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NO STANDING THIS WEEK

BE ANNOUNCED NEXT TUESDAY; THE BUGGY WINNER

The Names and Standing of the Contestants, and Other Announcements Will Appear Tuesday.

WATCH FOR THEM

PROTEST MADE BY NEW ORLEANS

Cotton Exchange Against Proposed Bill Lading Plan

Calls Meeting of All Southern Buyers to Be Held in November at New Orleans—Thinks That the Bill Lading Plan Would Benefit Foreign Interests.

New Orleans, Aug. 17.—Branding the proposed plan of the Liverpool cotton bills of lading committee to institute in New York a clearing house for the validation of cotton bills of lading as a "direct reflection and insult upon those engaged in the exporting of cotton", placing itself upon record as opposing the plan in its entirety, the New Orleans cotton exchange, yesterday afternoon, through its board of directors passed resolutions to this effect and approved the report of its special committee appointed to investigate the proposition.

PUBLICITY BILL PASSES SENATE

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LEADER OF MOB IS UNDER ARREST

Three Men Held by Police for Burning Negro

Coatesville, Pa., Aug. 17.—Three men, one of whom the authorities assert was a leader of the mob were arrested here yesterday and charged with murder in connection with the burning of Zack S. Walker, who was dragged on his bed from the Coatesville hospital on Sunday night and cremated. Those arrested yesterday were Joseph Schofield, master mechanic of the Conestoga Traction Company; Norman Price, a mill hand, and George Stoll, who was employed with Price in the iron works. The accused were taken into custody after they had been closely questioned at the Coatesville police station and were then rushed by automobile to the West Chester jail.

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SEWAGE PLANT CAUSE OF SUITS

City of Durham Made Defendant by Farmers of County

WILL ASK LARGE DAMAGES

Charges that the Disposal Plant Has Not Been Properly Operated and as a Result Bottom Land on Ellerbe Creek is Uncultivable and Stench Unbearable.

FUNERAL OF MR. WYATT

Raleigh, Aug. 17.—The funeral of the lamented Job P. Wyatt, prominent merchant here who died from cuts in his throat self-inflicted with a razor, was held from the First Baptist church, in which he was a deacon, yesterday afternoon at 6 o'clock. The service was conducted by Dr. O'Kelly, the pastor. The board of deacons were among the honorary pall bearers.

WAS OVERRULED NEARLY ALWAYS

Dr. Wiley Testifies Before House Investigating Committee

SURRENDERED AUTHORITY

Washington, Aug. 17.—Dr. Harvey W. Wiley, chief of the bureau of chemistry of the agricultural department, testified before the house investigating committee yesterday that he has surrendered practically all of his authority for enforcing the pure food law to Dr. F. L. Dunlap, associate chemist, and George P. McCabe, solicitor of the agricultural department. Overruled in two-thirds of the cases he has brought before the food and drugs inspection board, composed of those two men and himself, he decided that he had found it useless to appeal to Secretary Wilson, and had not even received an answer to one of the most important appeals he had made to the secretary.

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Dr. Wiley, summoned before the committee to tell of his connection with the employment of Dr. H. H. Rusby on an alleged illegal contract, gave to the committee the most illuminating information that has been developed in the investigation now being made of the agricultural department. He testified that he never received the letter from Dr. Rusby which was used by the personnel board to prove that he knew about the Rusby contract. He said that in using this letter the personnel board had omitted its most essential portion, namely, the statement by Dr. Rusby that "We have agreed upon the following arrangement as fair and satisfactory if approved by the department."

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Dr. Wiley stated that Solicitor McCabe held the decisive vote on the board of food and drug inspection. When Dr. Wiley and Dr. Dunlap disagreed on questions of chemistry it was Solicitor McCabe who decided whether a presentation should be made. In fully 100 cases, said Dr. Wiley, where he and Dr. Dunlap had voted together and Solicitor McCabe had changed his vote to agree with Mr. McCabe.

CAMPAIGN GOES ON IN TRIUMPH

Enthusiastic Meeting Held in Cedar Fork Vowship

OTHER MEETING TONIGHT

Colonel Cameron Writes Letter to the Merchants' Association Concerning the Endorsement of the Farm-Life School—People all Over the County Thoroughly Interested in the Movement.

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An enthusiastic greeting awaited the farm-life school speakers at Nelson in Cedar Fork township Wednesday evening. It is said there were hardly two voters in the whole precinct who were not present at the meeting and the sentiment of the people of this section seems to be overwhelmingly in favor of the school. Professor C. W. Massey and Judge R. H. Sykes delivered the addresses and received the best of attention.

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Stagville, N. C., Aug. 14, 1911. Mr. P. W. Vaughn, Pres. Merchants' Association, Durham, N. C. My Dear Mr. Vaughn: In connection with the movement in this county for securing one of the ten farm-life schools to be established in the state, I would say to you and your association that you played your part in bringing about this most constructive piece of legislation, in my judgment, which has been enacted in the past decade. For when you invited, in 1909, the farmers' national congress to come to Durham as your guests to see your vast tobacco industry, and Greensboro did the same to show them their cotton mills, especially the largest weaving room in the world, in the Cone mill, which is 400 feet by 1000 in length, and in which every square foot was filled with humming machinery—and when the progressive people of Washington and Belhaven invited them into the east to see their agricultural, lumbering and fishing industries—to see the reclamation of swamp lands, and to visit one of the largest coarpage establishments in the world, where the Standard Oil Company makes its barrels, at Belhaven—these trips gave them an opportunity to see the resources of North Carolina. What was the result. Outside of the splendid advertisement which the state received by having her resources exhibited to the leading farmers from every section of the union, we fortunately had with us as our guest, the secretary of agriculture of the United States, Hon. James Wilson, who gave out an interview on his return to Washington, relative to his trip, in which he said that he was amazed at the wonderful development of the manufacturing industry in North Carolina; but that he was distressed at the languishing condition of our agriculture, so different from what it is in his own state of Iowa, and in Illinois, Wisconsin and other states where they have the farm-life schools.

ATWOOD'S THIRD DAY OF JOURNEY

Birdman Reaches Toledo En Route to Boston

DAY OF JOURNEY

Toledo, O., Aug. 17.—Exactly 520 miles from his starting point, Harry N. Atwood, the Boston aviator who is attempting to break the world's long distance aeroplane record by flying from St. Louis to New York, alighted in Toledo yesterday afternoon, after completing the third day of his trip with a spectacular flight 2,000 feet above the city. He covered the 133 miles from Elkhart, Ind., to Toledo with only one stop and in an actual flying time of 2 hours and 56 minutes. He started from Elkhart at 8.06 a. m., was compelled to stop at Pettisville, O., for more than five hours, because he ran out of gasoline and continuing his journey, guided by the tracks of the Lake Shore and Michigan Southern railroad, he arrived at Toledo at 4.02.

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Between some of the stations Atwood beat the scheduled time for ordinary trains. In the last lap of the day's run, he whipped up such a speed as hardly to be visible for longer than a minute at any one angle. The 33 miles from Pettisville into Toledo was run in 50 minutes, including a delay for starting and time lost in circling around the city in search of a landing place. His arrival here was as exciting as his trip over Northern Indiana and Ohio. Steam whistles and thousands of people on top of office buildings greeted him as he came in from the west. All the way in he had been adding "uphill" to get a good view of the town, he said. Instead of alighting in the west end, he shot clear over the city and landed near the mouth of the Maumee river in the eastern section.

GOV. WILSON AT FARMERS PICNIC

Says He Will Enforce the Corrupt Practice Act

Belvidere, N. J., Aug. 17.—Governor Woodrow Wilson, who was the chief speaker yesterday at the annual farmers' picnic here, attended by several thousand persons, told his rural hearers of his firm intention to see that the corrupt practices act was strictly enforced. He declared that corruption must be driven out of politics.

TWO MEN INJURED

Norfolk, Aug. 17.—Thomas L. Colvin, of Washington, D. C., received injuries which will likely prove fatal and E. R. Wade, was seriously hurt in an accident here late last night in connection with the setting of steel beams for the new union depot.

NEIGHBORHOOD ROW IN ORANGE

Threatens to Grow Serious if Not Settled

DROVE WIFE FROM HOME

Because She Developed Tuberculosis; And Now West Tilley Charges Her Brothers with Store Breaking—The Neighbors are Taking Sides and Feeling is Running High.

NEIGHBORHOOD ROW IN ORANGE

A neighborhood row is raging violently in the Pleasant Green neighborhood in Orange county on the border of Durham county, a number of miles northwest of the city, which threatens to grow into serious proportions. The row grew out of a quarrel between the family of Frank Holloway and West Tilley, a well known merchant of the section. West Tilley married the daughter of Holloway several years ago. After the marriage she developed tuberculosis, and, according to the story of the Holloway family, Tilley drove her ignominiously from his home because she had contracted the disease. It is alleged that he went to Hillsboro one day, and told his wife that if she was in the house when he returned he would kill her. She took refuge at the house of her father where she has remained since that time.

HOWERTON, KERNODLE COMPANY ADDS IT TO UNDERTAKING

The Fowler Livery Company has been purchased by the Howerton, Kernodle Company, and will hereafter be conducted in connection with the undertaking business of this firm. The Howerton, Kernodle Company recently opened an undertaking establishment on west Main street in the building adjoining the Fowler livery stable lot. The livery business will hereafter be conducted by the undertaking firm along the same lines as it was conducted by Mr. Fowler, and in addition the equipment of the stable will be used in connection with the undertaking business.

BUY FOWLER LIVERY

Mr. Fowler has purchased the Teer brickyard, near the city, and will in the future engage in the brick manufacturing business on a large scale. Mr. Fowler has been in the livery business for more than ten years, during which time he has built up an excellent trade. The stable has excellent equipment and will, without doubt, continue to enjoy the patronage that it has enjoyed heretofore.

Free Voting Certificate

This is a separate and distinct vote from the "Nominating Coupon," and any Contestant or Nominator may collect as many as possible and vote them.

THIS CERTIFICATE ENTITLES []

Mr., Mrs. or Miss

Name of Candidate to be voted for

Of State

TO TEX (10) FREE VOTES

This Free Voting Certificate must be in the Recorder office not later than Friday 12 m, August 11, 1911.

THE DURHAM RECORDER CONTEST MANAGEMENT.