

UNJUST DISCRIMINATION.

There is in North Carolina such discrimination in favor of Virginia by the railroads as to freight rates that the whole state has become aroused. For years the friends of the railroads have called on them to be just to our people. No heed has been paid to the request. Recently Chief Counsel, Thom, of the Southern Railway, said defiantly that the rates now in existence would remain as they are. In a recent interview Chas. H. Ireland of the Odell Hardware Co., Greensboro, said:

"Let me show you how this discrimination operates against us. If I start a car load of, say hinges and butts, from New Britain, up in Connecticut, I will be given a rate of thirty cents to either Richmond or Lynchburg, in Virginia. But if this same car comes to Greensboro, only 113 miles from Lynchburg, I will be taxed at the rate of 88 cents, or nearly three times as much. Should the car, however, be intended for some lucky buyer in Louisville, down in the Blue Grass country, the rate would be 38 cents, or only five cents more for an extra run of about 500 miles. Sending the same car on to St. Louis, from New Britain, and you, costs only thirty-eight cents."

DR. P. L. MURPHY.

The state loses one of its great men and one of the best of public servants in the death of Dr. Murphy Superintendent of the Western State Hospital for the insane. No more loyal, faithful or efficient public servant has lived in the state, so far as we know, at any time in the state's history.

The North Carolina Journal of Education will be sent to the teachers of this county for thirty three and one third cents a year. Every teacher in the county should subscribe for this publication. Send in your subscriptions to the county superintendent of Public Instruction and he will gladly forward the money for you.

Hon. John Sharpe Williams gives sensible advice to democrats when he urges democrats, everywhere, to emphasize the things they are agreed upon, and forget the things they do not agree upon.

IN HONOR OF THE DEAD.

Rev. W. A. Bunch.

Knowing there will be prepared memorial at our next Annual conference, still I desire to say this word about Brother Bunch's influence upon me. While I was yet aaching school the thought was instantly pressing upon my heart that I must preach, and when I could keep it to myself no longer I one person of all my acquaintances to whom I went for advice on this matter was Rev. W. A. Bunch. He had been my pastor, the President of the Conference, and I knew that he was my friend. The encouragement that I received from him led me to make an immediate decision to enter the ministry. And in less than three months I was assigned to Tarboro Circuit as pastor.

I am glad to feel that on many occasions after this he proved himself to be my truest friend. We often miss the counsel of his wise mind in our Conference sessions, but I shall miss most of all friend in the quiet of life that was to me.—Church Record.

Alfalfa Hay.

Experiments are now being made rying and grinding alfalfa hay. It is proving quite a success, promises to add even more to the feeding value of the plant. Experiments are now being acted in grinding and mixing alfalfa hay meal, sugar beet This promises to become a valuable feed, and is called so. As soon as the machinery is that will handle the hay to be advantage in grinding, alfalfa will no doubt take the place of bran in the feeding of cows, and thus add much to the industry of the country, alfalfa furnishes almost a comaration for work horses and it is surprising to note service stock have given when most exclusively on alfalfa. sections crops have been feeding the work horses ules almost exclusively on hay.—Home and Farm.

How Roosevelt Was Elected.

A press dispatch just sent out from New York reveals the mystery that has surrounded the famous campaign fund raised by Harriman and contributed to by the foremost trusts of the country to save the country to Roosevelt.

According to the dispatch the large sum of \$200,000 was gotten together at the personal solicitation of President Roosevelt and came from the trusts.

Following is a list of the men and the amounts they contributed. Each one represents a large trust, and some of them many:

Edward H. Harriman, \$50,000.
H. McK. Twombly, representing the Vanderbilt interests, \$25,000.
Chauncey M. Depew, \$25,000.
James Hazen Hyde, \$25,000.
The Equitable Life Assurance Society, \$10,000.
J. Pierpont Morgan, \$10,000.
George W. Perkins, New York Life Insurance Company, \$10,000.
H. H. Rogers, Standard Oil, \$10,000.

John D. Archbold, Standard Oil \$10,000.
William Rockefeller, Standard Oil, \$10,000.

James S. Snyer and banking interests, \$10,000.
Cornelius N. Bliss, personal, \$10,000.

Seven friends of Senator Depew, \$5,000 each, \$35,000.
Received in small donations by Mr. Harriman, \$20,000.
Total, \$260,000.

When this sum had been collected by Mr. Harriman he turned it over to Cornelius Bliss, treasurer of the republican national committee. The dispatch states that on receipt of this Mr. Bliss wrote a check for the full amount and sent it to Mr. Cortelyou. He retained \$60,000 for his use in New York and then gave the remaining \$200,000 to B. B. Odell, Jr., chairman of the republican state committee.

The dispatch states further that it was understood that this money was raised to insure the election of Theodore Roosevelt as president and Mr. Higgins as governor.

Such is the secret to the election of Theodore Roosevelt as president of the United States.—Charlotte News.

Growing Trees to Replace the Depleted Forests.

Manufacturer's Record.

The railroad and mining companies are among the greatest consumers of timber in the country, and railroad and mining companies are leading in the movement of tree-planting to insure a steady supply of wood for themselves. A pioneer in this respect is Mr. John D. Atkinson, of Earlinton, Ky., president of the St. Bernard Mining Co., which, according to Arboriculture, has planted within the past 20 years more than 1,000,000 black walnuts, and during the past two years 75,000 catalpas and 75,000 locusts. In 1900, several thousand tulip trees were planted on lands owned by the company, and the company now has 20,000 young tulips ready to set out. The company plants annually between 150 and 250 bushels of black walnuts on vacant places in its forests or cleared land in Hopkins county, Kentucky. This practice indicates not only the faith of the company in the future productivity of its coal mine, which naturally has its limitations, but also its practical appreciation of the fact that the forests of the country are not inexhaustible, but that intelligent dealing with them may prolong their life indefinitely.

In this connection it is interesting to note the probability that the forest service of the National Department of Agriculture will probably make a comprehensive investigation of the possibilities of worn-out lands in the South for the growing of timber crops, it being recognized that the growing of forest trees will not only bring valuable returns, but will improve and restore the soil.

Green Sour Pickles.

Use a cupful of salt to a peck of whole cucumbers or green tomatoes, sliced. Put in layers in stone jars, with the salt, cover with cold water and let stand over night. Drain off the brine in the morning, scald and again pour over the vegetables. Let stand a second time and drain. Scald enough vinegar to cover the pickles, with four green or red peppers, a piece of horse radish, and two tablespoonfuls of whole cloves. Add the pickles and when scalded store in jars.

Married in Cedar Grove Township.

On September 1st, Mr. J. L. Moore and Miss Nettie Gatlin were united in the holy bonds of matrimony. Mr. Moore is Section Master at Ulah and is a promising young man. Mrs. Moore is a daughter of Mr. W. S. Gatlin and is a charming young lady. Rev. N. R. Richardson performed the ceremony.

Isn't This Town A Pretty Good Town? If Not, Why Not?

How do you like the town you live in? Pretty fair sort of place, isn't it? Otherwise you'd move to some other town, wouldn't you?

But you don't think much of this town, you say? Well, what's the matter with this town? If there's anything wrong, let's all get together and right it.



All of us live here, and we ought to pull together. Nobody living in New York or Chicago or St. Louis or San Francisco is going to do any pulling FOR us.

On the contrary, some of those cities are doing a lot of pulling FROM us. They not only pull away some of our best young men as the boys grow up, but they pull away many of our good American dollars, which ought to be spent right here, where they would do the most good.

What is your favorite book? The Mail Order Catalogue? Ah, so we thought!

Now suppose, just for a change, you read your local paper carefully, watch the advertisements, and if you don't see what you want ask the home merchant for it. Suppose all of us trade at home a little more regularly. That ought to help make this a better town.

And maybe if we'd keep more of our money at home to build up the town we'd keep more of our boys at home.

PHILATHIA CLASS.

Social In Honor of Retiring Teacher—Greatly Enjoyed.

The Philathia Class of the M. P. Sunday School gave a social last night at the residence of Mrs. Wm. C. Hammer, in honor of Prof. J. M. Way, who leaves for South Carolina to become field secretary for the State Sunday School Association. Prof. Way has been teacher of the class since its organization and will be greatly missed by its members.

The feature of the social last evening was a contest "State Romance," in which questions were answered by the names of the states of the Union.

The evening was enjoyed by all.

Expert Key Note Will Be Sounded.

The Democrats of Greensboro and Guilford county are arranging to give a big banquet to William J. Bryan on Wednesday night of the day he speaks at the Carolina Central Fair grounds, Greensboro October 16. It is intended to give Mr. Bryan an opportunity of making a key note speech on the subject of state's rights, and the control of public service corporations. Several prominent Democrats of the State have been invited to respond to toasts. The time is propitious for a Democratic deliverance.

CONDENSED NEWS.

Monday Mt. Airy voted in favor of a bond issue of \$15,000 for a graded school.

Clifford Plummer, of Davidson county, is spending the winter in Asheboro, a student at the Graded School.

On last Sunday evening W. A. Hill and May Spencer were united in marriage by Mr. T. S. Bouldin at his beautiful residence in Archdale. This was the third couple that he has married within the last two weeks, the first being Geo. D. Welborn and Allie Royals, then J. H. Frazier and Dora Peace.

Chas. E. Letton, chief clerk in the tax collector's office at New Orleans, is short in his accounts \$107,000. He was captured while contemplating suicide by jumping into the Mississippi river. He confessed that he stole the money and spent most of it on a negro woman.

DEATH OF MR. SNIDER.

Esteemed Citizen of Concord Township—Funeral Yesterday.

Mr. M. Frank Snider, an esteemed citizen of Concord township, died at his home Monday evening aged 55 years. He is survived by his wife, two daughters and three sons. One son, Mr. Gurney Snider, is a popular salesman at the Lewis-Winslow Hardware Co. of Asheboro.

The deceased became ill a few days ago, and his mind was seriously affected. He was brought to Asheboro last week and arrangements were being made to place him in the State Hospital at Morganton, but his condition was such that on Saturday he was taken to his home on a stretcher. He died Monday.

The funeral was conducted yesterday morning at Mt. Shepherd, where the interment took place. The bereaved family have the deep sympathy of a large circle of friends in the county.

Jones Shows.

Jones' Enormous Shews exhibited at Randleman, Rameur, Asheboro and Seagrave in Randolph county last week, and at Troy and Mt. Gilead in Montgomery county Monday and Tuesday of this week. They met large crowds at every stand and the patrons of the show were apparently well pleased. Though small compared with the larger railroad shows the performance was clean and interesting.

Notice.

The School Committee of Three Forks District, Providence Township, will meet Saturday, Sept. 29, at 2 o'clock P. M., at the school house for the purpose of employing a teacher for the following winter. Application should be made to the undersigned at Pleasant Garden, R. F. D. No. 1.

W. W. HOCKETT,
Sec. Com.

Hal, Kearns and sister, Miss Floe, of Durham, are visiting their grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Kearns. Hal will leave in a few days for Alabama and Miss Floe for Danville, Va., where they will attend school this winter.

A mistake in delivery of orders to the conductor caused a fearful loss of life at White River Junction, Vt., Monday, when a passenger crashed into a fast freight. 24 persons were killed and 27 were seriously injured.

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MONTGOMERY NEWS.

(From the Montgomerian)

Mr. Blain Sisk, a son of Dr. and Mrs. J. A. Sisk who live here, died in Denver, Col., last Thursday evening and his remains were shipped here Tuesday for interment. He went to Denver about two months ago for his health. He was about 21 years of age.

Mr. G. H. Russell, of Scotland county, was one of the 61 successful candidates applying to the Supreme court recently for license to practice law. Mr. Russell was raised in Montgomery county and is a son of Mr. E. A. Russell of Troy.

He will locate at Lan inburg, Ky., is visiting relatives in Montgomery and Randolph.

Mr. W. L. Cotton and J. B. Spence, two old bachelors have purchased the G. L. J. Elliott farm on mile from town. They both have decided to get married. Cotton will run a beef stand and farm and Spence will hunt for gold. Spence will be the first one of mine of the Spence boys to marry.—New London, Stanley county, item.

Plenty of Birds.

The farmers, the sportsmen and others, who take interest in the birds, say that the quail have greatly increased in numbers this summer, and that it will be impossible to kill a great amount of them during the season of three months allowed for gunning in this county. Although many of the young birds died last summer on account of the wet weather, there were but few killed during last winter and the dry weather this summer has given them a chance to raise their young with little loss of life.—Statesville Landmark.

Gray's Chapel.

The definite whereabouts of H. T. Curtis, who recently wandered away from home, is still unknown by his family.

Prof. Fentress, of Pleasant Garden, is teaching singing at the Church here. The farm of the late N. B. Curtis was sold at public auction on last Thursday morning. It was bid off by Mrs. J. J. Sealing, the youngest daughter, at \$1,055.

The remains of Mrs. Belle Elliot were interred in the cemetery here last Sunday. She was the youngest daughter of "Uncle Bill" Routh.

Tom Brown informed the writer that he threshed a little over fourteen thousand bushels of wheat and oats this season. It was not forty days.

Meers Lineberry and Alfred threshed over ten thousand bushels in thirty-three days.

Special meeting here fourth Sunday as usual. Rev. Braswell is to assist the Pastor.

Business Locals.

I have two comfortable houses one of 10 and the other of 12 rooms located in West Asheboro, which I will sell at a low figure. Call on me at Asheboro Drug Store.
J. D. SIMPSON.

Edison phonographs and records give the best results and we sell them as cheap as can be had anywhere. We have a new lot of records in this week. Asheboro Drug Co.

Those shopping bags are going out fast, they are too cheap and good to remain long with us. Asheboro Drug Co.

Wanted—Plain sewing to do by Mrs. A. M. Woodard, Park Street.

Have just opened a new lot of fine silverware and cut glass, all new styles and very handsome. Our prices are very low and you are invited to examine our goods, even if you are not intending to buy. Asheboro Drug Co.

Seed Oats—125 bushels Old Winter Oats, good, clean seed, 60 cents per bushels. Address J. L. Biles, Caraway, R. F. D. N. C.

Good farm for sale, 120 acres, 1 mile from Railroad station, etc. good houses and out-buildings. For particulars call and see the undersigned.
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