A NOTABLE CONFERENCE (Continued from First Page.)

Fine addresses were delivered by Dr. J. Hyde Pratt, of Chapel Hill assistant State seclosist; Mr. Fred C. Bates, superintendent of the New York agency of the General Electric Company; Prof. H. D. House, of the chair of botany in Chemson College, and W. S. Lee, as, of Charlotte, vice president of the Southern Power Company. Dr. Collier Cobb, of the faculty of the University of North Carolina spoke very entertainingly of the vast work that is being done in eastern North Carolina in maintaining the inland waterways. He described methods of work in use and spoke of the vast sums that are being expended yearly. In closing he urged the importance of a State forestry association and the good results try association and the good results that would follow the appointment of a State forester.

Governor Glenn's address deserves to rank as one of the best of the conference. He stated that the impression
had gone abroad in western North Carolina that the government would force
land owners to vacate their property
if the bill that is pending in Congress
is passed. This idea he declared to be
altogether erroneous for no land ownar would be forced to sell this property
under any circumstances. While the
property owners had rights to their
land and all that is on it, still there
were rights which the general public
had which were not to be trampled on.
If the destruction of the forests would
result in great harm to the public welfare the State had the right to step in
and forbid the destruction of the forank as one of the best of the conand forbid the destruction of the for-

Governor Glenn declared in the most forcible terms that the South was entitled to almost any appropriation that she might get. We have helped the West secure her vast forest reserves. The South now asks for approximately 4.300 square miles of woodland to be set aside for future service, which is barely 1-30 of the forest area in the West. The East pays more taxes than the West and if there is a section that should be remembered now it is the East which includes the South.

"I have been made chairman of the committee that is to urge the passage of the proposed bill in Congress. With the help of the other members of the committee from Virginia, West Virginia, Tennessee, South Carolina, Georgia and Alabama, I shall go in person to passed and that the small appropria-tion of \$3,000,000 is granted."

Enthusiastic applause greeted this statement of Governor Glenn. The personnel of the committee is to be appointed later by the chairman. Governor Glenn then excused himself. stating that he had to leave on the late train for his home in Raleigh. Mayor S. S. McNinch took charge of the meeting and called upon Prof. J. A. Holmes, State geologist.

Prof. Holmes' lecture was illustrated with views bringing out the many points of interest. The views were thrown upon a curtain very handsome. The lecture was a most delightful one. Prof. Holmes is a favorite in Charlotte and he is always welcome. He has been a student of forests and forest preservation for the past many years and is an expert of well known ability. His lecture was all that could have been wished

The conference, as has been stated, was held for the purpose of arousing public sentiment in favor of the passage of such legislation by Congress looking to the establishment of forest reserves in the Appalachian moun-At the session last night, the special committee consisting of Prof. J. A. Holmes, of Raleigh, chairman; Smythe, of Charleston, S. C.: D. A. Thompkins, of Charlotte; J. F. Hays, of Asheville; Alfred Akerman, of Boston, Mass., and J. Elwood Cox, High Point, introduced the following resolutions which are of unusual and timely interest. The draft of the

resolutions follow: RESOLUTIONS.

"In view of the rapid rate at which the forests of the Appalachian region are being destroyed and as a con-

'(1.) The rapid rate at which the lands of those mountain regions are being washed away;

(2.) The extent to which the water powers and the navigation of the streams in the adjacent States are being ruined by the increasing irregu-larly in the flow of the streams, and The extent to which the agricultural lands bordering these streams in the different States are being destroyed by the increasing floods;

(4.) The rapid exhaustion of the

timber wealth of these regions, a resource that should be fostered as carefully as fields or mines-therefore, "Resolved, that the Governors of each of the States directly interested in the perpetuation of the forests of the Appalachians, be urged to appoint a com-mittee of three to arrange for organtzing State forestry associations, which will aid in securing both national action in behalf of this Appalachian forest reserve, State action in behalf of local forest developments, and action look-

ing to the appointment of a State for-

ester in each of these States. "Resolved, That the chairman of this meeting request the Governors of Virginia, West Virginia, Pennsylvania, Maryland, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and each of the New England States to cohimself in ap-suitable delegates operate with himself pointing five suitable from each of these States to meet in Washington, at a date to be fixed by the chairman, to urge the passage of the bill now pending in Congress, looking to the establishment and maintenance of forest reserves in the Appalachian and White mountains. Resolved further, that the chairman of this meeting, Governor Glenn, be now appointed chairman of this dele-

now appointed chairman of this dele-gation.

"Resolved, that the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the States adjacent to the Appalachian region be respectfully and earnestly urged to do everything in their power to secure the passage of the bill pro-viding for the Appalachian and White mountain forest reserves new pending before Congress at the present ses-sion.

"Recognizing the public press as one of the great educational forces of the time, and appreciating the important work which it has done in pushing forward the industrial development of the South Atlantic States:

"Resolved, that the newspapers of the country be earnestly urged to redouble their efforts in behalf of the snovements of the perpetration of the

double their efforts in behalf of the snovements of the perpetration of the storests of the Southern Appalachian region, upon which depends so largely not easily the future of that region, as one of the steat reserts of the faction, but also for the water powers and navigation of the streams and the agricultural larids bordering these streams in all the adjacent States.

Becognising the influence for good and for progress which can be and is exerted by he Governors of the several states.

Resolved, that the Governors of the States interested on this movement for perpetuation of the Appalachian forests be each respectfully urged to are art his influence in behalf of this most important movement.

"Resolved, that the thanks of this forestry congress be extended to the

Salesmen—The Officers—New Members Elected—Interest in the Grand Council, at Columbia, S. C., the 31st Instant.

The Charlotte council of the United Commercial Travelers held its annual meeting for the election of officers at its hall over Belk Bros, store, last night. After the election of officers, a juncheon—served and a social session held. The meeting was a most enjoyable one.

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The election of efficers resulted as follows: Senior councillor, L. N. Schiff; junior councillor, J. S. Biake; conductor, W. E. Gibson; page, J. M. Peoples: sentinel, J. M. Ross; secretary, E. B. Littlefield; member of the executive committee for two years, succeeding J. S. Biake, E. P. Tingley; members of executive committee for one year, G. M. Kistler and H. G. Link, Jr.

The grand council of the two Caro-

The grand council of the two Caro-linas will be held at Columbia, S. C., the 31st instant. This event was discussed last night, and much interest was manifested in the meeting. Quite a number of the local Travelers will

Three new members were initiated into the order last night: Messrs. W. E. Turnball, E. W. Clark and R. W. Welsh. Among the visitors present were Mr. J. F. Beckwith, of Flower City council, Rochester, N. Y., and Mr. A. L. Mackley, of the Day-ton council, Dayton, Ohio.

Concert at Manufacturer's Club To-Night.

The Richardson Orchestra will give a concert at the Southern Manufac-turers' Club to-night, beginning at 9 o'clock. The concerts have been prov ing a very enjoyable feature at the Manufacturers' Club and are largely attended by the members of their familles. The ladies entitled to the club privileges are especially invited to the concert to-night. The following programme will be rendered: . Light CavalryVon Suppe

Love Thee Grieg Scene de Ballet de Beriot D. Amati Richardson. Sergeant Kitty Sloane

Largo Handel Serenade Schubert D. Amati Richardson. Philharmonic Echoes Tobani

Mr. Ed Mellon's Funeral. The funeral of Mr. Edward W. Mellon, who died Friday morning, was held at the residence, at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. Dr. J. R. Howerton conducted the services, and the Masons were in charge of the ceremonies at the house and at the cemetery. A large crowd of representative men and omen of the city went to the home and from there followed the remains to the grave. A great wealth of flowers were contributed by loving friends. The following stores closed for the funeral: The Charlotte Merchantile Company, York Brothers & Rogers,

Rev. W. W. Orr to Address Y. P. C. U. Conference.

the Tate-Brown Company.

the Long-Tate Clothing Company and

Rev. Dr. W. W. Orr, pastor of East venue Tabernacle, has been informed that he is scheduled to make two addresses before the Young People's Christian Union conference which will meet at Dayton, Ohio, Aug. 1. conference will last five days and will be one of the largest religious gath-erings of the year.

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THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Sunday and Monday: Fair and colder Sunday; Monday fair, fresh west winds.

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