THURSDAY November 21, 1907.

#### Faith the Corner Stone.

(News and Odserver.) The Christian religion is based upon Faith. No less truly is buman society dependent upon belief and trust. Take out faith and there would be lost the power of religion to bless the lives of man kird. Take out the faith we have in our fellow men and civilized society would be destroyed in a

The money famine that ha reached all sections of the country had its birth when the whole world was shocked by the revela--tions of the dishonesty of trusted insurance officials. It was helped by the disclosures of rebate given by the Mortons, confessed ro b bery of stockholders and jug gling by the Harrimans, the conviction of the Rockefellers for violating the law, and the exposure of the men who had been trus blossom seasons The exposition ted trying to get rich quick by is to be international, and exhibdishonest and doubtful methods. its from foreign governments and There has been, of course, contri- peoples are desired. buting reasons to the money fam ine. but these and like disclosures of rascality began the loss for the purpose, and with the apof confidence.

Confidence is being gradually restored. In fact the South has of confidence in its financial institutions. They are sound and worthy of confidence. They have been unable to get their own money deposited in New York be cause the New York banks will not return their money in curren cy, and the tight money in the to pay for the South's crop of She donned mens' clothing 60 last week in Salisbury last week, cotton. But the trouble with N. years ago, as she found it hard adjourned in Mt. Airy last No-C. banks has come wholly from to make her way on account of vember, seven of the members conditions are restored in New man and lived with her 30 years: York there will be plenty of mon- After her "wife's" death last ey for our business. In the mean, year she became too feeble to time the trouble due to the mon- work and being sick was taken if everybods will follow the ex- ed. It was there that her sex beample of the Caswell county man came known. of whom the Burlington News Buys:

"A farmer from across the eountry came into town the oth- mass meeting held in Chicago, er day and went to one of our that that city had a white slave banks" and "pulled out a roll of syndicate that was doing a conmusty bills and said to the cash- siderable business. Judge Fred ier that he wanted to deposit the L. Fake, chairman of the meetbills in the bank. He said he had ing, gave instances where this those and would bring more. that unfortunate white girls are This shows the confidence that is sold not only over the United felt by our people."

up to hundreds of thousands of not sink if this be true. dollars-in hiding in North Carolina. If so, and all the men who have it in hiding places would put it in the banks the money famine in New York could not Carolina as it has done. Money who hoards it is to that extent neer and Lumber Co., of Salishampering business and helping bury, a silver medal for quarterother products.

North Carolina banks enjoy the confidence of all who know their management and their condtions. There is no reason why they should not be the depositories of all the money of the people to the end that it can be kept in circulation and prevent any check in North Carolina's prog-

can be stated on the highest au- are unable to plead for themthority that Gov. Glenn will, with selves. in the next two or three days, issue an order calling a special session. Just what recommendations the Governor will make to the legislators is not known and the issurance of the order is a waited with intense interest.-Asheville Citizen.

Kodol For Indigestion. palpliation of the beart. Digests what you eat. abscunded cushier.

The New York Tribune believes that while an elastic currency would help bankers to guide the of melanchly may creep into country through this difficult pe- church or Sunday school services declares The Tribune, "the trou- or chords. ble is the world-wide scarcity of A South Bend, Ind., lad, seven capital, and until new capital has years old, attended church for the been accumulated or until a fall, first time in his life one Sunday in the cost of labor and raw ma- last February. He went alone. terials makes the present supply He had been gone searcely half of capital go further than it has an hour when he returned home. gone for the last few years of His mother exclaimed: boom prices, the country will continue to experience some de- leave church so early?" gree of financial disturbance." In "I'll tell you mamma," was of truth. At the same time we see stand the sad songs they were no reson why all the early relief singing about Jesus."-Sel. possible should not be sought and obtained.-Charlotte Obser-

The Japanese embassy at Washington has been advised that the national exposition of 1912 at Tokio will be held between April the chrysanthemum and cherry

The national budget includes an appropriation of \$5,000,000 in the local lokic and other budgets the aggregate appronot been touched at all by lack priation probably will reach \$10 .-000,000. The grounds will embrace 250 acres, of which about 30 acres will be covered by buildings.-Landmark

In a hospital at Trinidad, Col., on the 11th inst., there died a woman 83 years old who, for 60 center has made it impossible for years had passed for a man. Her them to get the usual currency name was Catharine Vasbaugh. without, and as soon as normal her sex. She was married to a wo have died. ey famine will be greatly reduced to a hospital where she later di-

London rescuer, charged at a time."-Atchison Globe. some more at home just like seemed to be true. It is claimed States but to Panama and the Some people think there are | Harems of Turkey and Egypt. many thousand dollars-running | We don't know why Chicago does

The medals awarded North Carolina at Jamestown were as follows: The Cochrane Show case slacken the business in North Co., of Charlotte, a silver medal; a farm But not one of them would tne Hickory Seed Co, of Hicko- be willing to go back to it and is performing its real function on ry, a silver medal for cleaned perform the old tasks again. Mar ly when it is at work and the man grain and seeds; the Kincaid Veto depress the price of cotton and ed oak and sycamore veneering, and the Elkin Woollen Mills, of Elkin, a gold medal for the best United States Senate, to succeed blankets in the world. All of Senator Martin. which goes on to prove that the Old North State stands in the very front ranks of the nation.

Rev. C. A. Jenkins, pastor of of the Frst Baptist Church at 2.626,259 bushels. Statesville, preached recently on the treatment of dumb animals. None of us are considerate en-While Gov. Glenn still refuses to ough, and it would be we'l if the talk in regard to calling of a spe- ministers of the gospel would ofcial session of Legislatue to take ten remind their flocks of their up the passenger rate question it duty to the dumb animals that

> Some time ago the People's woman even in her weakness .-National Bank, of Portsmouth, French. Va., suspended payment, saying the financial stringency was the cause. Later the bank was placed in the hands of a seceiver, it having been made insolvent through the defalcations of the

It is possible that oft n a tone First stands the lofty Washingriod it would be no carefor exist- quite depressing to the young. ing financial ills. "At bottom," Healthy children do not like min-

which there is a very great deal the prompt response, "I couldn't

There has recently been a letter of Criticism of the Pope written by Father Ferrell, an English Jesuite, and it is probable he will be ex-communicated. It is said that since Luther, this is the first instance of the Pope being Whose term was filled by Arthur 1 October 31, thus covering both scorned by a member of the Catholic clergy

It is inevitable that temptations come, but every one of us has it largely within his will to say what his temptations shall be; to determine by his conduct of today what form the temptapropriaion expected to be made tions of tomorrow shall asume. -George Adam Smith.

> The well-known Canadian divine, Rev. Dr. John Potts, recent ly died. He was eminent in Mothodist circles, a leading educator, a member of the International Sunday School Lesson Committee and a great Christian Endeavor worker.

Since the Annual Conference of the Mcthodist Church which met

A very old lady on her deathbed in a penitential mood said "I have been a great sinner for more then eaighty years and did not know it."

An old colred woman who had Recently Miss Rose Johnson, a claimed Lord! I knew it all the

> Your anxiety does not empty tomorrow of its sorrow; but ah! it empties today of its strength. It does not make you escape the evil; it makes you unfit to cope with it if it comes. - Ian McLaren.

C. H. Small, a drug clerk in Thomasville, recently received news that his uncle had died in Oklahoma and left him from \$50,000 to \$75,000. He went at once to see about it.

Nearly every man you meet boasts of having been raised on shall Gazette.

O. B. Mastin, State Superinten dent of Sonth Carolina, has announced his candidacy for the

It is estimated that 13,000 acres are devoted to onion culture in the United States, and this year's crop is estimated at Total.....\$ 45 710-47.

The State of Washington had the largest apple crop in its history this year.

He who has a good nest finds good friends .- Portugese.

The better the fruit the more wasp do eat it.—German.

A true gentleman will respect

What you give is written in sand; what you take, with an iron hand.-German

CASTORI

#### Rhime of the Presidents.

The noble, great, immortal one.

The elder Adams next we see, And Jefferson makes the number

Then Mad son is f. ur. you know. The fifth one on the list Monroe The sixth and Adams comes a-

With Jackson seventh in the train

Van Buren eighth falls into line Vnd Harrison makes the number nine

The tenth is Tyler in his turn. "Why, Frank, why did you And Polk eleventh, so we learn. The twelfth is Tyler in rotation Eilmore thirteenth in succession Fourteenth Pierce has been selected.

Buchanan fifteenth is elected. And sixteenth Lincoln rules the

nation. And Johnson seventeenth fills

his station. The eighteenth then is Grant, you know And nineteenth Haves from Ohio.

Garfield, the loved and martyred one,

through. When Cleveland comes as twenty

Then Harrison as twenty-three When Cleveland once again is heard.

s twenty-fifth, McKinley great, Who, too, has shared the martyr's fate,

And, though the deepest grief is

We hail the gallant Roosevelt .-Sup't Shawan Columbus Schools. consistent with safe Banking.

(It occurs to us that a more useful lesson than this could hardly be taught to our public school pupils, and we hope our teachers will require the smaller ones, at least, to commit it to memory.

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Very Respectfully, L. L. CRITCHER (Near School Campus.)

### BANK STATEMENT.

Following is the report of the condition of the Watnuga County Bank at Boone, N. C., in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business Aug. 22, 1907: RESOURCES.

Loans and discounts

\$24,614.61 Overdrafts secured 78.62 Overdrafts unsecured, 298 44. Banking house 1,870.24. Furriture and fixtures 400.00. Due from banks and bankers 13,400.57. Cash items 100.00 Gold coin, 2,135.00. Silver coin, including all minor coin currency. 625,99. National bank notes and

2,587.00 LIABILITIES

other U.S. Notes

\$10,000.00. Oct. 17, Capital stock Undivided profits, less current expenses and tax paid 1.117.91. Bills payable Time certificates of deposit

included in bills pavable Deposits subject to check 28,899.73 Cashier's ck's outstanding 1,213.95

Total ......\$45 710 47. State of North Carolina, Watauga county, ss: I, E. S. Coffey, Cushier of the above named bank, do solemply awear that the above state-

ment is true to the best of my knowl edge and belief. E. S. Coffey, Cashier. Correct-Attest: N. L Mast: W. C. Coffey, Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 11th day of Sept. 1907. J. M. May, Register of Deeds

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For the present I will pay \$1.95 for Birch Oil. Yours For Business,

MILLARD F. HOPKINS.

Elk Park, May 1st, 1907.

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