

# MAKES REPORT ON INSURANCE

## Legislative Committee Named to Probe the Insurance Conditions Makes Strong Recommendations.

### INDS INSURANCE RATES HAVE BEEN ARBITRARY

### Marble Bust of Judge William Gaston Presented to State—His Brilliant Career as Jurist-Scholar.

(By W. T. Best.)

Raleigh, Nov. 25.—The insurance committee appointed by the general assembly of 1913 to probe the insurance conditions of the state, returned their findings to the state yesterday evening in fifty or more pages of typewritten matter that embody some strong recommendations to the incoming assembly.

The committee held many sessions and took evidence many days. It found a good deal of evidence that insurance rates have been arbitrarily made by the Southeastern Tariff association, and its disclosures indicate that these rates have been raised without any reason. The first big thing that committee recommends is that a raise of rates be allowed hereafter until they have been submitted to the insurance commissioner.

This body urges also the enactment of a law that will force the complete inspection of the premises to be insured, the inspection to be made by the companies. It hopes through this to reduce the waste by greater care, the result of their findings will be the recommendation of several laws which will tend to the lowering of rates.

The marble bust of Judge William Gaston, of the North Carolina Supreme court, was presented yesterday evening to North Carolina in the presence of a distinguished company in the new administration building.

The exercises were under the direction of Clement C. Manly of Winston-Salem, who was named by the North Carolina bar association to perform the function for that body. Little Miss Sarah Hall Busbee, daughter of the late Mrs. R. S. Busbee of this city, who remote in years but close in relationship to the great jurist, pulled the strings that exposed the beautifully carved features of Judge Gaston. Judge Henry Groves Connor, biographer of the late Gaston and former member of the State Supreme court bench, made an address on the life of his distinguished predecessor and Governor which was accepted for the state.

### FARMERS OF HAYWOOD TO MEET DECEMBER 7

#### Annual Meeting Called—Some Matters of Interest to Be Considered.

The Wayneville Courier says: "The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Haywood County Farmers' association, incorporated, has been called for Monday, December 7, the meeting to be held in the court house in Wayneville at 11 o'clock.

"The meeting is for the purpose of electing directors and officers and the transaction of such other business as may come before the association. Every stockholder is urged to be either present or else to send a proxy, but the presence of each is earnestly urged. Proxies should be forwarded to either the president, Captain M. D. Kinsland, or the secretary, Horace Sentelle.

"At this meeting the affairs of the association for the year are to be wound up, including the final details of the last annual fair. It will be learned with pleasure that a checking of the business of the last fair showed just about an even break between receipts and expenses. The association had to borrow money for the 1913 fair, however, and this was paid off from the receipts of this year. By this, another deficit for this year is caused.

"Premium winners may expect to receive their checks sometime during the first or second week in December."

Some farmers in Germany use roosters for hatching eggs and raising chicks. They take better care of the chicks than the hens do, even fighting hawks to protect them.

### Dr. Bull's COUGH SYRUP

Have you a cold with a hacking or racking cough, hoarseness, bronchitis, grippe, or an asthmatic or pulmonary cough with sore chest? Has the baby croup, whooping cough or measles cough?

**SAMPLE, FREE.** Then test the old reliable Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup, free. Write to J. C. Hayes & Co., Baltimore, Md. Mention this paper.

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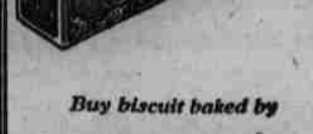
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## AUSTRIANS GIVE UP MOUNTAIN PASSES

### Battles in East Being Fought Over Front of Four Hundred Miles.

Berlin, Nov. 25.—(By Wireless to Sayville, L. I.)—The following information was given out today by the official press bureau:

"While an eventual victory for the Teutonic allies in the eastern theater of war is expected, as confidently as ever, official reports from the German and Austrian military headquarters made it appear that a decision will not be reached as had been expected. The final result has been delayed by the advance of new Russian forces from Warsaw.

"The Austrians announce that they have abandoned to superior forces several passes in the Carpathians. The Russian troops which are investing Przemyel have been driven back by a sortie, and are not within range of the cannon of the forts.

"The Russians who crossed the lower Danube are not able to proceed further.

"The tremendous extent of the battles now raging in the east is apparent from the fact that contests are now in progress along a front extending over 400 miles between the positions on the extreme north and south.

"There was a light snowfall in Berlin early this morning, and the temperature fell below zero, centigrade. Dispatches appearing in Italian newspapers are to the effect that molestation of Italian shipping by the French is part of a systematic plan of the French to divert the maritime trade of Genoa to Marseilles. Word comes from Rome that in northern Italy there is much feeling against England in consequence of the fact that several metal foundries were closed because of the seizure of copper and lead. British imports in October, according to reports from Rome, decreased 20,000,000 pounds, or 40 per cent, and the exports 18,000,000 pounds, or sixty per cent as compared with last year.

"Switzerland has lodged protests with London and Bordeaux against the violation of Swiss neutrality by British aviators, and demands satisfaction.

"The Copenhagen Politiken states that English reports that Germany wishes peace are absurd, and that their only aim is to keep England in good humor. Germany has no reason for wishing peace, since her armies are on foreign territory and her navy is unharmed."

### SHIPS NOT SUFFICIENT TO TRANSPORT COTTON

Washington, Nov. 25.—Reports to President Wilson show that orders for cotton in the United States greatly exceed the number of ships available for carrying the cotton. He said that everything possible was being done by the government to remedy the cotton situation.

President Wilson does not consider that sufficient ships have taken out American registry since the beginning of the war to interfere with the passage of his bill in congress.

### WINTER GRAIN GROWING IN SOUTHERN STATES

Washington, Nov. 25.—To assist southern planters the department of agriculture has issued special bulletins on the growing of winter wheat and winter oats in the cotton belt.

C. W. Warburton, agronomist in the bureau of plant industry, says the value of a winter grain crop in the south was never more apparent than now.

"With cotton low in price," says Mr. Warburton, "farmers are looking for crops that can be sold for cash or which will lessen their expenses by supplying feed for work stock. Wheat, oats, and barley are all readily salable locally and in northern markets, while at present there is also a considerable demand for export.

"The oat crop succeeds rather better than either of the other grains in the south Atlantic and gulf states, except perhaps on the heavy clay soils of the Piedmont area (western North and South Carolina and northern Georgia and Alabama.)

"While it is now too late to sow oats to supply pasture this fall, the crop may be sown safely for grain in November in eastern and southern North and South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, and southern Texas. Many experiments have shown that October or November seeding will produce far better yields of oats in the south Atlantic and gulf states than sowing during the winter or early spring.

The Eskimo pays his doctor his fee as soon as he arrives. If the patient recovers it is kept, if not it is returned.

### VICK'S Croup and PNEUMONIA SALVE

## GRAY FOLKS

### Gray, Faded, Streaked With Gray Hair Darkened Evenly.

Here's a chance to try the effect of a simple, harmless preparation called Q-Ban Hair Color Restorer on your hair and scalp with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it won't cost you one cent unless it beautifully darkens your hair. Simply apply Q-Ban like a shampoo, to hair and scalp, on retiring. Although not a dye, Q-Ban acts on the hair roots so the gray disappears and the hair is beautifully darkened so evenly, naturally and thoroughly (even where the hair joins the scalp) that no one can tell it has been used. In addition Q-Ban stops itching scalp and dandruff and makes the hair thick, fluffy, soft, lustrous, beautifully dark and abundant. Q-Ban is not sticky or messy, but is a clean liquid. Try it. Darkens hair when all else fails. Only 50c for big 7-oz. bottle. Walker's Pharmacy, Asheville, N. C. Out-of-town people supplied by mail.

## TWO MATINEES AT THE MAJESTIC TOMORROW

### New Bill of Keith Vaudeville, Six Feature Acts, Will Be Presented.

The management of the Majestic announces that they will give two matinee performances tomorrow, Thanksgiving day, the first performance to start at 2 o'clock and the second at 4. The new vaudeville bill opens tomorrow and the management declares they have secured another strong bill, which consists of six acts.

The new Keith vaudeville bill opens with Bell and Roscoe, comedy acrobats; Reynolds and Lewis, yodlers; Joffe; John and Ruby Kenny, in a comedy singing, talking and acrobatic dancing act; Low and Sterling, billed as "The Fashion Plates of Songland," is said to be an act of unusual merit.

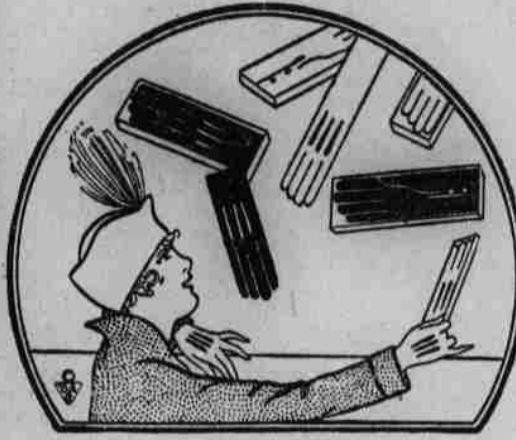
The bill features Cora Miskell and Len Miller, who are introducing "The Girl with the Boy's Voice," a singing and musical novelty. Budd and Clare, versatile comedians, complete the bill.

### PARALYSIS CONQUERED AT LAST BY DR. CHASE'S Special Blood and Nerve Tablets Write for Proof and Booklet

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## Closed Tomorrow---Thanksgiving Day

Shop today for your Thanksgiving needs and take advantage of the extraordinary bargains we are offering in the Thanksgiving Sale. New Specials have gone on sale each day. There are many UNADVERTISED SPECIALS, that have not been mentioned in the paper.



### \$1.00 Kid Gloves for 79c Pair

We are desirous of reducing our stock of kid gloves and have marked the dollar grade at the very special price quoted above. These gloves are in black, white and colors, all sizes are included.

None exchanged—None guaranteed—None repaired at this price—79c pair.

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\$22.50 and \$20 Suits are priced \$14.75

\$25.00 Suits, all sizes, best colors and materials, for \$18.75

## Dresses Underpriced

A very special purchase from one of our most important New York connections permits us to offer the unusual values mentioned below.

Up to \$25.00 values in Silk and Serge Dresses, all sizes, for \$8.95

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## MAJESTIC THEATRE Last Half THIS WEEK

### Keith Superior Vaudeville NEW BILL OPENS TOMORROW

TWO MATINEES — THANKSGIVING DAY — 2:00 and 4:00

## MISKELL AND MILLER INTRODUCING THE GIRL WITH THE BOY'S VOICE

BELL AND ROSCOE COMEDY ACROBATS REYNOLDS AND LEWIS YODLERS LOWE AND STERLING FASHION PLATES OF SONG LAND JOHN AND RUBY KENNY ACROBATIC DANCING

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SCENE FROM "THE MAKING OF BOBBY BURNIT" AT THE GALAX TOMORROW.

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A Powerful Story of Adventure and Revolution by Richard Harding Davis.

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