SHOULD CONSIDER FINANCES

Estimated That Biennial Report to Legislature Will Show Shortage of \$700.000-Two Pardons Are Granted.

Special Star Correspondence.) this amount, of course, about \$300,tent expenses, take care of all appro- an additional \$20,000. relations and liquidate the then existshortage. This was not by any

were granted today by Governor a large number, including the ladies the line of putting six-ounce packages Kitchin, each of them being on recom- of the home office and wives of the on the market as half pound and 12 mendation of Judge, solicitor and oth- officers and stockholders. .rs. The 25 year sentence of Annias Karrington, Moore county, for second degree murder, is commuted to 19 years. He was sentenced in 1896. The sentence of Chas. Rowe, Mitchell county, to six years for manslaughter, is commuted to three years. Blaine Haynie, Madison county, sentenced last February to 18 months on the roads, for larceny, is pardoned. Also Otis Curtis, Wake county, serving since September, 1910, on an egiht year sentence for second degree burg- the auditorium this afternoon. He the effect of increasing the number of

tairs-Funeral of W. A. Fries.

(Special Star Correspondence.) an illness extending over several to its capacity. months, Mr. George H. Gregory died vesterday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock Mr. Gregory for many years was a was twice a member of the North Car-During President Cleveland's administration he was postmaster in University of North Carolina in 1858 Dick. He was a law partner of the late Judge Tourgee, author of a Fool's Errand", and whose death occurred a few years ago in southern

Deputy sheriffs and a deputy United States marshal under Sheriff Stafford early yesterday morning invaded miles from town, and captured a barrel containing 50 gallons of corn liquor. The officers also found a couple gas at his East Side home tonight. of kegs, one containing whiskey and rest charged with handling the stuff you to be troubled with my volunta and brought to town and locked up. After the officers located the whiskey terminate an odious and useless exis the 'roused Kirkman and Coen from ence, and what is necessary is just.

The funeral services over the remitted suicide in Raleigh Sunday light, was held this morning and the ody buried in Greene Hill cemetery. Friends and relatives of the dead man have as yet been unable to understand what he meant when he wrote his wife that there were ugly charges against im which he could not entirely dis-Mrs. Fries urged her husband and degradation. not to leave Sunday, fearing that something might happen and knowing hat he was unwell. He told her that e would be all right; that he would 20 to Raleigh and get a good night's

President T. O. Troy, of the Greensoro Northern & Atlantic Railroada projected road tapping this placespent yesterday afternoon and last night here on business connected with Mr. Troy said, after meetngs with committees had been held, that there was nothing definite to be minounced at present, although after the first of the year he thought there would be developments of interest to all concerned over the construction of ton, before whom the hearing was

Two petitions in involuntary banknatey were filed before Judge Boyd Dunn, Jacob's brother, was released In one case the Farmers' reason. Company, and others prayed harlotte, be adjudged bankrupt. ing the letter, but later to have denied adge Boyd caused a subpoena to be its authorship, declaring that his forissued returnable before Special Mas- mer alleged statement was made un-W. S. O'B. Robinson at Charlotte. December 28th. In the second case Company, of Davidson county, be ad- a letter demanding \$5,000 on penalty ddged bankrupt. A subpoena was is of death. and made returnable before the mirt here December 27th

WOMAN GOES TO PRISON

Mrs. Eva Bailey Sentenced to Five Years for Attempted Poisoning hveveport, La., December 18.-Mrs.

inneed to be hanged. Watson died several weeks before Former Governor R. B. Glenn is in Washington. lailey was killed.

INCREASE FOR BUILDING.

Kinston Probably Get Total of \$90,000 Insurance Men Meet. (Special Star Correspondence.) Kinston, N. C., Dec. 18.-Kinston

will probably be awarded another public building appropriation by the present session of Congress. The sum of \$20,000 was recommended by a sub-committee of the House committee on public buildings and grounds, for this city, and there is reasonable Raleigh, N. C., Dec. 18 .- State offi- assurance that the continuation will ials and others in close touch with be allowed. If the new appropriation the financial affairs of the State de- does not fail of passage, Kinston will clare that in connection with the much a Federal building. Five thousand of ernor Craig will be called on to fill, about progressive legislation this, however, was raised by popular or rather the terms of four of the presregulating all manner of things about subscription, and expended, together ent members expire at that time. They State, there is the greatest sort with \$20,000 provided by the governneed for State finances to be con- the corner of Queen and North streets. Kearney, Fourth district; J. P. Macendered in no half-handed sort of way. Seventy thousand dollars will be avai- Rae, Seventh district; A. Cannon, estimated now that a shortage able for the construction after the ap Tenth district. fully \$700,000 will be shown when propriation just recommended is conthe State finances are balanced for firmed. Since the organization of the biennial report to the Legislature. Chamber of Commerce about a year being defrauded by short weight packago, that body has ben active in ages of canned meats and other foods was left over from two years ago. boosting an increase for the building is the statement made by Commis-However, in preparing the revenue through the chamber as a whole and sioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham, and machinery act of two years ago a committee. Recently Congressman and State Food Chemist W. M. Al-Legislature intended for the reve- Kitchin advised Secretary Sutton that len. Furthermore, they insist that the nue of the past two years to meet cur- he would probably be able to secure State is badly in need of a law that

Life Insurance Company gathered riculture to enter premises on food here today from all parts of North manufacturing plants and inspect them the biggest problems that the Legisla- and South Carolina, to participate in for cleanliness and sanitation. There the annual convention of the field have been a number of complaints on this shortaage and making anything force of the company, the home offices this score as to several plants but the appropriations commensurate of which are located here. A barbe- department is powerless to take any with the demands that are sure to be cue and Brunswick stew was served action. With reference to frauds in the visitors in the armory. A business the matter of short weight packages, Two pardons and two commutations session at 2 o'clock was attended by it seems that the shortages are along

BRYAN IN ASHEVILLE.

Auditorium Packed to Capacity-J. P. stamped on the packages. Carter Returns.

(Special Star Telegram.)

DEAN GREENSBORO BAR PASSES. and taken in an auto to various points in this State as some predicted. of interest. Calling on Mrs. Zeb At One Time Prominent in Public Af- Vance, and lunching at Battery Park and demonstration work in the culture Hotel with several local men and oth- of peanuts is to be established by the ers, including Josephus Daniels, of State Board of Agriculture before h Greensboro, N. C., Dec. 18.—After Raleigh. The auditorium was packed great while now, the farm to be select-J. P. Carter, who was recently in-

dicted by the Federal grand jury at der county farm is devoted to truck at his home on West Market street. Greensboro, charged with irregulariand vegetables, grapes and small ties in connection with his manage- fruits; the Edgecombe farm to cotprominent figure in the public affairs ment of the American National Bank, ton, corn and peanuts: the Iredell of Greensboro and this section. He of Asheville, arrived here today from farm to wheat, oats, corn, hay, cotton, was a lawyer of distinction and a Muskogee, Okla., where he has been horses and mules, restoration and preman well known in this and other sec- working to promote a trust company. servation of fertility, pears and peach tions of the State. He was born in Marshall Logan has a capias for him es; the Buncombe county farm to C., 77 years ago and and it is understood it will be served in the morning and \$8,000 bond will be

In the case of Champ Briggs, charged with killing his brother-in-law, Greensboro. He graduated from the Baxton Shelton, in Dadison county, last May, argument began in Superior and studied law under the late Judge Court today. Briggs contends he shot in self defense. Shelton had started a row over politics.

BOY DEFENDS PLAN TO DIE.

Suicide Leaves Note Expounding Remarkable Views of Life and Death. New York, Dec. 17.—After filling the section of Guilford county known two sheets of foolscap with a defense as Doggett's Mill, some seven or eight of his suicidal intentions, expressed in remarkable terms, 16 vear-old Joseph Dobin committed suicide by inhaling

Beside him were writings of Rusone brandy. Two men, R. A. Kirkman sian novelist, Turgenieff, on death, and and C. C. Coen, were placed under ar- his own views. "I do not want any of death," he wrote." "It is necessary "There is a great deal of talk about the cowardice of taking one's life. main's of Mr. W. A. Fries, who com- believe it is even still more cowardly to submit weakly to social conditions to allow one's individuality to b crushed in the grind of commercialism. I believe a serious blunder has been made in bringing me into this world, as it has been made in the millions of toiling, drudging human beings condemned to a life of misery

> The boy, a pale-faced, undersized youngster came to this country when he was about seven years old with the rest of the Dobin family from Russia.

JACOB DUNN ALONE HELD

Other Two Mountaineers Charged With Blackmail, Released

cob Dunn, alone of the three mountaineers charged with having sent threatening letters to President-elect Wilson, was held for the grand jury at the conclusion of his preliminary hearing here this afternoon. United States Commissioner Stock

in United States court yesterday af. yesterday by the court for a similar Jacob Dunn tonight had not furnish hat McManus & Wilson, grocery mer- ed bail and was held in confinement. hants conducting a business near He is alleged to have admitted writ-

der duress. The three men were arrested last Crosby Shoe Company, Inc., and week on the charge that on November ers. asked that Joe Reynolds & 11th, last they sent Governor Wilson

FOR CABINET POSITION

Name Josephus' Daniels Presented to President-elect Wilson

(Special Star Telegram.) Washington, D. C., December 18. Senator Lee S. Overman will go to Walls Bailey, convicted of having Trenton tomorrow to ask the Presithempted to poison her husband, C. dent elect to give Josephus, Daniels, of Bailey, a wealthy lumber man, a Raleigh, a place at his cabinet table: before he was clubbed to death The junior Senator is armed with reso-A. L. Watson, an employe, was lutions indorsing Mr. Daniels, passed enced today to five years in State's by the State Press Association, all of Watson was convicted of murthe delegates to the Baltimore conventher several weeks ago and was sen- tion and the State Central Committee. At a later date the members of Con-Confessions were read at the trials gress from the State, and both Sena-Watson and Mrs. Bailey indicating tors Simmons and Overman, will send that the two had plotted to dispose of a delegation to Trenton to urge the faboth the lumber man and Watson's vorable consideration of the North that they might be married. Mrs. Carolina man as a cabinet member,

DEFRAUDED BY SHORT WEIGHTS

Worst Shortages In Canned Meats-Probably Be Legislation On This Line-Vacancies On Board of Agriculture

(Special Star Correspondence.) Raleigh, N. C., December 18.+ there will be four vacanties on the have a total allowance of \$95,000 for State Board of Agriculture that Govment for a lot, which is located at are H. C. Carter, First district; I. H.

That people in North Carolina are will empower inspectors from the pure Over 75 agents of the North State food division of the Department of Agand 13-ounce packages as pound packages. The department cannot stop this until the Legislature requires that all these lines of foods have weights

There are now nineteen wholesale oil companies doing business in North Asheville, N. C., Dec. 18.-Notwith- Carolina, compared with four in the standing rain, several hundred people State when the State oil inspection gathered at the depot this morning act was passed four years ago. Comto greet W. J. Bryan, when he came missioner of Agriculture W. A. Grato deliver a lecture in the interest of ham calls attention to this as evithe State Odd Fellows' Orphanage at dence that the inspection act has had was taken in hand by a committee of companies instead of giving the Standcity officials and prominent citizens and Oil Company a greater monopoly

A State Test Farm for experiment with reference to accessibility in the peanut belt of the State. There are now seven State test farms. The Penplies for the farm; Granville farm to tobacco culture, and the county farm to black lands.

Indianapolis, Dec. 18 .- Walking del egates and officials who do not work but who use the funds of labor unions to enhance their own power even if they must resort to crime." was the government description in its argument to the jury at the "dynamite onspiracy" trial today of the 40 men charged with complicity in the Mc-Namara dynamite plots.

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No. 51, • 5:35 A. M.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tempe, Ft. Myera, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars Between Wilmington and Columbia, open to receive passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50, *12:30 A. M.
No. 64, 1 5:50 A. M.	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate Stations.	No 65, 1 6:25 P. M.
No. 48, • 8:30 A. M.	Goldsbero, Richmond, Norfolk and Wagh- lington. Pullman Parlor Cars between Wilmington and Nerfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York Trains with Pullman Service.	No. 49,
No. 53, • 8:45 A. M.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford	No. 52, 8:05 P. M.
No. 55, • 3:15 P. M.	Chadourn, Conway (1), Florence, Charleston, Savannah, All Florida Points, Columbia, Asheville and the West, Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia.	No. 54, * 1:40 P M
No. 62, 3:25 P M.	Jacksonyille, Newbern and Intermediate Stations.	No. 63, 12:50 P.M.
N. 59, 1 6:30 P. M.	Fayetteville, Sanford and Intermediate Stations.	No. 60, !10:15 A. M.
No. 42, • 7:00 P. M.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washing- ton and New York. Pullman Breffer, Buf- fet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, with Pullman and Dining Car Service. Pullman Sleeping Cars be- tween Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41, •10:00 A. M.
No. 57, ! 7:30 P. M.	Chadbourn, Conway and Intermediate Stations.	No.58, ! 8:15 A. M
• Daily.	! Daily except Sunday. a Daily e	xcept Monday

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