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GRAHAM, N. C., Jan. 30, 1912.

North Carolinian Goes to U. S. Senate From Tennessee.

On 24th inst. the Legislature of Tennessee elected Prof. W. R. Webb of Bell Buckle to the U. S. Senate for the term ending March 4th, next, to succeed Newell Sanders, Republican, and filling out the unexpired term of Senator Robert L. Taylor. Prof. Webb, who is called in the dispatches an independent Democrat, was born in Person county in 1842. When Prof. Webb was about three years old his father moved to the Bingham School at Oaks, this county, then Orange county, to educate his boys. The Senator went to Chapel Hill and finished his education. He was a Confederate soldier and was captain of a company. After the war he taught in Horner's school and since has taught at Bell Buckle. He is a brother of Capt. Sam'l H. Webb, who owns and lives at the old home at Oaks.

Dr. J. O. Atkinson, the learned and charming editor of the Christian Sun, speaking of a gentleman who lives in a thriving city of the State, says "Mr. —— is an undertaker and deserves that the Lord should prosper his business." Just what the esteemed Doctor means we are unable to say, but the first thought came to us is that there are a number of people in that city who need to be buried.

The Legislature has passed in both houses the bill ratifying the proposed amendment to the Constituion of the United States for the election of United States Senators by a direct vote of the people instead of by the Legislature.

It looks now that the Legislature will provide for six months term of six months term of public schools. Such a provision should have no opposition.

The News and Observer says: "The legislature ought not to appoint any Justice of the Peace at all These officers are elected in the various townships and sometimes men named by legislators are men who would not be elected at home. It ought to stop."

To some extent this admonitions is proper and along the right line, but the framers of the constitution recognized that it was necessary that such power be given the Legislature that competent men might be given the power to administer the law for the protection of society. Even to this day all the conditions that made it desirable that the Legislature should appoint Justices of the Peace have not passed away.

Proposition to Buy Light and Power Plants.

Clients through their attorney, Mr. E. S. Parker, Jr., have made a proposition to buy Burlington's light and power plant, but the matter has not been settled yet. It will come before the Board of Aldermen next week. We understand there is also a proposition to take over the light and power plant of Graham, but do not know the particulars. The deal, if consumated, is a big one and means much to the towns of Alamance, as it is proposed to have one large central plant that will serve Burlington, Elon College, Graham, Haw River and Mebane.

Lettuce Worth $3,000 An Acre.

I saw, in Duluth, thirteen acres set out to head lettuce, on the farm of Mr. G. G. Hartley. In 1911 Mr. Hartley had a net income of more than $9,000 from three acres of lettuce, shipping to Chicago after the Duluth market was supplied, and the quality of his product caused such a sensation among lettuce-growers throughout the Middle West that some of the most successful of them, after visiting Duluth announced their intention of buying farms in the vicinity. Mr. Hartley's farm and the Jean Duluth farm, with 600 acres now cleared and stocked with 200 pure-bred Guernsey and Red-polled dairy cattle, Percheron horses, and Shetland ponies, are in a sense demonstration farms where the small farmer and market gardner have object lessons ever before them.—World's Work for February.

Senator Simmons a Progressive.

Washington Dispatch to Charlotte Observer.

Asked to say whether or not he was a "progressive" Senator Simmons declared: "Yes, I am a progressive, for my definitioon of a progressive is 'a man who believes in and wishes to put in practical operation the policies and principles enunciated in the Baltimore platform of the Democratic party.

"As to the tariff, I am heartily in favor of following the instructions of the party platform.

"That plaatform says: 'we favor the immediate downward revision of the existing high, and, in many cases, prohibitive tariff duties, insisting that material reductions be speedily made upon the necessities of life. Articles entering into competition with trust-controlled products and articles of American manufacture which are sold now abroad more cheaply than at home, should be put upon the free list.

"We recognize that our system of tariff taxation is intimately connected wih the business of a country and we favor the ultimate attaainment of the principles we advocate by legislation that will not injure or destroy legitimate industry.

"I think that Mr. Underwood, chairmaan of the ways and means committee is very forrtunate in his use of the word 'competiive' tariff, which means duties that will allow competition. We want competition and revenue. If we tariff is too high there will be no importations and no competition

In this brief statement Mr. Simmons has sized up the situation in the Democratic camp in regard to the tariff. There will be reductions and equalizations without destroying any legitimate industry.

Corn Growers' Meeting.

We are making an earnest effort to grow enough corn in our state and to grow it cheaply enough so that none will be shipped into the state from other parts of the country. The demonstration work has shown that with good methods of farming we can easily grow from thirty to fifty bushels per acre instead of from fifteen to twenty bushels per acre as we have been doing in past years These larger amounts can be grown at an average price of about twenty-five cents per bu., so the matter is one of vital importance to every farmer who grows corn.

Two meetings will be held in our county—at Friendship Feb. 7th, and at Cross Roads Feb. 8th, 1913, beginning at 1 o'clock. At that time we will have with us some men from the U. S. and State Departments of Agriculture to discuss the best methods of of doubling the corn yield without increasing the cost per acre. We hope you will come to the meeting and bring one or two dozen of your best ears of corn so that we may have a corn judging and some corn to study. Also we expect some of our most successful corn growers to tell us how they succeed in the matter. invite your neighbors, especially the boys, to come to the meeting.

Yours cordially,
C. E. TURNER,
Local Agent.

Moore county last year collected $1,800 from the dog tax, the money going to the school fund.

Putting a belt on machinery in Franklin county a few days ago Chas. Wood, 16 years old, was caught by a set screw and pounded to death.

A dozen bottles of brandy thought to be 50 years old were found burried on Roanoke Island a few days ago according to a report from Elizabeth City.

Mr. J. V. Sims, an experienced newspaper man, has been appointed manager of the Observer Company of Charlotte to succeed Mr. E. W. Thompson, resigned.

J. W. Beland, of Wilson, was tried at Goldsboro last week for the murder of his wife and acquitted. Temporary insanity caused by the wife's unfaithfulness, was the defense.

The Anti-Saloon League of North Carolina was in session in Raleigh yesterday and today. Bishop Kilgo and Judge A. Z. Blair, of Ohio, will be the principal speakers.

The Hustler says there have been nineteen known cases of smallpox in North Wilkesboro, possibly some unknown. Seventeen of the victims have recovered and two are yet sick.

While with his two brothers who were burning a plant bed the 5-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray, of Wilkes county, innocently fired the graas about himself and was fatally burned.

Mrs. Margaret Witcher of Salt Lake, Friday delivered the vote of the Utah electors to the president of the Senate. She was the first woman to appear amoong the messengers coming from the States.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that Contain Mercury

as mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surface of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonial free.

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Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation

Entire Panel Challenged.

Lumberton Robesonian, Jan. 27.

A most unusual thing, something which nobody remembers ever to have heard before and which in the nature of things could not happen again in many blue moons, caused Judge E. S. Ferguson, of Waynesville, this morning shortly after convening a week's term of civil court to dismiss the entire jury drawn to serve for this special term and order another jury to be drawn. This second jury will be on hand tomorrow. Meanwhile the session of court this afternoon will be devoted to hearing motions.

When the jury was to be drawn a small boy was called in off the street by Mr. A. H. Prevatt. Mr. Prevatt did not know the boy nor did any of the commissioners. Nobody thought anything about it until Mollie Bryant, the boy's mother, taking pride in the fact that the little fellow had earned a quarter in this way, happened to mention it one day when in conference with her attorneys, McLean, Varser & McLean, in reference to the will of the late S. A. Edmund, of which will she and her children are the principal beneficiaries and the effort to break which will is the first case on the calendar for this term. So the attorneys at once let the attorneys for those who are contesting the will know about the jury being drawn by one of that will's beneficiaries and the attorneys challenged the entire panel.

It was nobody's fault. It just happened that way. And of course it probably never would happen that way again.

An Epitaph.

"Here lies a poor woman who always was tired.
She lived in a house where the help was not hired.
Her last words on earth were: 'Dear friends, I am going
To where there's no cooking, no washing, no sewing;
But everything there is exact to my wishes,
For where they don't eat, there's no washing dishes.
I'll be where loud anthems will always be ringing,
But having no voice, I'll get out of the singing.
Don't mourn for me now. Don't mourn for me, never.
I'm going to do nothing forever and ever.'"

Charged with the embezzlement of $40,000 of the State funds of the Citizens' Bank of Williamson county, Miss., at Woodville, Miss., C. C. McLeod, cashier of the institution, is in jail.

The North Wilkesboro Hustler says Andrew Marley, who lived in the Brushy Mountain section of Wilkes county, 35 years old and an invalid for several years, committed suicide by shooting himself a few days ago. It is said that he had defied the officers and sold whiskey and had been drinking recently.

The city of Greensboro is asked to pay to J. R. Bell the sum of $5,000 as the result of the drowning of little Anna C. Bell on a suburban street of the city. The little girl was on her way home from school one day last March and was drowned while attempting to cross a small stream which had been swollen by heavy rains.

Samuel L. Rogers, former collector of internal revenue for this district and former State corporation commissioner, was in Washington last week and it is said he would be pleased to get his old job or the higher post of commissioner of internal revenue. Col. Bill Osborne of Greensboro wants to be commissioner of internal revenue and petitions are circulating in his behalf.

YOUR RHEUMATISM

is probably due to uric acid in the system—the blood must be purified—the poisonous acid driven out and general health must be improved.

Thousands testify that *Scott's Emulsion* rids the system of poisonous acid by enriching the impoverished blood, and its concentrated nourishment is converted into red blood corpuscles which *drive out rheumatism.*

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Phillips' Chapel Items.

Cor. of The Gleaner.

Lots of rain for the past few days.

Almost all of the farmers have all their corn land plowed.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bradshaw were visiting near Phillips' Chapel Sunday.

Mrs. Tucker Moon, who has been quite sick for some time, is some better.

Mr. and Mrs. Will. Paris and their little daughter, Miss Sallie, were visiting at the home of Mr. E. C. Davis Sunday.

Mr. Herbert Teer went to Swepsonville Sunday.

Mr. June Thompson and Miss Mattie Gibson were at Phillips' Chapel Sunday.

Master Zelma Maynard of Mebane visited in the vicinity Sunday.

Miss Zula Thompson, who is going to school at Swepsonville, was at Phillips' Chapel Sunday.

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Lexington is to have free city delivery of mails after May 1.

State Supreme Court convenes for the spring term next Tuesday, February 4th.

Miss Maggie Murdock, formerly an employe of the Asheville Cotton Mills, is suing the mill for $10,000 for the loss of a finger.

A dispatch from Mooresville to the Charlotte Observer says that Ella Brawley, colored, about 18 years old, was drowned in Byers creek, about 6 miles west of Mooresville, Monday. She was crossing the swollen stream on a footlog when she fell in and was drowned before bystanders could rescue her.

Sylvester Clark Smith, member of Congress from the eighth California district, died Sunday at Los Angeles, Cal.

James H. Brady, Republican, former Governor of Idaho, has been elected United States Senator from that State to fill out the unexpired term of Heyburn, deceased.

The Asheville delegation that called on President-elect Wilson to urge him to make his summer home in Asheville, professes to believe that he will do it.

At Dover, Craven county, Christmas Day, the chief of police ordered celebrators to cease setting off explosives. One Roscoe Avery, failing in respect for lawful authority, hurled an explosive at the chief which set fire to the officer's pantaloons. Demand for payment for the damage having been refused the said Avery was last week hauled before a magistrate and made to pay for the burned breeches and the cost in the case.

It is announced from Washington that John A. Smith, of Bessemer City, who was a candidate for Congress in the ninth district last fall, has not filed a statement of his expense account, as required by law. The penalty for such failure is a fine of $10,000, one year's imprisonment, or both.

W. R. Fox, 195 W. Washington St., Noblesville, Ind., says: "After suffering many months with a kidney trouble, after trying other remedies and prescriptions, I purchased a box of Foley Kidney Pills which not only did me more good than any other remedies I ever used, but have positively set my kidneys right. Other members of my family have used them with similar results." Take at the first sign of kidney trouble. For sale by all Druggists.

The little Luffman girl, so badly hurt in the collapse of the school building at Jonesville during Christmas week, has so far recovered as to be able to leave the hospital in Charlotte and go to her home at Jonesville. Her skull was badly crushed but she is rapidly recovering. The other victims of the accident have recovered.

Take the "direct road" to health and strength by using Foley Kidney Pills for backache, rheumatism, weak, sore kidneys and bladder irregularities. Each ingredient is chosen for its positive healing and curative qualities. Foley Kidney Pills are the best medicine you can buy for kidney and bladder troubles. Mrs. J. M. Findley, Lyons, Ga., says: "I took Foley Kidney Pills and they entirely cured me." For sale by all Druggists.

Mrs. H. M. Meyers, a bride of seven weeks, was found dead in her room in Rocky Mount Thursday with a bullet hole in her head. Mr. and Mrs. Meyers were at breakfast together at their boarding house and then the husband went to his work. About noon the wife's dead body was found in her room. The surroundings showed careful preparation for the suicide. A note to the husband assigned no reason for the deed but exonerated him from all blame.

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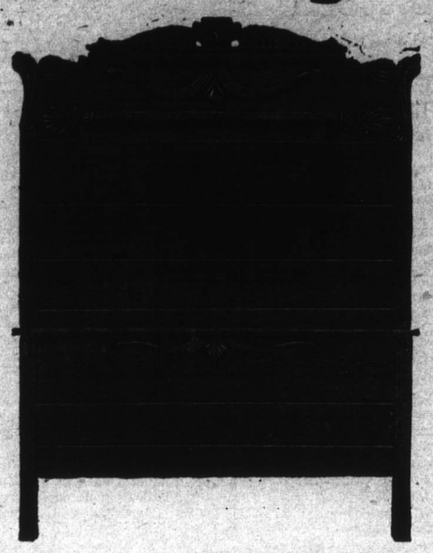

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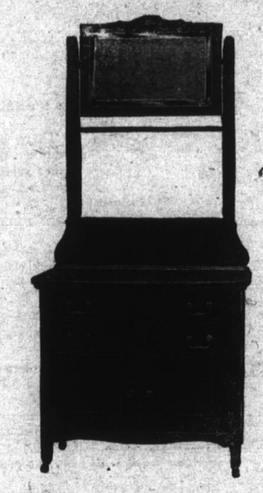

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Pain along the back, dizziness, headache and general languor. Get a package of Mother Gray's Australia-Leaf, the pleasant root and herb cure for Kidney, Bladder and Urinary troubles. When you feel all run down, tired, weak and without energy use this remarkable combination of nature's herbs and roots. As a regulator it has no equal. Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf is sold by Druggists or sent by mail for 50 cts Sample sent free. Address, The Mother Gray Co., Le Roy, N. Y.

An official birth record is the best proof of legitimacy, of descent, of the right to inherit, and of the right for schooling, for work, for voting and for marriage.

Real and Personal Property FOR SALE!

By virtue of an order of G. S. Ferguson, Jr., Referee in Bankruptcy, the undersigned will offer for sale at public outcry to the best bidder, on

SATURDAY, MARCH 1, 1913,

at two o'clock p. m., on the premises at Haw River, known as the B. S. Robertson Home Place, the following property, real and personal, to wit:

PERSONAL PROPERTY:

Ten shares of stock in Granite Savings & Trust Company, par value $50.00 each; 3 shares of stock in Industrial Publishing Company, Greensboro, par value $10.00 each; 1 share of stock in Tarheel Publishing Company, Greensboro, par value $25.00; 1 share of stock in the Percheron Breeders' Association, Mebane, N. C., par value $100.00.

REAL PROPERTY:

Lot No. 1: A lot fronting 80 feet and running back 320 feet 10 inches, lying immediately West of the residence known as the B. S. Robertson residence.

Lot No. 2: A lot fronting 125 feet on the public road, running back 320 feet, lying immediately East of the B. S. Robertson residence.

Lot No 3: A lot fronting 126½ feet on the public road and running back 320 feet and facing also on the road running North. This lot lies immediately East of Lot No. 2.

Lot No. 4: A lot fronting 110 feet on the public road running North and running back 320 feet, lying immediately North of the rear end of Lot No. 3.

Lot No. 5: A lot fronting 132 feet on the road running North, and running back 320 feet, and lying immediately North of Lot No. 4.

Lot No. 6: A lot fronting 132 feet on the public road and running back 305 feet, and lying immediately North of Lot No. 5.

Lot No. 7: A lot fronting 132 feet on the public road, and running back 295 feet, and lying immediately North of Lot No. 6.

Lot No. 8: A lot fronting 164 feet on a 20-foot street (this street running North and South along the Western line of the B. S. Robertson property) and running back 305 feet. This lot lies West of Lot No. 7.

Lot No. 9: A lot fronting 132 feet on said 20 foot street and running back 185 feet, and lying immediately south of Lot No 8.

Lot No. 10: A lot fronting 132 feet on said 20-foot street and running back 185 feet, and lying immediately south of Lot No. 9.

Lot No. 11: A lot fronting 110 feet on said 20 foot street and running back 185 feet, and lying immediately South of Lot No. 10.

Lot No. 12: A lot fronting 287 feet on the East side, and lying immediately East of said 20-foot street. This lot has an average depth of about 95 feet, and lies across said 20-foot street and immediately East of Lots No. 8, No. 9 and No. 10.

Lot No. 13: This is the reversion in a lot fronting 95 feet on the public road and running back 225 feet, and upon which is situate the residence lately occupied by B. S. Robertson as a home and known as the B. S. Robertson Home Place. The interest in this lot to be sold is the reversion therein, subject to the homestead of said B. S. Robertson therein.

Parties interested in any of the above real property can see a plat, showing the exact location of said lots with accurate description, by metes and bounds, by calling upon the undersigned at any time at the office of the National Bank of Alamance in Graham.

The above described real property will be offered in parcels as indicated and then all of said real property except the reversion in that part of said real property covered by the homestead allotted to B. S. Robertson will be offered as a whole, and that bid will be accepted for said real property which aggregates the greatest sum

Bidders for the above described real and personal property will be required to deposit with the undersigned cash or certified checks for ten per cent. of their bid, and the undersigned will report the same promptly to the Referee in Bankruptcy for confirmation, and immediately upon confirmation the balance of the bid must be paid and deeds will be delivered

CHAS. A. SCOTT,
Trustee in Bankruptcy
of B. S. Robertson.

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NOTICE!

Notice is hereby given that application will be made to the General Assembly of North Carolina, now in session, for the passage of an act to confer public powers on Sheriffs and Constable at Swepsonville, in Thompson's Township, Alamance county, and to prohibit public drunkenness there.

VIRGINIA COTTON MILLS,
B. W. Baker, Sec'y.

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Laymans' Missionary Convention Of Southern Baptist, Chattanooga, Tenn., Feb. 4-6, 1913. Low Round Trip Fares Via Southern Railway.

Account the above occasion the Southern Railway will sell exceedingly low round trip tickets to Chattanooga and return.

Tickets on Sale February 2-3-4th, with final return limit to reach original starting point not later than midnight of February 12th, 1913.

From	Round Trip
Goldsboro	17.50
Raleigh	15.60
Durham	14.80

Rates in same proportion from all other points. Tickets can be routed via either Atlanta or Asheville.

Ask your Agent for detailed information or write.

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Raleigh, N. C.

If your children are subject to attacks of croup, watch for the first symptom, hoarseness. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy as soon as the child becomes hoarse and the attack may be warded off. For sale by all dealers.

Raleigh News and Observer, 22nd: Several days ago two members of a well known Wake county family, Miss Sallie and Mr. Willis Whitaker, sister and brother, were seemingly in good health and were engaged in waiting upon and administering aid to another sister, Miss Annie Whitaker, who is critically ill. Yesterday morning both were found dead, the sister in her bed at home and her brother lying in a path about half way between the home and that of a neighbor. Both had died suddenly during the night and of presumably heart failure. The sister, who was so ill, is still living, but in a serious condition.

Cut the High Cost of Living.

W. H. Chapman, Winnebago, Neb., tells how he did it. "My two children had a very bad cough and the doctor's medicines did them no good. I got a bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound, and before it was all used the children were free and cured of their cough. I saved a doctor's bill for one 25c bottle of Foley's Honey and Tar Compound." No opiates. For sale by all Druggists.

FOLEY'S HONEY AND TAR stops the cough and heals lungs

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Jan. 27-- Feb. 9, 1913

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Tickets will be on sale on Jan. 23-25-27-31, Feb. 3-5-7, with final return limit Feb. 12th, 1913, or by paying fee of $1.00 you can have limit of ticket extended until April 13th, 1913.

For full and complete information ask any Southern Railway Agent or write the undersigned.

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Should the system get run down—digestive organs weak—the blood thin and sluggish, take Vinol, which is a delicious combination of the medicine—body-building properties of cods' livers, with the useless grease eliminated and tonic iron added. We regard Vinol as one of the greatest body-builders and strength-creators in the world for aged people.

Mrs. Mary Ivey, of Columbus, Ga., says: "If people only knew the good Vinol does old people, you would be unable to supply the demand; it is the finest tonic and strength-creator I ever used."

We wish every feeble old person in this vicinity would try Vinol on our agreement to return their money if it fails to give satisfaction.

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