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DOCTORS TO DISCUSS FEES

ico State Medical Society to Con-sider Whether its Members Should Accept Graded Schedule of Pers Offered by Insurance Companies— The Two Issues Stated. The State Medical Society meets in

The State Medical Society meets in Charlotte next week. The indications are that this meeting will be the big-set in the history of the society. More than 600 of the wost prominent North Carolins physicians will attend. Prep-arations have been made to entertain the delegates in lavish style. The banquet alone will cost over \$2,000. One of the most interesting ques-tions that will be presented will be that of insurance examination fees. For years past, the New York Life, the Penn Mutual Life and a number of other insurance companies have been operating under what is known as a graded achedule of fees, allowing \$3 for policies from \$1,000 to \$3,000; \$5 for policies from \$3,000 to \$5,000 and so on, the fees being proportion. and so on, the fees being proportion-ate to the size of the policy. The State physicians, that is a big ma-jority of them, maintain that they should receive \$5 as a minimum citizens of our

charge. The companies which now operate community. under a schedule of fees are the New York Life, the Equitable, the Mutual, the Prudential, the Metropolitan, the South Atlantic, the Union Central, the Germania, Penn Mutual and several others. It is reported on good author-ity that the Mutual Benefit, which company has been paying \$5 for years and years, and several State compa-nies will soon come to the graded schedule of fees, with the other companies. Rumors are heard frequently n insurance circles that a number of

the other companies will take simi-lar steps. The doctors maintain that the examination is worth \$5. They say that where they are called in to pass judgment upon a risk involving one or more thousands of dollars to the insurance companies, that their professional services should be and are worth more than the \$3 which they

on the other hand the insurance claim that the examinations are grief. The funeral services will be conduct-

easy to make and that little profes-sional skill is required. They say that these examinations carry with ed at the home, on North College street, this morning at 9 o'clock. Rev. them little responsibility, as compared T. Willingham will conduct the serwith the diagnosis of other cases in vices. The pall-bearers will be Messrs. which the issue is life or death. They Willis Brown, Fred White, S. A. Dutcher and James W. Wadsworth, maintain further that the examinations are made largely at the conve-The following named relatives of of the doctor and not at the Mr. and Mrs. Kuester are with them: convenience of the applicant for in-Capt. N. L. Shaw, of Drake's Branch, Va., and Mrs. Dennis Simmonds, of urance. In a word the insurance men may that the examinations are not Lexington, father and sister respecworth more than the fees which they are now paying, to wit: \$3, \$5, \$10. tively of Mrs. Kuester; Mr. Asheley Horne and Miss Swannanoa Horne, of etc. The insurance companies hold that it requires less than 30 minutes layton, uncle and cousin of Mr. Kuester, and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Kuester, to make the required test, and that, of Columbia, S. C. compared with the fees received in

oher cases, that the amount that they pay is just and equable. This is to be presented at the meeting of the State Medical Society next week.

Night. An Observer man was talking to The United States Marine Band, one of the most prominent insurance Lieutenant W. A. Santilmann, leader, the largest and best band in the men in the State several days ago about this matter. He stated that his country, military or other, which yeswould any of the other companies company terday proved itself one of the best features of the celebration, will give which are now operating under the a concert at the Academy of Music to-night at 8.30 o'clock. An admischedule. He went further to say that he had been instructed by his comsion will be charged and the company that where there was a county in which no doctor could be secured mittee has arranged to divide the recelpts among the members of the make the examinations at the present fees, to move his agency from band, as an appreciation of the part that community to some other where such a doctor could be secured. This they are taking in the celebration. The programme to be rendered folurance expert further stated that lows:

March, "The Liberty Bell"....Sousa Overture, "William Tell"....Rossini there were a number of prominent Overture, "William Tell",....Rossini Grand Fantasia, "Lohengrin"..... mans in the State who were satished with the present fees and had agreed to stand by the companies. He resented the matter being brought

re the State Medical Society, de-

ELEPHANT HELD UP TRAIN CALL FOR MEMORIAL SERVICE. Tribute to Prof. George B. Hanna From the Young Men's Christian Association—A Memorial Service Sunday Afternoon,

Filled Trunk From Tank and Drove Orew from the Engine. Indianapolis Special to Washington Post.

To-day we bow our hearts in grief unspeakable. The best friend the Young Men's Christian Association of Charlotte and the Carolinas, ever had is dead. The lips that spoke so often, so earnestly, so effectively, in behalf Toung Men's Christian Association of Charlotte and the Carolinas, ever had is dead. The lips that spoke so often, so earnestly, so effectively, in behalf of the associations, are closed forever.

watching her antics. The big elephant was in the car next to the engine, and just as the train drew up at Belfast she had fill-ed her trunk with water from the engine tank and deluged the engineer The heart whose throbs were the as-sociations every drum-beat in its ever onward march of progress is stilled of all time. In this hour of our stilled of all time. In this hour of our desolation we cannot attempt to tell the world what manner of man he was nor how we loved him. As mem-bers of the board of directors of the Charlotte association and of the inter-State executice committee we hereby appoint a public service to be held on the afternoon of Sunday, the 27th of May, 1906, in the First Pres-byterian church, when a suitable meand fireman, who were driven from the cab. Every time they tried to return the elephant threw a stream of water against them with such force as to take them almost off their feet. Charles Williamson was standing on

the station platform when Queen sud-denly turned a trunk full of water upon him. He was knocked from the platform and rolled down an embankbyterian church, when a suitable me-morial shall be presented and all the ment, and was picked up unconscious. city, and friends of Three ribs were broken, and one of he work in the Carolinas be requestthem, it is thought, was driven into ed to join in honoring the memory of the stomach. our deceased brother whose life has No one dared go near the car, and

been such a benediction to this whole Queen held the engineer and fireman off till she had practically drained the (Signed) J. A. DURHAM, tank, mud and all, and thrown it on every side at whatever object came Vice President Charlotte Y. M. C. A. M. B. SPEIR, Vice Chairman Inter-State Executive within reach. Committee of the Y. M. C. A. of HIKE-A-LONG.

the Carolinas. Large Crowd at Latta Park and Fair Grounds on Opening Day. CLARENCE KUESTER, JR., DEAD

After Several Days of Pain the Spirit of the Little One Goes to Rest-Funeral This Morning.

MARINE BAND CONCERT.

continually passing through the gates and enjoying the up-to-date attrac-tions that Battery "A", Charlotte Ar-tilley, has secured for the celebra-Clarence O., Jr., the 20-months-old on of Mr. and Mrs. Clarence O. Kuester, died yesterday morning at 2:15. The little one had been ailing for tion this week. One of the best per-formances at the Hike-a-Long and more than a week, but had been seone of the most dangerous feats posiously ill for only four days. Everysibly is performed by Dare Devil Dothing possible was done to save the herty, who jumps a 45-foot gap on a bicycle. King Pharoah, th eeducated little one for his parents, but all ef-forts were vain. Sympathizing relahorse, is a wonder, and the statue turning to life is bewildering and tives and friends watched with the anxious parents until the end came, beautiful. and have supported them in their

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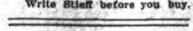
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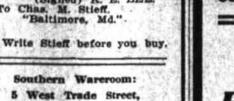
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claring that this was a matter to be decided by the examiners and the insurance companies. Placing the em-bargo upon a few by the many he

Novelette, "Petite Bijouterie". Bohm March, "Thomas Jefferson"..... maintains will virtually result in a boycott.

However this may be, the question will be debated at some length next National Anthem, "The Star Spangled week and the State is interested in the outcome. Banner" Key

STATE B. & L. MEETING.

Official Programme Issued—Address-es by Hons. J. C. Buxton, O. B. Eaton, J. C. Crowell and Others.

The official programme and invitation to the third annual convention of the North Carolina Building and Loan League, which meets in Winston-Balem, Tuesday and Wednesday, June 5th and 6th, has been issued. The sessions will be held in the office

of the Winston-Salem Building and Loan Association, No. 106 West Fourth street. The indications are that the convention will be well at-tended. President S. Wittkowsky has

received a number of applications for associations all over the State. He is highly gratified with the outlook and spree.

highly gratified with the outlook and the disposition of some rotten eggs. is anticipating a huge time in the He was charged with maintaining a Twin-City next month. The pro-Tuesday, June 5th, 5 o'clock p. m. pealed.

Convention Called to Order

Roll-Call Reading of Minutes of Last Meeting Report of President 8 Wittkowsky Report of Secretary E. L. Keesler Recens.

'9 o'clock, p. m. Reception at Elks' Club Rooms Wednesday, June 6, 1906: Court House

Music Convention Called to Order Address of Welcome

Hon, J. C. Buxton Of Concord, N. C. Response

Addresses by President Wittkowsky Mr. R. E. Cochrane Of Charlotte, N. C. Capt. E. L. Keesler Of Charlotte, N. C. 4:80 O'clock, p. m. Trolly ride to Nissen Park

9 O'clock, p. m. Banquet at Hotel Phoenix Address......Hon. D. A. Tompkins Of Charlotte, N. C. Impromptu Talks by Delegates and Guests

Adjournment

Substantial Appreciation of Work of Firemen, **Piremen.** Chief of the Pire Department W. 8. Orr yesterday received a check for Hof from the South Atlantic Waste Company, whose warehouse, contain-ing 7,090 bules of cotton waste, was destroyed by fire last Thursday night, to be divided among the firemen in appreciation of the work done by them in keeping down the flames and writing the main building of the plant, The money was to be divided as fol-lows: Chief Orr, 410; Firemen J. M. Davidson, W. A. Cruse, J. 8. Manies, J. M. Black, W. C. Owen, Koe Orr, W. B. Glens, foreman, Frank Orr, R. D. Northey, Ed. Stons, O. L. Barrin-ger, C. Muse, Charlie Tiens, F. M. Grasham, C. Muse, Joe Harkey and B. Kickpatrick, 15 each.

DEATHS FROM APPENDICITIS mass in the same ratio that the use or. King's New Life Pills Increases, any you from danger and bring and politics release from consti-on and the life growing out of it.

A Variety of Offenders Arraigned and Punished-The List. There was a variety of offenders in the city police court yesterday. The first man at the bat was Ephriam Alexander, colored, who had violated a city ordinance. Ephriam struck five times and was out. John Thompson, colored, had been too rough in caressing his wife, Cora

Thompson He was fined \$5. Ben Lay, for an assault on A. R. Cline, was fined \$20.

James Stevenson, for a "scrip" drunk, was fined \$20 and the costs. W. Z. Skinner forfeited a bond of \$20 in preference to answering for a

M. Oglesby had been careless about nuisance and was fined \$25. He ap-

Miss Mary Ann Hutchison Dead. Miss Mary Ann Hutchison died yesterday afternoon at her home in Mal-lard Creek township. Miss Hutchi-son was 70 years old and is survived by a sister, Miss Sarah Hutchison. She was a sister of the late, Mr. J. R. Hutchison. She was a consistent member of the Mallard Creek Pres-byterian church. The funeral ser-

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vices will be conducted at the home this morning at 10:30 o'clock by Rev. Mr. Summers. -Deputy Clerk of the Superior Fourt W. M. Moore is engaged in making up the docket for the June criminal term of the court, which will

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