CITIES OF 5,000 AND OVER.

Lexington Not Among the Elect-

Lexington is under 5,000. The re-be warned so often about this mala-ports for Greensboro, Winston-Salem, dy, which, when neglected, paves the neville, Durham and Raleigh are inconsidering the jealous riv alry that has existed among these cit-les for several years. Concerning the the right treatment is employed. report the associated press sent out the following from Washington:

North Carolina's population did not show the same tendency of drifting the rural districts to the cities during the last ten years as was the case in many other states. Announcement today by the director of the cenus of the population figures as enumerated in the 13th census of cities and towns of North Carolina having a dation in excess of 5,000 indicates that slightly over 26 per cent. of the state's total increase in population— 312,477 inhabitants—was contributed cities and towns. The rural districts furnished 229,391, or about 73 per cent, of the increase, as compared with the 83,106 increase of the

Eight municipalities increased in opulation from below 5,000 to totals above that number. The 13th census statistics show 20 such cities and towns in North Carolina, as compared with 12 in 1900. Not a single loss in population was recorded in these places during the ten years.

pint of increase in population Rocky Mount holds first place, with a 274 per cent. increase. Durham follows closely behind with 273 per cent, and High Point shows a 228 per cent. gain The larger cities rank as follows in rceptage of increase: Charlotte, 88 per cent.; Greensbo

ro, 58.3 per cent.; Ra 40.8 per cent.; Asheville, 27.6 Raleigh, ent.; and Wilmington, 22.7 per cent. Following is the announcement of the director of the census of all cities and towns of North Carolina having a population in excess of 5,000

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Asheville	. 18,762 14,6
Charlotte	. 34,014 18,0
Concord	. 8.715 7.9
Durham	40 044 00
Elizabeth City	0.440 0.0
Fayetteville	77 (1.4.7)
Gastonia	- 770 4 2
Goldsboro	0.407 7.0
Greensboro	15 605 10 0
High Point	0.000
Kinston	12 DOT 4 4
Newbern	0.024 0.0
Raleigh	40.040 40.0
Rocky Mount	. 8,051 2,9
Salem	. 5,533 3,6
Sansoury	. 7,153 6,2
Washington	0 011 4 0
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to cities are the result of enlarged oundaries and in several cases the poor showing is the result of the narrowness of city boundaries. It is probable that Winston-Salem would been able to include in her report that of the Twin-City, Durham suffered in Raleigh this year. more in this respect than any other in the state and would have 25,000 if East Durham and West Dur-ham had been included. Lexington outside the corporate limits and others of our manufacturing establishments are outside.

"No More Liquor Ads."

weekly paper in the state of North different ways—sometimes by cheerly well, Jr., A. J. C. 84,192," a fine young Carolina and one of the best publishine and glistening snows, and carolina and one of the best publishine and glistening snows, and blind-from the famous Cooper Farms who ment which will meet the commendation of all its contemporaries, to the The Dispatch says:

"This means a direct loss of thousands of dollars to the paper, but the highest purpose of The Dispatch is not to make money, but to do good, of these allments. The medicine that inspire its readers to better things in this world."

number of reputable newspapers in North Carolina which will accept whiskey advertising is growing smaller, and we hope that the time will soon come when even these will join the majority of the papers in the can be consistently taken by any paboth morally and materially, of the people of the state.—Gastonia Gazette.

Forty-eight postal savings banks country. North Carolina has one and master Hobson, of Salisbury, has the honor of opening it. The government pays two per cent interest a the funds deposited in the bank is plutely safe for Uncle Sam gua

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This represents a fair ration for a man for a year.

But some people eat and eat and grow thinner. This means a defective digestion and unsuitable food. A large size bottle of

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quale in nourishing propering ten pounds of meat Your physician can tell you how it does it.

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way oftentimes for consumption, at the cost of millions of lives every year. Yet catarrh may be cured, if

The only way to successfully treat catarrh is by employing a medicine which is absorbed and carried by the blood to all parts of the system, so that the mucous membrane or internal lining of the body is toned up and made capable of resisting the infeceases.

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Miss Maggie Queen a teacher Cruso, near Canton, had a narrow escape from drowning one day last She was being carried across Pigeon river in a buggy when the vehicle was overturned by the swollen river and she was dragged under the water by having her skirts caught in the wheels of the buggy. She had a hard fight for life, even after she was taken from the river, but it is believed that she will recover.

A Reliable Cough Medicine

Is a valuable family friend. Foley's Honey and Tar fulfills this condition exactly. Mrs. Charles Kline, N. 8th St., Easton, Pa., states: "Several members of my family have been cured of bad coughs and colds by the use of Foley's Honey and Tar and 1 am never without a bottle in the house. It soothes and relieves the irritation in the throat and losens up reliable cough cure." Sold by J. B. Smith.

The North Carolina Municipal Assuburbs and who are in truth citizens sociation will hold its annual meeting The association will meet January 18 and will be in session for several days. The orable to show a population of at least ganization is formed for the purpose of solving the municipal problems of the country. It is learned that a bill has more than 5,000 people, but the will be prepared allowing any town Dacotah and Nokomis mills are both in the state to adopt the commission form of government if it so desires and this bill will be presented to the

Tne Spirit of Winter

In its issue of this week the Lexington Dispatch, admittedly the best making its presence known in many ing storms. To many people it seems to take a delight in making bad things effect that after January first it will worse, for rheumatism twists harder mo longer accept advertisements of twinges sharper, catarrh becomes whiskey or beer. toms of scrofula are developed and try in this, but there is truth, and it is cures them-Hood's easily obtained and there is abundant proof that its cures are radical and permanent.

Transferred to Southbound.

The people of this section are in-terested in all that pertains to the state in taking the only stand which Southbound and the following spec ial under a Rocky Mount date line relper which professes to advocate those ative to the men who will help op-things which are for the best interests, erate the road will be of interest to There will be three transfers and

romotions from employes of the At-

lantic Coast Line in this city, who will in the future see service on the Win-ston-Salem Southbound railroad, which began operation yesterday. Circular No. 1, which has just been is-sued from the office of the general manager, names Mr. O. T. Waring as division superintendent and Mr. I. Johnson as his assistant. Mr. G. E. Bruner will be roadmaster. The division offices and headquarters will be at Florence, S. C. The promotions from the ranks of the company here are two from the dispatcher's force these being Messrs. W. J. Fulton and M. H. McNeill, and they have already

early date.

The promotions in the office forces that are of interest in this city are those of Mr. Wade Benton, who has been assistant timekeeper in the of-fice of the superintendent of trans-portation in this city, to the position of timekeeper for the Winston-Salem division. Mr. Benton is a Rocky Mount boy and he has been in the Mount boy and he has been in the office service of the company for the past three years, during which time his strict attendance at duty, thorough ability and genial disposition, have counted for his deserved promotion in the company's service, He will leave Tuesday for Florence, S. C., where he will make his future home. The other office promotion is in Wilmington and is that of Mr. R. C. King, who is now chief clerk to Superintendent Hare, who will, effective today, become chief clerk to Mr. O. T. Waring, the division superintendent. day, become chief clerk to Mr. O. T. Waring, the division superintendent. The offices of the new division were opened in Florence on the first and it is expected that only a short time will be necessary to straighten matters out and the division offices will be working well.

Mr. R. J. Wentz. of Vance, Union county, raised last year twelve bales of cotton all averaging over 500 pounds each on four acres of land. This story is vouched for by the Monroe Journal.

GREAT CONTEST FOR THE FARMERS Bed Cross First Ald Car Now on the

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THE SELWYN FARM, UP-TO-DATE FARMERS, GOOD ROADS

In Addition to the Free Trip There Are Several Hundred Bollars Worth aid to the injured department through of Fine Farm Machinery Offered as Prizes for the Contestants. North Carolina Paper Has Ever Offered such an Attractive Lot Prizes. Winners Apportioned to the Townships According to Number of Votes Cast in the/Last Gubernatorial Election-Contest began January 4th and Ends February 25, 1911.

first is still fresh in the memories of those who were so fortunate as to be diversion. numbered among the winners and any information as to the trip may be obired and sixteen farmers who took That trip was intended prithe trip. marily to boost the good roads movement. It was planned to show the farmers of Davidson county the ad-vantages of good roads over bad roads and incidentally the model farms and the progressive farmers of Mecklen-

farms and farm methods having first place and good roads coming in for secondary consideration. The great Selwyn farm, a few miles from Char-lotte, probably the finest farm in the state of North Carolina and certainly second to none in the south, will be the objective point and it is to this handsome country establishment that taken in automobiles direct from our pecial train.

The contest opened Jan. 4, and closes Saturday, February 25, at noon. Iffty successful contestants will carried to Charlotte on a special train during the last week in February early in March. They will be met at the train by automobiles and carried o the Selwyn farm over the fine macadam roads that have made that county famous all over the nation. During this automobile trip the guests of The Dispatch will see several miles of these fine roads and will be given an opportunity to see the work of construction actually under way. Mecklenburg has more miles of macadam than any other county in the United States. There will be opportunity of seeing improved country schools and churches and there will be glimpses of scores of handsome farms along the way and at the Selwyn farm, the acme of agricultural attainment in

lenburg and other counties. The Selwyn Farm is the production the cold. I have always found it a of an agricultural genius, Mr. Edgar B. Moore, who is famous the country over as a breeder of prize-winning Berkshire hogs, registered Jerseys and Holstein cattle. On this farm will be seen the famous "Selwyn's Lee's Lexington Premier 3rd," head of the Selwyn herd of Berkshires, the highest priced Reedy Cree hog ever brought into the south and Silver Hill . the best boar the south has ever had When a yearling, he was bought for the Tyro Selwyn Farm for the enormous sum of \$1,100. The sire of this great Berkshire is Premier Longfellow, the acboar of the Universal Exposition of 1904 at St. Louis. In this World's

tunity of meeting a number of

Fair he won \$1540 in cash prizes. In cattle, our guests will also see best. Heading the Selwyn herd "Imported Stockof Jerseys is the sold for \$11,500. Mr. Moore will show our guests his sanitary dairy barn, dairy and creamery and his fine lot of some of which have made the pounds of milk per day. All of the details of the dairy business will be explained

Mr. Moore has some fine horses as fair for all the townships. It gives well as fine hogs and cattle and the visitors will have the opportunity of as the large townships have. Mr. Moore has some fine horses as eeing the best of his lot. The rais-

Tilling Machine, a new invention that turns the soil to a depth of twenty inches if desired. The machine is being demonstrated in all parts of the country and this will be the first chance the people of this section have had of seeing it in active operation. By means of this machine it is possible to make all of the tillable land of the farm as fit and as suitable for a seed bed, as a garden, at a cost but little greater than that involved in plowing in the usual manner. In a single operation the machine plows and pulverizes the earth to a depth of 8 to 20 inches according to the wishes of the operator. This machine promises to revolutionize farming in this and other sections and the farmers of Davidson county will now have the opportunity to "get wise" to the real left for Florence, or will do so at an

and other sections and the farmers of Davidson county will now have the opportunity to "get wise" to the real worth of the machine.

On the Selwyn Farm are fine concrete barns, concrete silos, and every modern appliance known to agriculture. The guests of The Dispatch will nee them all in operation and there will be ample time to learn all they want to learn about them. No one will be roshed or hurried and the day will be of immense educational value. It will be worth a hundred dollars to every member of the party who is anxious to learn more about his great alling. Space forbids a more extended a account of the Selwyn Farm and we can only say in passing from this phase of our announcement that the "half has not been told."

Prom the farm the automobile party will return to the city of Charlotte in time to tour its principal streets and see its many wonders. A feature of the trip will be a side-excursion to the top of the Realty Building, Charlotte's twelve-story skyscraper, from whose roof can be seen the greater part of Mecklenburg county with its model tarms, rivers, creeks and network of fine roads running out in every direction like the spokes of giant wheel of which Charlotte, the Queen City, is the hub.

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The Dispatch announces today its jo'clock. The various theaters and

The fifty farmers will come from all and corner being represented and the is now on the road in Illinois. lessons that they will learn by actual work evidently appeals to the contact with and study of farming conditions in the most progressive county of the state will be carried back home to the folks and will be applied and will bring forth fruit to the upbuilding of a county that is infinitely the superior of Mecklenburg in natburg. The excursion this year is to be turned squarely around—improved of the zeal and energy that has been the mining field an attempt will county in the United States. The number from each township announced below is based on the voting strength after the car has visited a of the townships as nearly ble. One representative will be allowthe last gubernatorial election. This needed for rescue work and care the guests of The Dispatch will be plan is followed in the apportionment as closely as possible, but, of course in some cases it varies slightly. ery township, however, is given a fair deal and all, big and little, stand on the same footing. As many farmers as wish to can enter the contest and all are urged to get in the game. It

> but one man's chance is as good as another's and the field is open. The offer of the free trip is extendandlord and tenant, democrat, republican, prohibitionist, socialist-ev-erybody. The Dispatch is anxious for

will be well worth while. Of course

No one is eligible unless he is directly connected with the work of tilling the soil. The apportionment to the various

townships is as follows: Townships. Representatives. 2 representatives the south, they will have the oppor-Alleghany 1 representative Arcadia 2 representatives leading agricultural experts of Meck-Boone 2 representatives Conrad Hill . 3 representatives Hampton representative representatives Jackson Hill 9 representatives Yadkin College 1 representative

PRIZES TO BE GIVEN AWAY. In addition to the free trip there knowledged king of the Berkshires, will be a number of costly prizes, all no radical changes be made the knowledged king of the Berkshires, will be a number of costly prizes, all no radical changes be made to the champion and grand champion of real value to the farmer and of less than \$50,000 be appropriated for made arrangements with a number of merchants and manufacturers to ofthem is here given. Others will be published as soon as definitely decidceived is to have first choice of the the second highest number of votes in marvelous record of producing forty wants; and so on until the prizes of-pounds of milk per day. All of the fered are exhausted. No township, to be fixed at \$30 instead of \$25 per however, will be allowed more than one prize and this provision makes it

The International Harvester Coming of fine horses and mules is one of the best paying of businesses and the true Manure Spreader, the most perfarmers of the Piedmont would find it fect machine of its kind in the world to their interest to learn something valued at \$125. The spreader offered bout it.

During their visit the Davidsonians 6 inches wide and 20 inches deep. The will have an opportunity of seeing cylinder is 19 inches in diameter. The something else worth seeing—the front wheels have 4-inch tires and the plowing of hard clay land to a depth rear wheels 6-inch tires. If any far of eighteen to twenty inches. The mer would like to have further par erate the road will be of interest to Selwyn Farm uses the Spalding Deep ticulars regarding this great piece of many:

Tilling Machine, a new invention that farm machinery, a card addressed to

HUMANITY ON WHEELS.

Road-Startling Statistics. of Beaths by Accident.

In these strenuous days no one can afford to sit back and wait for busi-ness to come to him. He must go out and hustle for it. This is no less true in humanitarian work than in com-

mercial ventures.

The American Red Cross has always been distinguished by its enterprise in making its efforts to ald humanity of maximum value. As another evidence of this activity this aswhich it hopes to carry instruction in this important subject to all parts of the country. In furtherance of this object it has now in operation a First Aid Car. This car was donated the Pullman Company and has been fully equipped by the Red Cross with The Dispatch announces today its o'clock. The various theaters and with an sorte of an area second great agricultural contest for vaudeville and moving picture shows is in direct charge of Dr. M. Whitfield the farmers of Davidson county. The will be visited during the course of Glasgow, of Birmingham, Alabama, who was employed for this special the afternoon if there is time for such work by the First Aid Department of the Red Cross. The car was outfitted parts of Davidson county, every nook at the Pullman shops in Buffalo and work evidently appeals to the various railway officials as the railways

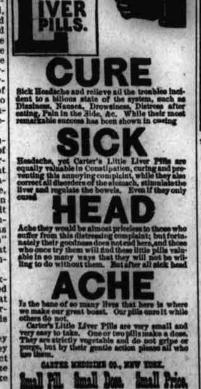
are hauling it free of charge. The car will proceed from place place stopping at railway, manufacturing and mining centers best opportunities present themselves for organizing first aid classes. Just as has been done by the Red Cross in at work in Mackienburg for the last made to interest employers, employees decade to make it the peer of any and local physicians alike so that first aid to the injured instruction will have general support and countenance Though the Red Cross car is primarily designed for instruction purposes i ed for every one hundred votes cast in will also always be available when injured in case of disasters, as it is fully equipped for this purpose. It is, perhaps, not generally realized

how large a percentage of deaths are now due to accident. In fact, in certain industries deaths from disease are absolutely insignificant in num-For example, in the regiscident. only a certain number can be elected, tration area which now includes about 5 per cent of the population of the United (Sates, the 1909 census statistics charge to accident 67.9 per cent ed to every white farmer in Davidson of all deaths among steam railway county, rich and poor, high and low. and 34. The next most hazardous oc cupation as shown by these statistics every tiller of the soil to get into the contest. esponsible for 61.3 per cent of deaths at the same ages. Iron and steel workers have 28.1 per cent, and the rate for all manufacturing and mechanical pursuits taken together at the same ages is 21.9 per cent. are the people which the Red Cross is trying to reach in a practical way by means of its First Ald Car.

Dr. J. Y. Joyner's Report.

State Superintendent of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner, in his recom mendation to the general assembly 2 representatives urges that the state tax for publi schools be increased from 18 cents 2 representatives on the \$100 to 25 cents to lengther 2 representatives the school terms and improve facili-2 representatives ties. He wants the conditions gov erning the distribution of the second 3 representatives \$100,000 for assuring four months school changed so that counties must levy a 10-cent instead of a 5-cent special property tax. He asks that no radical changes be made in the county farm life high sch also wants an increase of \$25,000 in fer these prizes and a partial list of the appropriation for rural high schools. He wants the state university, the agricultural and mechanical ed on. The farmer who leads the college at Raleigh, and the State Nor-county in the number of votes reprizes offered; the farmer receiving year for special training of public school teachers and for those county will have second choice tending to teach, no tuition charge and can take any one present that he to be made. He requests the minimonth.

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