

The resignation of James M. Millikan as U. S. marshal of the western district of North Carolina was forwarded yesterday to Attorney General Wickham to take effect October 1. Mr. Millikan has held the office for more than 12 years, having received his first appointment under President McKinley in March, 1897, and has served continuously from that time. Mr. Millikan bears the further distinction of having been the first public official appointed by McKinley south of the Mason and Dixon line. Although it has not been officially announced, it is generally understood that Mr. Millikan's resignation is due to the known fact that he is to be appointed as clerk of the district court, succeeding Samuel L. Trogden, who tendered his resignation to Judge Boyd Tuesday. The appointment of Mr. Millikan as clerk has already been recommended by Judge James E. Boyd, and papers forwarded to Judges Pritchard and Goff for their confirmation, when the official announcement of his selection will be announced.—Greensboro Daily News.

The State Board of Agriculture will have at Raleigh during the session of the Farmers' National Congress an exposition of grain, fruit and truck, in the State museum, and premiums amounting to over \$500 will be given. This exposition will show the visitors, who will come here from so many States, the products of North Carolina in these lines. The premium lists will in a few days be published. The board of agriculture invites the cooperation of the various fair associations in North Carolina in this work.

Mr. Shae, the assistant State horticulturist, is just now doing an interesting work at Raleigh, Greensboro, Charlotte and other points in taking photographs for the purpose of promoting crop improvement. He takes pictures which show things which ought not to exist and also pictures of seemingly things. Today he was taking pictures of buildings around the Capitol square, some very attractive, others quite the reverse. In front of the beautiful church is a collection of billboards, facing also on the Capitol square which is a striking example of how things ought not to be. The pictures are to be published. In the North and West great improvements have been brought about by these object lessons. Some of the pictures will hit Raleigh hard.

Insurance Commissioner James R. Young has returned from a month's trip through the Western States and reports a most pleasant time. He attended the meeting of the National Association of Insurance Commissioners at Colorado Springs and was one of the principal speakers of the occasion. The association honored him by electing him a member of the executive committee. After the convention adjourned Mr. Young joined a party of commissioners and made a trip to the Pacific coast, stopping off at Denver, Salt Lake City, Los Angeles, San Francisco, Portland, Seattle, Victoria, and points in the Canadian Rockies. He says that the country all through the West has a most prosperous appearance, there being no signs of the recent panic. There is plenty of money and everything seemed to be in good shape.—Raleigh Times.

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## WITH THE FUNNY MEN

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The Bereaved—Um-m-m-yes, she is here. The money is all gone from my trousers pocket!

SUDDEN.



Pat—Clancy died of a broken heart.  
Tim—Love?  
Pat—No; dynamite.

RECOMPENSE SOUGHT.



"Aw gee! Game called an' I can't come tomorrow!" Say, mister, waster buy a rain check for dis knothole!"

HE WHO RUNS.



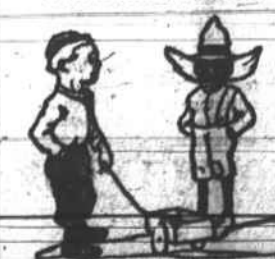
"Them as has gits, No truser word," said Durgles-Dill, "have I ever heard?"

WHERE AWAY?



Cholly—Yes, I have turned many a woman's head.  
Freddie—The other way?

FOR A CONSIDERATION.



"Et you'll lemme play wit yo' wagin a little while I'll let yo' call me niggab for a houn'."

The want ads. are not good reading for people who take no active part in the daily dramas lived by the people all about them.

Powers is

Deried Pardon

Washington, Sept. 24.—The President has denied a pardon to John B. Powers, former superintendent of construction of the South and Western Railroad, who was convicted at Statesville, N. C., of peonage and charged in the official papers with inflicting almost inconceivable brutal punishment on a negro employe.

Powers was sentenced April 23 last to fifteen months' imprisonment.

The papers filed in the case show that while he was superintending the railroad construction through Mitchell and McDowell counties, in North Carolina, with 200 men under him he beat and forced employes into working, prevented them from leaving, made them work out their indebtedness incurred at their employer's supply house and kept guards over the men day and night. It is claimed that he tried to terrorize his men by making an example of a negro caught after escaping. To a part of the negro's body he fastened a wire cord, which he ran over a nail and pulled the cord so as to draw the negro into a forced position.

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