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Pope Pius X at Rome has been
in a precarious condition for a
week, and it will be a surprise
if the Pontiff is ever well again.

The Mississippi flood is moving
down the river, all danger is not
yet passed, but the authorities are
working hard and are hopeful.

It seems that President Wilson
does not intend that any old sort
of an appointment shall be made,
just because a fellow has a "pull."
Merit is a good thing to have to
send along with an application.

Col. A. D. Watts of Statesville
is having rather rough sledding
to get into the collectorship for
the Western District. Senators
Simmons and Overman are stand-
ing for him.

Col. W. H. Osborne of Greens-
boro has been appointed U. S.
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.
That is one of the big plums
and we are glad to see him land-
ed in so luxurious a berth.

President Wilson is in earnest
about the Democratic party ful-
filling its pledges made to the
people in the last campaign. The
party is in honor bound to do its
best to keep its pledges.

A white man named W. H. Tucker
was killed in Greensboro last
Wednesday night. Another white
man named John Poglesman, called
the "blind tiger king" is held for
the murder. A grudge, no doubt.

Senator Overman has called for
data in regard to civil service
appointees. Many are on by ex-
ecutive order, and others no doubt
got on by some sort of political
favor. If the matter is thoroughly
probed it will hurt some of those
on the pay roll.

As yet it would be next to im-
possible to forecast the result in
the tariff legislation now before
Congress. Whatever the result
may be, it is quite certain that
the Democrats will make a tariff
bill that will not do violence to
their campaign promises. It is
not believed that anything radical
enough to crush any industry will
be done, but that a sincere ef-
fort will be made to relieve the
burdens of high prices. The free
sugar item has been defeated and
the free wool item sustained in
caucus. The cotton item is one
of the most important to the South
and is causing some uneasiness,
but Congress is threshing now—
the cleaning time will come later.

Governor Craig has appointed as
members of the State Board of
the State Board of Accountancy,
created by the recent Legislature,
G. G. Scott, Charlotte, and M. R.
Lynch, High Point, for terms of
three years, J. D. Hightower for
two years, and David Stern,
Greensboro, one year. Their duties
will be to examine applicants
for license to become public ac-
countants and they will receive
\$10 each day for their services.

The advisory Board of the North
Carolina National Guard has de-
cided to give each regiment an
encampment of ten days at Camp
Morehead City, as follows: First
regiment July 21-30; second July
7-16; third, August 5-14. The two
cavalry troops at Asheville and
Lincolnton, will participate in
the encampment as unmounted men.
They will go to camp with the
western regiment. The Coast Ar-
tillery corps will go to Fort Cas-
well, August 5-14.

For the fourth time in the case
of B. F. Penny vs. Atlantic
Coast Line Railroad Co. from New
Hanover county, is remanded by
the Supreme Court for a new
trial, the case having been pend-
ing in the courts for 15 years.
Mr. Penny, at the time a mer-
chant in Wilmington, was seriously
wounded as he was stepping
from a Coast Line train near Wil-
mington by a stray bullet intend-
ed for another. In each trial the
plaintiff was awarded damages.

If that date is acceptable to the
officials of the railroad compan-
ies interested, the first confer-
ence between the Legislative
Freight Rate Commission and the
officials of the railroad companies
since the adjournment of the Leg-
islature will be held in Raleigh,
April 18th. The Legislative Com-
mission has had C. W. Hillman of
Louisville, Ky., engaged for sev-
eral weeks in gathering data at
numbers of the large shipping
points of the State to be used, it
is said, to force proper concessions
from the railroad companies.

Mrs. Geo. Howe, niece of Presi-
dent Woodrow Wilson made her
debut as a professional actress in
New York last week. She is an
ardent believer in suffrage and
eugenics and hopes to present
these subjects to the public by
means of the drama. She has
adopted a stage name which she
refuses to disclose, wishing to win
an artistic success on her own
merits.

HEAR SOMETHING, SURE.

New Idea For Postal Service.

Stateville Landmark.

Postmaster General Burleson's
ideas as to the postal service—
which are in brief that efficiency
must be the first consideration—
are good but the gentleman from
Texas will hear something when
he undertakes to transfer a man
from one locality and make him
postmaster in another locality.

There is really nothing wrong
with the proposition except it isn't
a custom. The idea is to have
efficient and trained men for the
postal service. When there is a
vacancy to be filled an available
man is sent to fill it. Who he is
or where he comes from doesn't
count; the only requirement is
capacity. The same idea applies
to municipal government in Ger-
many. Men are educated and
trained for municipal administra-
tion and they are employed for
that purpose just as business cor-
porations employ efficient men, re-
gardless of where they come from.

When we reach that point in this
country that we can dissociate
the postal service or municipal
government, purely business mat-
ters, from the idea of party re-
wards and political service, we
will realize that the idea is a cor-
rect one.

But it will take time. Here-
tofore it has been the custom to
appoint a postmaster from among
the residents of the town or com-
munity in which the office is lo-
cated. In case of a town, an
aspirant who lives in the bounds
of the office delivery but outside
the town, is handicapped if not
barred. To bring in a stranger, a
non-resident of the community
or county or possibly the State,
would start something at first.
When the people became accus-
tomed to it they would offer lit-
tle objection, for it is a fact that
the only real interest the masses
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CHAPEL HILL NEWS.

Cor. of The Gleaner.

Chapel Hill, April 14.—High Point
won the greatest number of points
in the joint interscholastic and
district field and track meet
held in Chapel Hill Friday, regis-
tering 21 points to its credit.

Friendship, Alamance county, was
a close second as a point winner
with 17. Horner Military School
came third with 16. Raleigh and
Greensboro scored 15 and 12
points, respectively. H. V. Green
of Cary, Wake county, was the
individual star of the meet, winning
four first place events and total-
ing up 23 points for the Cary
High School. More than eighty
entries were made for the next
meet by High School pupils from
scattered sections of the State.

An outlay of 36 medals and 3 cups
were awarded the victorious teams
in the meet. The declamation
contest of the central division of
State High Schools was held in
conjunction with the athletic con-
test, the nine declaimers in the
contest speaking Friday night. A.
C. Reid of Churchland High School,
Davidson county, was the suc-
cessful competitor for the de-
clamer's medal. His subject was
"The New North." The other
schools represented in the contest
were, Friendship, Hawfields, Bis-
coe, East Durham, Sylvan, James-
town, Bingham (Mebane) Golds-
boro, Hillsboro, Huntersville, Gra-
ham, Greensboro, Raleigh, Horner,
Friendship and High Point.

Joseph A. Holmes, director of
the Mining Bureau at Washington,
and for a number of years pro-
fessor of geology at the Univer-
sity of North Carolina, will ad-
dress the student body next Fri-
day night, April 18, on the subject
of the Panama Canal.

Southwest Alamance.
A large crowd attended the an-
nual S. S. Convention held with
Mt. Zion Baptist church on last
Sunday. The speakers all did well
and everything was pleasant and
instructive. Much interest was
shown in Sunday School work.

Fruit in our section has been
somewhat hurt by frost and a full
crop is not expected.
If the present dog law don't
protect the sheep more than here-
tofore sheep raisers will soon be
out of business. Dogs will sneak
in the pastures and kill up the
sheep and it is very seldom any-
one will own the dog.

There are several cases of meas-
les and whooping cough in Liberty
though it has not reached our
community yet.
Small grain crops are looking
very well, though some farmers
say the fly has started in some
fields.

There is more catarrh in this section of
the country than all other diseases put
together, and until the last few years, was
supposed to be incurable. For a great many
years ago a doctor from Toledo, Ohio, dis-
covered a cure with local treatment, and
prescribed local remedies, and by constantly
applying to cure with local treatment, he
announced it incurable. Science has proven
therefore requires constitutional treatment.
His Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J.
Cherry, D. D., Toledo, Ohio, is the only con-
stitutional cure on the market. It is taken
sponges, it sets directly on the inflamed
mucous surfaces of the eye. They offer
one hundred bottles for any case. Write to
Cherry, D. D., Toledo, Ohio, for a free
copy. Sold by druggists and testimonials.
Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

Gov. Foss of Massachusetts who
some years ago left the Republi-
cans and became a Democrat, ob-
jects to the Democratic tariff bill
and may return to his first love.

There is no case on record of
a cough, cold or laryngitis devel-
oping into bronchitis, pneumonia
or consumption, after Foley's
Honey and Tar Compound has
been taken. The genuine is in a
yellow package. Refuse substitu-
tes. For sale by all druggists.

President Wilson has no inten-
tion of facing a race problem as
a result of patronage appoint-
ments. He has decided not to
appoint negroes to pay posts
where opposition to their appoint-
ment is based on racial grounds.
There are places, of course, such
as the ministries to Hayti and
Liberia, which the President recog-
nizes can best be filled by ne-
groes.

For rheumatism you will find
nothing better than Chamberlain's
Cough Remedy. Try it and see how
quickly it gives relief. For sale
by all dealers.

A dispatch from Sparta says that
during the month of March hun-
dreds of people went from Alle-
gheny county and adjoining coun-
ties to the far Western States.

For Burns, Bruises and Sores.
The quickest and surest cure for
burns, bruises, boils, sores, inflamma-
tion and all skin diseases is
Bucklen's Arnica Salve. In four
days it cures L. H. Hatfield, of Ire-
land, Tex., of a sore on his ankle
which pained him so badly he
could hardly walk. Should be in
every house. Recommended by
Graham Drug Co.

Two new banks were chartered
by the State week before last. The
Citizens' Bank of Warsaw, Duplin
county, has a subscribed cap-
ital of \$12,500. The bank of
Fletcher, at Fletcher, Hender-
son county has a subscribed cap-
ital of \$10,000.

You will look a good while be-
fore you find a better medicine
for coughs and colds than Cham-
berlain's Cough Remedy. It not
only gives relief, it cures. Try it
when you have a cough or cold,
and you are certain to be pleased
with the prompt cure which it will
effect. For sale by all druggists.

Washington gossip is to the ef-
fect that all important matters of
the State Department have been
handed from the White House
and it is predicted that Mr. Bryan
will soon fall out with the Presi-
dent and quit. The gossip has
been tied to make trouble between
Wilson and Bryan for a year and
without success.

BINGHAM SCHOOL ITEMS.

Baseball Victories—New Agricultural
Course—The Orchestra.

Cor. of The Gleaner.

Two more baseball victories
have been added to the list for
the Spring term of 1913. At Bur-
lington the Bingham team defeat-
ed Burlington High School in an
exceedingly interesting game by a
score of five to one. The score
was a tie until the ninth inning
when Bingham forged ahead. A
large crowd saw the contest.

On the Bingham grounds the
team of the Hawfields High School
was defeated by Bingham, the
score being eight to ten in favor
of Bingham. Prof. Johnson, Prin-
cipal of Hawfields High School is
an alumnus of Bingham, who is
doing well. His boys were quiet
and gentlemanly and will be wel-
come again when they come to
play ball.

Col. Gray has just established a
course in Agriculture in the school
in charge of Capt. Hugh R. Clink-
scapes, who is a distinguished
graduate of Clemson College, S. C.
The course takes up the soil with
its composition, moisture, ventila-
tion and temperature; plant life
including the food required by
plants, their reproduction, trans-
planting and improvement; the
improvement of soil by drainage,
irrigation, tillage and proper crop
rotation; as well as by the appli-
cation of manure; the planting
of legumes and the proper use of
commercial fertilizer. The course
also takes up the proper treatment
of field, orchard and garden crops,
the weed, insect and bird enemies
of crops and their remedy. The
different breeds of the various do-
mestic animals and their uses, to-
gether with many other practical
subjects, such as the care of farm
tools, etc., are also treated.

The Bingham farm of several
hundred acres is used in connec-
tion with the school. Col. Gray
is very much interested in the
best methods of farming, building
up of land by proper drainage and
fertilization, the planting of leg-
umes, etc., the raising of the best
stock and other improvements. In
consequence of this, Capt. Clink-
scapes feels that the class can have
practical illustration of what they
learn in their text books by what
is being done on the farm. It
is hoped and believed that the
addition of the Agricultural course
will be of great value to the ca-
dets.

Quite an improvement in the
Chapel exercises has been the or-
chestra playing the hymns. This
is much appreciated and enjoyed.
The appointment of Mr. Walter
H. Page, editor of World's Work,
to the honorable and important
position of ambassador to England
brings much gratification to the
friends of Bingham, because Mr.
Page was a cadet at Bingham
School.

Pains in the Stomach.
If you continually complain of
pains in your stomach, your liver
or your kidneys are out of order.
Neglect may lead to dropsy, kid-
ney trouble, diabetes or Bright's
disease. Thousands recommend
Foley's Kidney Pills as the very best
stomach and kidney medicine
made. H. T. Alston, of Raleigh,
N. C., who suffered with pain in
the stomach and back writes:
"My kidneys were deranged, and
my liver did not work right. I
suffered much, but Electric Bit-
ters were recommended and I im-
proved from the first dose. I now
feel like a new man and my liver
improve you too. Only 50c and
\$1.00. Recommended by Graham
Drug Co.

Sunday, 13th, was the 171 anni-
versary of the birth of Thomas
Jefferson. The day was celebrat-
ed at Monticello, the Jefferson
home, and was observed at other
points.

Relief in Six Hours.
Distressing Kidney and Blad-
der Disease relieved in six hours
by the "NEW GREAT SOUTH
AMERICAN KIDNEY CURE." It is
a great surprise on account of its
exceeding promptness in relieving
pain in bladder, kidneys and back,
in male or female. Relieves re-
tention of water almost immedi-
ately. If you want quick relief and
cure this is the remedy. Sold by
Graham Drug Company.

No matter how long you suffer-
ed, or what other remedies failed
to cure, Foley's Kidney Pills
will surely help you. They are
genuinely tonic, strengthening and
curative, build up the kidneys and
restore their healthy action. Jno.
Velbert Foster, Calif., says, "I
suffered many years with kidney
trouble and could never get relief
until I received from one box
of Foley's Kidney Pills which
which affected a complete cure.
For sale by all druggists.

Henry C. Breckenridge, of Lex-
ington, Ky., is slated for Assis-
tant Secretary of war, and Wm. H.
Osborne of Greensboro, N. C. for
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.
This information is passed out
from Washington.

Use Allen's Foot-Ease.
The antiseptic powder to be shaken into
the shoes. If you have tired aching feet,
try Allen's Foot-Ease. It rests the feet and
makes new or tight shoes, cure itching, swell-
ing, blisters, corns, bunions, and all
other ailments of the feet. Believe us, it
is the best and most reliable remedy for
all such ailments. Always use it to break in
new shoes. Try it today. Sold every where, in
small packages. For Free Trial, write to
Allen's Foot-Ease, 25 West Broadway, New
York, N. Y.

Lieut. Rex Chandler, coast ar-
tillery corps, United States Army,
was instantly killed Tuesday a
week, and Lieut. Lewis H. Bre-
nnon, United States Army, was
badly hurt in the fall of a hydro-
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To Defeat
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START NOW
Susceptibility to colds, sore
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A spoonful of SCOTT'S EMUL-
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SCHOOL NEWS

Friendship High School won sec-
ond place at the athletic contest
last week at Chapel Hill. This
was a contest among the High
Schools of the State, and Friend-
ship was a close second with
High Point leading. Friendship,
however, won first, and sometimes
first and second places in leading
events.

The Graham School was another
of the few schools of the State
to make a high record at this
athletic event.

In the declamation contest that
followed the athletic contest at
the University last week all three
High Schools of Alamance were
represented. Friendship by La-
Fayette Isley; Sylvan by D. H.
Lanley; Hawfields by Albert Gib-
son.

The three High Schools of the
county—Friendship, Sylvan and
Hawfields, and also the Graham
Graded School will furnish the
exhibition in athletics at the County
Commencement.

Everything is being made ready
for the County Commencement.
The prizes for the contestants in
Recitation and Declamation have
come. Exhibit screens have been
made. School products for the
exhibition are coming in. Certifi-
cates both for the graduates and
perfect attendants are being fill-
ed out and made ready. A num-
ber of teachers who live out of
the county and have gone home
report that they are coming back
for the day, and several schools
report that they are making ready
come in their several groups in
great numbers.

The marshalls for the County
Commencement are as follows:
J. Dolph Long, Graham, Chief.
Patterson township, J. A. Horn-
aday, Liberty, N. 3.
Coble township, D. M. Elder,
Burlington, N. 1.
Boon Station township, J. B.
Gerringer, Elon College.
Morton township, J. C. McCul-
loch, Burlington, N. 8.
Fauette township, W. J. Gra-
ham, Burlington, N. 2.
Graham township, W. I. Ward
Graham.

Albright township, George F.
Thompson, Graham, N. 1.
Newlin township, Charles New-
lin, Saxapahaw, N. 1.
Thompson township, J. P. Brad-
shaw, Swepsonville.
Melville township, E. P. Cook,
Mebane.

Pleasant Grove township, J. A.
Dickey, Burlington, N. 5.
Burlington township, J. M. Cook,
Burlington.
Haw River township, W. T.
Brooks, Haw River.

Recommended for a Good Reason.
C. H. Grant, 230 Waverly Street,
Peoria, Ill., says, "Backache and
congested kidneys made me suffer
intense pains. Was always tired,
floating specks bothered me. I
took Foley's Kidney Pills and saw
big improvement after the second
day. I kept on until entirely
freed of the trouble and suffering.
That's why I recommend Foley's
Kidney Pills. They cured me."
For sale by all druggists.

State Insurance Commissioner
Young has turned over to the
State Treasurer \$7,250.00, collec-
tion from his department for the
month of March. A total for the
year ended April of \$319,589.67
was turned in. This was an increase
over the past year of \$34,349.17.

Heed the Cough that Hangs On.
The seeds of consumption may
be the cause, and a cough that
hangs on weakens the system.
Foley's Honey and Tar Compound
checks the cough, heals the in-
flamed membranes and strength-
ens the lungs. E. D. Rountree, of
Stillmore, Ga., writes, "Laryngitis
left me a deep seated hacking,
painful cough which Foley's Hon-
ey and Tar completely cured."
For sale by all druggists.

No matter how long you suffer-
ed, or what other remedies failed
to cure, Foley's Kidney Pills
will surely help you. They are
genuinely tonic, strengthening and
curative, build up the kidneys and
restore their healthy action. Jno.
Velbert Foster, Calif., says, "I
suffered many years with kidney
trouble and could never get relief
until I received from one box
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Henry C. Breckenridge, of Lex-
ington, Ky., is slated for Assis-
tant Secretary of war, and Wm. H.
Osborne of Greensboro, N. C. for
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.
This information is passed out
from Washington.

Use Allen's Foot-Ease.
The antiseptic powder to be shaken into
the shoes. If you have tired aching feet,
try Allen's Foot-Ease. It rests the feet and
makes new or tight shoes, cure itching, swell-
ing, blisters, corns, bunions, and all
other ailments of the feet. Believe us, it
is the best and most reliable remedy for
all such ailments. Always use it to break in
new shoes. Try it today. Sold every where, in
small packages. For Free Trial, write to
Allen's Foot-Ease, 25 West Broadway, New
York, N. Y.

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