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Public Health Work

Under the caption, "Infant Deaths Fewer," the University News Letter states, "North Carolina is a safer State to be born in than she was a few years ago."

We like the News Letter, think that this large reduction in infant mortality for both races is due largely to the work of State and county health officers.

North Carolina has, in our opinion, a health department which has surpassed in the United States any other State organization working in harmony with the county and town health departments.

The Better Way

The quickness of the court in Mitchell county to try and sentence John Goss is another evidence of the uselessness of mob violence.

The Liquor Question

The liquor question is one which is giving both dominant political parties in the United States some restless half-hours.

Child Killed With A Loaded Shotgun

Yandkinville, Oct. 24.—While alone in their home near here five-year-old Beulah Lee Burnett put the muzzle of a shot gun in her mouth and asked her ten year old brother to pull the trigger.

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lications are just what the name signifies and will be published weekly for distribution among North Carolina citizens.

Troubles in Greece continue to pile up. The latest is a revolution. It appears that the citizens of that country will not have peace, even when Turkey is willing.

Irvin S. Cobb thinks North Carolina needs a press agent. And, at that, it has not been a long time since somebody charged that the State was getting too much publicity.

During the past week October has handed us a "raw deal" in the way of weather. Yet taking it as a whole, the weather during the fall months has been of a kind to be thankful for.

The progress of North Carolina has attracted the Governor of Georgia. He recently paid the Old North State a visit to study our tax system.

Now that The Raleigh News and Observer has expressed its approval of Governor Morrison's act in appointing Thomas Pittman as judge to succeed Mr. Kerr, we are inclined to believe that the approval is unanimous.

THIS IS DUNN'S 37TH BIRTHDAY

First Lot Sale In Dunn Took Place On October 26, 1886

Today, October 26, is Dunn's 37th birthday, according to Major James Pearsall. On October 26, 1886, the first town lots ever laid off in Dunn were sold and the town was incorporated by the State Legislature the following January.

Getting back to the sale, Major Pearsall states that the property sold consisted of four open squares, two on the north and two on the south of Broad street, just west of the Atlantic Coast Line railroad.

Only a very few of the people who saw the birth of the town "best town under the sun" are living. Among them are Henry Pope and Jas. A. Taylor, both of whom were members of the first board of town commissioners, and Major James Pearsall.

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DUNN, ROUTE ONE

Cotton picking is almost a thing of the past here, so far as the present year is concerned. The crop has come up to the average here.

Among those who heard his honor, Judge Grady's charge to the grand jury of the Sampson court Monday from this community were Messrs. Ed. Amen, W. T. and J. B. Strickland, Rosie Jackson, J. F. Naylor, and L. B. Pope.

Mr. J. B. Antry and family visited relatives at Dunn Sunday.

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Mr. W. G. Jackson, Sr., attended the State Fair last week. He reports a very successful one.

Oct. 22, 1923. SIMPLE SCRIBE

PENDER'S YELLOW FRONT STORES Cash And Carry Economy Grocery Bulletin LOOK FOR THE YELLOW FRONT

Table with 2 columns: Item Name and Price. Includes Swift's Picnic Shoulders, Herring, Mackerel, Butter, Cheese, etc.

WOMAN FRUSTRATED PLAN TO ROB BANK

Is Knocked Down By Hysterical Black Concealed in Bank Building

Newton, Oct. 24.—The town of Catawba, 10 miles east of Newton, was the scene of one of the most exciting attempts at bank robbery that has ever occurred in North Carolina.

Woman Is Knocked Down There sitting on a box just inside the door, was a big negro with a pistol pointing in her face, and just back of him was another negro.

The officers of Newton, Hickory and Statesville were at once notified, but before any of them got on the ground—and all were there in a remarkably short time—the men and boys of the town and country round about were in hot pursuit of the negroes.

They overtook the big yellow negro who put the pistol in Mrs. Smith's face, about half a mile down Lyle's creek, in a clump of bushes. The negro fired on the crowd, but missed. Then the shotgun brigade opened up.

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SOLID CAR LOAD OF HOGS We will have in Dunn Tuesday October 30th, at J. J. Lane's Sales Stables, a car load of nice fat hogs, all breeds. These hogs will be sold cheap. Buy now and get your winters meat at a bargain. JEFFREYS & LANE

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