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Col. Wm. J. Bryan will speak in Raleigh next Monday night.

The country is busy fixing up a cabinet for President Wilson. The President is a good listener at

A large sentiment is for an extra reforms. The people have a right party pledges.

Business moves right along, notwithstanding the election of a Demnot afraid of Mr. Wilson and Democ-

Senator Simmons, according to the returns which lack but one county of being complete, show that he received 84,643 votes, Gov. Kitchin 46.959, and Judge Clark 16,429. Avery county's returns are not in but when in will rather increase than diminish Mr. Simmons' majority, which is 21,255 over the combined votes of the other two candidates, and is not far from the preelection estimate by Mr. Simmons'

The status of the Presidential election is not much different from certain then, nor is it certain now, which States were carried for Roosevelt, but he certainly has Pennsylvania, Michigan, Minnesota, South Dakota and Washington to his credit while the vote is so close in California that the result is still in doubt. If he gets California, he will have 90 electoral votes, other wise only 77. Mr. Taft gets only 8

#### Thanksgiving at Elon.

Thanksgiving will be duly celebrat ed, as usual, at the College. Morning exercises will be held at eleven o'clock in the Chapel, at which time the annual offering for the Orphanage of this place will be taken.

Following this Thanksgiving ser vice, the annual banquet will be

has "College Outs" for this occasion. to vocationalize the public schools ress and R. A. Truitt will support the affirmative, with Wm. C. Franks bushels of wheat or corn or his and J. V. Knight presenting the op-

The public is cordially invited to attend these exercises.

Interest is beginning to be arous ed in the State Inter-Collegiate Peace contest to be held in the audiium at Raleigh during the sitting of the next Legislature. Elon will hold her preliminary contest, prob-ably in December, to decide who shall represent this institution in the State contest. The following have red for the preliminary test: Messrs. J. F. Morgan, A. T. Banks, J. V. Knight, O. D. Poythress, W. T. Dowd, W. R. Hardesty, F. P. Harwood, H. E. Woods, F. F. Myrick,

With a bullet hole through his ight temple and his body thrown ross the bed, William Wallin, ged 22 years, was found dead in is room in Raleigh Friday a week. He had killed himself in a fit of

#### The Fair and the Farmer.

The State and County Fair is an educational institution where nstruction is picked up by observation, demonstration, and comparison of products. There is no question that the Fair is unequaled as a place for getting progressive farmers together and permitting them to compare notes on their several lines of progress and activity during the year. But why should the Fair managements require them to do more than compare notes and samples of pro-

There used to be a tendency on the part of the Fair managements, not only in this but all States, to corn in his fields, and all the hogs simple purpose of making a show. This requirement was doubtless all right in its day but we feel that its day has passed.

The real purpose of the Fair is session of Congress after the 4th of his family in the fundamental March to carry out the promised tariff principles of the production of high yields of good quality at the to expect an early carrying out of least cost. The battle for the prizes should be one of ideals and individual judgments rather than

the quantities and displays. To this end ten ears of corn and one peck of wheat and one peck ocratic President. To see things go of potatoes, etc., are just as good to pieces would be a sweet morsel as a hundred bushels in showing for calamity howlers. It is evident the farmers ideals in corn, wheat, that business and the country are and potato production and we can see no reason why he should be required to bring out ten to twenty bushels just to show the quality of his product. A pair of hogs, horses, sheep, etc., should be all that is required in order to show the farmers' progress in live stock production. In this way ten farmers would be able to compete at our Fairs where one makes an entry today.

In some respects it would seem that the Fair really discourages rather than improves agricultural progress in a community. Especially is this true with regard to the production of field crops.

Who would advise a farmer to grow seven or eight different kinds of wheat, five or six different vawhat we gave last week. It was not rieties of corn and oats and as many different kinds of pumpkins, potatoes, peas, domestic grasses etc.? Who would advise a live Jerseys, Berkshires, Yorkshires, and Poland Chinas all on the same farm? Yet, we not infrequently see at our leading Fairs one farmer exhibiting as many as six different varieties of wheat, oats, corn, and as many varieties of pump kins, cabbages, potatoes, etc. No them in an artistic setting of corthink of growing flint corn, dent decorations will also contribute to drive this coach of state yourself. corn, yellow corn, white corn, blue this effect. corn, speckled corn, etc., all on the same farm and yet all these different kinds of corn may be found entered by one man at some

At eight p. m. in the College their own farm productions for to the Great Giver of all good. Chapel, the Philologian Literary the sake of variety in their dis-Society holds its annual celebration play at the Fair and if they fail to to the consideration of the Source and all who are familiar with these win the prize, as most all of them from whence these blessings come, evenings will spare no effort to be must, they have lost doubly. They and a feeling of thanksgiving is present. An unusually attractive have not only lost money in the program has been prepared. Messra. crop they might have grown had ness of our Heavenly Father, we ram has been prepared. Messra. crop they might have grown had G. Paul Ingle and W. Duncan Loy they farmed rationally, but they will deliver orations. Mr.C.C.Johnson have lost the prize and gained nothing in the way of advertising. The chief event of the evening, The only farmer who can afford to however, will be the debate. Query: make a display at the Fair is, in little ones who have lost their Resolved that, It would be unwise our judgment, the man who has something to sell—the seed breedof our land. Messrs. O. D. Poyth-er, the stock breeder, etc. He can afford to enter ten or more

SCHOOL

whole herd of cattle, for that mat

should have rich, red blood and sturdy, healthy bodies to withstand cold rains, changing

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ter, because he is advertising his

business, but the average farmer who makes a display at our Fair has nothing to sell in the way of he is the man who should not be required to enter more than a fair sample should be entered for educational purposes only.

Instead, therefore, of offering a ten ears of corn from the most productive acre, grown at the least spare. cost per bushel. Similarly for wheat. Not \$100 for a ten bushel display, but \$100 for the best peck from the most productive acre, require the exhibitor to enter all grown at the lowest cost per the pumpkins in his patch, all the bushel. By this means we would and cattle on his farm for the entries, because more easily made, the Fair with our farm practises our farmers to greater effort in the education of the farmer and increasing the average acre yields of our staple crops.

> J. L. BURGESS, N. C. Dep't of Agriculture.

#### Fifth National Corn Exposition.

Columbia, S. C., Nov. 9.-(Special).—The longest painting ever executed in this country or statements, will form a striking they used to feel as children, when mates of total production will be feature of the decorations for the aches and pains were utter announced in December. educational building at the Fifth strangers to them. They have National Corn Exposition here grown used to feeling about 25 next January. The canvas for per cent. under par, and don't this immense painting will be know what they are missing. As entirely around the big steel ing, with no surplus of time, the siege of Paris in 18.70-771 the hibits from the department of luxuries or amusements. Such mothers were compelled to nurse agriculture and the thirty or more people need to get out of the rut. their babies. The death rate the work.

Exposition. Mr. Sprague is now first. a resident of Columbia and is beginning upon his huge task. The is usually easy. Look about and stock grower to produce Duroc canvas will be divided into thirty or more spaces, into which will be Find out what put you in these painted landscape scenes typical ruts. Then cut out those things of the States whose exhibits will which put you in. If you are in

be arranged below. and it is the purpose to place the reins until you get on level commercial corn grower would responding high quality. Floral tions, and above all, learn how to

#### Our Orphan Home.

The Thanksgiving Proclamation of our Fairs in any one season in of the President, which has just compliance, it would seem, with been published to the people of the demands of the premium list. this great country, calling upon It takes no expert to perceive us to stop our usual vocations served in the dining hall at West that all of these different varieties long enough to consider from Dormitory, to which happy event, and strains of field crops and whence comes the unprecedented both faculty and students: look forward with the fondest of anticipation the same farm during the same have been enjoying, comes with a year on a commercial scale. These voice of authority. Truly every farmers are, therefore, restricting heart can find genuine gratitude

While your minds are directed feel that this is the best time to bring to the attention of our readers the needs of the various orphan homes in our State, where the earthly protectors are being cared for and trained.

These children receive the great blessing of these homes through your generosity. They are de-

Carolina measured up to their duty in this regard in the past and we believe they will not be any less mindful of the needs of and we believe they will not be any less mindful of the needs of our orphan children this thanksgiving season than they have been giving season than they have been been death before a doctor reached birs.

Tearing his shirt from his back an Ohio man flagged a train and saved it from a wreck, but H. T. Alston, Raleigh, N. C., once pre-vented a wreck with Electric Bitan Ohio man flagged a train and saved it from a wreck, but H. T. Alston, Raleigh, N. C., once prevented a wreck with Electric Bitters. "I was in a terrible plight when I began to use them," he writes, "my stomach, head, back and kidneys were all badly affected and my liver was in bad condition, but four bettles of Electric Bitters made me feel-like a new man." A trial will convince you of their matchiess merit for any stomach liver or kidney trouble. Price 50 at a Graham Drug Co.

Health is more than the absence of sickness. It is being well and improved seed or live stock and a little bit more. It is not suffi-

Great numbers of people never feel that pleasant throb of life, crop of corn was worth on Novemvitality and energy pulsing ber 1st to farmers \$1,850,776,000. through their bodies, not even not only get a greater number of exuberance of health and energy States crops of corn, hay, wheat, but we would, at once, connect tion in some of its forms, if you buckwheat. With the value of and make it an internal part of blood or malaria organisms float- crops of tobacco, and rice and apfarm economy and thus stimulate ing around in your blood. You ples, the aggreate value of these constipated and your plumbing dollars. system is all out of order; if you There was an increase in the are continually having colds; if total value of each of these crops you are worried, overworked and excepting buckwhat, potatoes,

a somewhat similar, though small- it is the little extra that makes a has one. er, piece of work for the Fourth poor second or third into a good

How to get out of the rut? That see what rut or ruts you are in. the mire or a deep rut, go to your Exhibits of the highest class are doctor and ask him to help pull being secured for the Exposition, you out. Give-him full charge of ground. Then follow his instrucyou should ever bave driven off.

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pendent upon you. Their numbers are increasing, as are the advantages they receive, which necessitate larger contributions from the people. God has blessed our recole and he expects us in our people and he expects us in turn to help bless our honeless cuts, sprains, bruises. Surest pile cuts, sprains, bruises. Surest pile cuts. It subdues inflammation, kills pain. Only 25 cents at Graham Drug Co.

In Orange county Saturday

A Great Building Falls when its foundation is undermited, and if the foundation of healt

Washington, Nov. 11,-A corn rop of 3,169,137,000 bushels or cient to be in such a physical, 281,921,000 bushels more than the mental and normal state that we greatest crop of corn ever grown sample of his produce and this can tell our neighbors and friends in any country of the world is the that we are "well this morning, feature or the country's most rethank you." . It means more than markable agricultural year in hissimply feeling that we have no tory, according to the November liberal prize for the "most varied" aches, and pains. It means an crop report of the United States exhibit, we should, it would seem, exuberance of life and energy. It Department of Agriculture, isoffer a liberal prize for the best means that you have strength for sued Friday. The report comyour task and a little energy to pleted the government's preliminary estimates of the nation's principal farm crops. This great

> The enormous sum of \$4,171,during these glorious autumn 134,000 represented the farm value days. No, you will not feel that on November 1st, of the United if you are troubled with indiges- oats, potatoes, flaxseed, rye and have hookworms sucking your life the growing cotton crop and the ill not feel every whit a man or principal farm products will woman if you have headaches, are amount well beyond five billion

burning the candle of life at both barley and rye. Record crops of ends with some form of dissipa- corn, potatoes, flaxseed, oats, barley, rye and hay were harvested Some people have not been per- this year. The government's offifeetly healthy for so long that cial estimates of the value of the abroad, according to authentic they have really forgotten how various crops and its final esti-

#### Feeding Babies.

Does it pay to feed babies on nearly a sixth of a mile in length, a result, they are plodding through the breast or bottle? Here are by nine feet wide. It will extend life scarcely able to eke out a liv- some interesting figures. During building which will house the ex- energy or means for improvement, city milk supply failed and States which will enter the Ex- There are better things in store among babies fell from 330 to 170 position. The canvas will cover for them. The little difference per 1000 births. In England durabout 7,500 square feet of space between the man feeling "not ing the Lancashire cotton famine and 533 pounds of dry paints will sick" and the man feeling "just mothers remained at home and be necessary in the execution of fine" is the very difference be- nursed their babies, and there retween success and failure. It is sulted an even greater saving of The artist who will transform the little extra that helps one man infant life. Wherever mothers this material into a mammoth to seize a good position or a busi- nurse their babies it is found that work of art is Mr. E. E. Sprague, ness proposition while another the breast fed baby has six chances of Columbus, Ohio, who executed lets it go by. In the race of life of living where the bottle fed baby

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN,

North Carolina's part of the money appropriated by the last Congress for the National Guard is \$.6. .. . 61; of this sum \$31,353 is to be used in purchasing ammunition and other supplies and \$45,610.61 for camp purposes and Keep in the middle of the road the promotion of ride practice. and you will be surprised that The sum designated for a State is based on its enlisted strength in Gilbert. the Guard.

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Porto Rico's New Wonder. From far away Porto Rico come reports of a wonderful new dis-covery that is believed will vastly benefit the people. Ramon T. Marchan, of Barceloneta, writes "Dr. King's New Discovery is do-ing splendid work here. It cured Sixty thousand dollars has been subscribed for a new building for the Young Woman's Christian Association in Charlotte.

In gaplefield work here. It cared me about five times of terrible coughs and colds, also my brother of a severe cold in his chest and more than 20 others, who used it on my advice. We hope this great medicine will yet be sold in every days store in Porto Rico." For drug store in Porto Rico." For throat and lung troubles there is nothing better. A trial will con-

> Watauga county has voted \$100-000 in bonds to build a railroad in

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WEAR WILLIAM STATES

THE BENEFITS FROM INTERCOUNTY ROADS.

Portion of the State.

of wagon roads throughout a state every road projected or rebuilt should be ery road projected or rebuilt should be undertaken with reference to a general plan under the supervision of a state highway department and located by competent engineers with due consideration for centers of population and needs of business.

While each county develops a system of its own without reference to a state plan and each county is building roads.

wille each county develops a system of its own without reference to a state plan and each county is building roads with no regard to a system of intercounty connecting roads, the people are "going it blindly" exactly as did the original builders of our railways, only to soon find themselves convicted of wasting millions of dollars and years of time and unable to cross a state except by the use of signboards and the employment of guides.

In ancient times the Romans ran their roads directly from point to point climbing mountains, filling depressions and bridging rivers, and at the present day railways are spending millions to correct the errors of local companies and engineers who first planned and built railways from point to point. In many states more money is spent

In many states more money is spent in ten years to repair and maintain local systems of roads than it will cost to construct a connecting system of intercounty roads throughout the state. In many cases the old routes should be adapted, but in all cases the roads should be straightened wherever possible and grades lessened by cuts in the hills and fills in the depressions.

Travel is no longer local within the . In many states more money is spen

the hills and fills in the depressions.

Travel is no longer local within the county, but is intercounty by the people and for the people of the state, therefore the system should be intercounty and paid for by state bonds to be cared for by future tax levies on all the property owned by the people of the state.

Better reads will be the people of the state.

ness and comfort to the people, and the voters of the state should prepar for the construction and maintenance of an intercounty system of wagon roads. Anything which would interfere with such a beneficent proposal will amount to a public calamity

#### RAPID ROAD BUILDING.

What the Citizens of Codington Coun ty, Tex., Did in a Day.

Twenty-four miles of road in Codin

ton county were improved in one day, June 25, by the citizens of Watertown and other towns of the county. The section bullt, was Codington county's portion of the Meridian high-way from Gaiveston, Tex., to Winni-peg, Manitoba, and it is estimated that 1,000 men, with 300 horses and 25 steam and gazoline tractors took part steam and gazoine tractors took pare in the work, which was under the su-pervision of State Engineer S. H. Lea. A mass meeting, which was held in the morning, was addressed by the state engineer, and the workers were instructed in the details of road con-struction according to the general Me-ridian road plan.

ridian road plan.

Mayor Wagner and his staff of city officials, Adjutant General C. H. Englesby and a force of national guardsmen, Codington county officers and deputies and many merchants and pro-fessional men took part in the work The women of Watertown organized

food to the workers in automol To Popularize Improved Roads In order to make the citizens of Nash-ville, Tehm., familiar with the good reads of Davidson county the good roads department of the board of trade of Nashville has arranged for a series of Saturday afternoon drives over the roads of the county. These drives will be under the supervision of Charles C. Gilbert, secretary-treasurer board of trade.

People taking part in the drives are requested to take kodaks, and pictures will later be exhibited and prizes awarded for those possessing the most

We cannot all move to town even if we wished to but we can bring the town nearer and out neighbors closer together by making better roads. Tiling the under side and dragging the PLEASANT GROVE TOWNSHIP is one of the many things that is easier said than done.

Why They Went.
As the Sunday school teacher en tered her classroom she saw leaving in great haste a little girl and her still

smaller brother.

"Why, Mary, you aren't going away?" she exclaimed in surprise.

"Pleathe, Mith Anne, we've got to go," was the distressed reply. 'th thwallowed hith collection

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# TAXES!

Second and Last Round for the Year 1912

I will attend the following appointments for the purpose of receiving taxes.

FAUCETTE TOWNSHIP-L. H. Aldridge's Store... Tuesday, Nov. 19, 10 to 2 McCray's, Blalock's Store, "19, 3 to 5 MORTON TOWNSHIP-Altamahaw, Co. Store, Wednesday, "20, 10 to 2 Morton's Store----- "20, 3 to 4 MELVILLE TOWNSHIP-Mebane, Murray's Store, Thursday, " 21, 10 to 6 BOON STATION TOWNSHIP— Elon, Wrightsell's Store... Friday, "22, 10 Gibsonville, Dickey's Store, "22, 3 BURLINGTON TOWNSHIP-Freeman's Drug Store .-COBLE TOWNSHIP-Alamance Mills .... Bellemont Mills .... PATTERSON TOWNSHIP-Wednesday, " 27, 11 27, 3 28, 10 28, 3 Thursday, " NEWLIN TOWNSHIP-Friday, " 29, 9 " 29, 12 

THOMPSON TOWNSHIP-Wednesday, Dec. 4, 10 to 1 Swepsonville -----ALBRIGHT TOWNSHIP-Guthrie's Store ..... Thursday, " 5, 10 to 2 

TAKE NOTICE—This is my second and last round for the year 1912. These taxes are due and must be paid, and now is the best time to pay. Under the new law I will not be able to show the ingence that I have heretofore, and I hope everybody will give this ortant matter their immediate attention and save me the neces-

sity of applying the law as it will be my duty to do. Any who are in arrears with any part of their taxes will take warning. This is my final notice. I shall proceed at once to collect as the law provides, Settle now and save the costs.

R. N. COOK, Sheriff.

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