

## GRAHAM, N. C., THURSDAY, JANUARY 7, 1915

**The Million Dollar Mystery** 

"Well, we'll give it a chance." It was midnight when he made his departure. As he stepped into the street, he glanced about cautiously. On the corner he saw a policeman swinging his night stick. Otherwise the street was described Provide and

ed from Scenes in the Photo Drama of the ne Name by the Thanhouser Film Company

(Convright, 1914, by Harold Maso CHAPTER V

By HAROLD MAG GRATH

The Problem of the Sealed Box. Jones kept saying to himself that he

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must strive to be calm, to think, think. Despite all his warnings, the warnings of Norton, she had tricked them and run away. It was maddening. He wanted to rave, tear his hair, break things. He tramped the hall. It would sting time to send for the police. They would only putter about fruit-lessly. The Black Hundred knew how

to arrange these abductions. How had they succeeded in doing it? No one had entered the house that day

without his being present. There had been no telephone call he had not heard the gist of, nor any letters he

had not first glanced over. How had they done it? Suddenly into his mind flashed the remembrance of the candlelight under Florence's door the night before. In a dozen bounds he was in her room, searching drawers, paper boxes, baskets. He found nothing. He returned in despair to Susan, who, during all this turmoil, had sat as if

forzen in her chair. "Speak!" he cried. "For God's sake, say something, think something! Thöse devils are likely to torture her, hurt her!" He leaned against the wall, his

head on his arm. When he turned again he was calm. He walked with bent head toward the door, opened it and stood upon the threshold for a space. Across the street a shadow stirred, but Jones did His gaze was attracted by something which shone dimly white on the walk just beyond the steps. He A crumpled letter, unad-He carried it back to the house, smoothed it out and read its contents. Florence in her haste had dropped the letter clutched at his hat, put it on and

ran to Susan. Still she did not speak "Here!" he cried, holding out an au- ahead with unseeing eyes.

tomatic. "If anyone comes in that you don't know, shoot! Don't ask ques, "I'm afraid!" She breathed with dif-ficulty.

"Afraid?" he roared at her. He put the weapon in her hand. It slipped and thudded to the floor. He stooped for it and slammed it into her lap. "You love your life and honor. You'll You'll he time how to shoot when the time. Now, attend to me. If I'm not back here by ten o'clock, turn this note over to the police. If you can't do that, then God help us all!" And ith that he ran from the house.

Susan eyed the revolver with growerror. For what had she left the and quiet of Miss Farlow's; asing terror. assination, robbery, thieves and napers? She wanted to shriek, but her throat was as dry as paper. Gin-gerly she touched the pistol. The cold sent a thrill of fear over her. He hadn't told her how to shoot it!

Two blocks down the street, up an alley, was the garage wherein Har-greave had been wont to keep his car. Toward this Jones ran with the speed of a track athlete. There might be half a dozen taxicabs about, but he would not run the risk of engaging any one of them. The Black Hundred was capable of anticipating his every The shadow across the street stood

undecided. At length he concluded to give Jones ten minutes in which to return. If he did not return within that would go up to the

his nibs! First time a ever saw him awake. I wonder what's doing? You never know what's back of those mummy-faced headwaiters. . . . . right, Jones!" The chauffeur jumped into the car

During the car's flight several policemen hailed it without success. Down this street, up that, round this corner,

50, miles an hour; and all the while Jones shouted: "Faster, faster!" Within twelve minutes from the time it left the garage, the car stopped opposite No. 78 Grove street, and Jones

got out. got out. "Walt here, Howard. If several men come rushing out, or I don't appear within ten minutes, fire your gun at couple of times for the police. I don't want them if we can manage without. They'd only burgie." "All right, Mr. Jones," said the chauf-feur. He had, in the past quarter of all wars and crimes I deenies it?"

As Jones reached the curb, Florence came forth as if on invisible wings. Jones caught her by the arm. She Jones caught her by the arm. She, fung him aside with a strength he had not dreamed existed in her slim body. "Florence, I am Jones!" She stopped, recognized him, and without a word ran across the street

to the automobile and climbed into the tonneau. Jones followed immediately. "Home!"

The car shot up the dimly lighted street, shone palely for a second under the corner lamp, and vanished. "And tell them that y 'Ah, child, child!" groaned the man

at her side, all the tenseness gone from his body. He was Jones again. Still she did not speak but stared

No further reproach fell from the, butler's lips. It was enough that God had guided him to her at the appointed anoment. He felt assured that never again would she be drawn into any trap. Poor child! What had they said

to her, done to her? How, in God's name, had she escaped from them who never let anybody escape? Presently she would become normal, and then she would tell him.

"I found the lying note. You dropped it." "Horrible, horrible!" she said almost

"What did they do to you?" "He said he was my father. . . le put his arms around me. . . He

And I knew "Knew what?" "That he lied. I can't explain."

"Don't try!" Suddenly she laid her head against the butler's shoulder and cried. It was terrible to hear youth weep in this fashion, Jones put his arm about

"Horrible!" she murmured between

one what has happened. Go about as usual. Don't let even Susan know. Whatever your poor father did was for

happy, without a care in the world.", will whistle if he sees Janes, removing "I promise." And gradually the sobel anything from any of the rooms. The ceased. "But I feel so old, Jones, go rest will be left. to Felton." very old. I threw over the lamp. I." "And. Felton, my friend." said

tanghed and shook his bead. "I'm cieverness, was not sure of Braine's action to didly rang the bead was che only the catapaw to plack his missed the ever present builtr. She was che only the catapaw to plack his missed the ever present builtr. She bead the ever present builtre. There's a chance Jones might when Plorence showed her the "per-

When Florence showed her the "personal," her vague doubts become in-stantly dissipated. The child would not have shown her the newspaper had there been any distrust on her side.

part. "My child, your father is alive, then?" animatedly. eet was deserted. Braine pro-"We don't know." sadly.

f jauntily down the street. "Why, I should say that this proves And yet, from the darkened doors of it.'

the house across the way, the figure of a man emerged and stood contemplat-"On the contrary, it proves nothing of the sort, since I have yet to dis cover a treasure in this house. I have

a man emerged and stood contemplat-ing the windows of the Perigoff apart-ment. Suddenly the lights went out. The watcher made no effort to follow The wetcher made no enort to toiow Braine. The knowledge he was after did not necessitate any such procedure. Of course, Florence read the "per-sonal." She took the newspaper at once to Jones, who smilled grimly.

The chauffeur jumped into the car and Jones took the seat beside him. "Where to?" "Number 78 . . ." and the rest of it trailed away, smothered in the vio-lent thunder of the big six's engines. During the car's flight several police The next time you will not find it so easy to escape."

Nor did she. "There will be no next time," grave-iv. "But I am going to ask you a di-rect question. Is my father alive?" The butler's brow puckered. "I have promised to say nothing, one way or the other."

"All right, Mr. Jones," said the chaut feur. He had, in the past quarter of an hour, acquired a deep and lasting respect for the butler chap. He was a regular fellow, for all his brass but tons." The root of all evil. Yet it per-forms many noble deeds. But never mind the money. Let us give our at-tention to this personal. Doubless it

originated in the same mind which conceived the letter. Your father would never have inserted such a personal. What! Give his enemies a chance to learn his secret? No. On the other hand I want you to show this personal to all you meet today, Susan, the reporter, to everybody. Talk about

it. Say that you wonder what you shall do. Trust no one with your real thoughts." Not even you, Mr. Jones," thought

night; but being unprepared, I might

not recognize him again." Vroon described Jones minutely. Braine could almost see the portrait. "Vroon, that memory of yours is worth a lot of money," was his only

"I hope it will be worth more soon." "I believe I'll be able to recognize Mr. Jones if I see him. Who is he and

what is he?" "He has been with Hargreave for 14

There was a homicidal case in years. which Jones was active. Hargreave saved him. He is faithful and uncom municative. Money will not touch him. If he does know where that million is, hot irons could not make him own up to if. The only way is to watch him

later."

her, and tried to console her.

the violent hiccoughs. "I was wrong, wrong! Forgive me!" Unconsciously the arm sustaining her drew her closer. "Never mind," he consoled. "Tell no

your sake. He wanted you to be and Orloff from the window. Orloff

street his eye discovered his man in full flight came to the first corner he was nearly knocked over by a man coming the other way "Who are you bumping into?" growled Felton

Florence Gray.

"Quick! What has happened?" hunted in every nook, drawer; I'v Jones has the million and is mak rehed for panels, looked in trunks ing his getaway. See him hiking to-false bottoms. Nothing, nothing! ward the water front?" searched Ah, if I could only find it!' The two men began to run. There followed a thrilling

the girl as che nodded. "And tell them that you showed it mand that I appeared worred." That night there was a meeting of the organization called the Black Hun-what the Hargreare butler looked like. Thad a glimpse of him the other and they were genuine tears, too. "A h, if I could only find it!" "And what would you do with it?" "Their at once to some bank and other the whole of it for the safe re-speedin turn of my father, every penny of it, what the Hargreare butler looked like. The ad a glimpse of him the other and they were genuine tears, too. "A h "Take it at once to some bank and Jones engaged a motorboat and it was offer the whole of it for the safe re- speeding seaward when the two pur "There are millions in stocks and boat," said Felton's strange companion. bonds and I cannot touch a penny of it Felton eyed him thoughtfully. There because the legal documents have not was something familiar about that bonds and I cannot touch a penny of it because the legal documents have not was been found. I can't even prove that I voice. am his daughter, except for half an old

bracelet, and my father's lawyers say that that would not hold in any court. "You were born in St. Petersburg, my dear. Have the embassy there look

up the birth registers." "That would not put me into posseson. Nothing but the return of my father will avail me. And there's a hor rible thought always of my not being

his real daughter." "There's no doubt in my mind. I have only to recall Katrina's face to know whose child you are. But what will you live on?" Here was a far greater mixup than she had calculated follow him, wait for the moment when. he'll grow careless. No man is always on his mettle; he lets up sooner or upon. Supposing after all it was only a resemblance, that the child was not

ater." "He is being watched, as you know." Vroon nodded approvingly. "The cap-iain of the tramp steamer Orient, by, the way, was seen with a roll of money. He was in one of the water front saloons, bragging how he had hoodwinked some one." "Did he say where he'd got the child a prisoner. If she was Har-child a prisoner. If she would come sibilities. The single and only way to settle all doubts was to make this

child a prisoner. If she was Hargreave's true daughter he would come "They tried to pump him on that, but he shut up. Well, we have agreed that Felton shall watch from the street out of his hiding. She heard Florence answering her

"There is a sum of ten or rub your hands like that?" question: "Inere is a sum of ten or rub your hands like that?" twelve thousand in the Riverdale bank, "Was I rubbing my hands, Miss under the control of my father's but. Florence?" he asked innocently. ler. After that is gone, I don't know what will happen to us, Susan and

**GERMAN BOMBS** SHOWER DUNKIRK Thrust see Mr. Jones upon visity important businees." "He has gone out," said Susan, and very sensibly closed the door before Felton's foot succeeded in getting in-Flest of Kaiser's Arece, anes Make Aerial

Attack On French Seaport It was time to act He ran around to the rear. The ladder convinced him that Jones had tricked him. He was Doing Much Damage

wild with rage. He was over the wall BUILDINGS WERE WRECKED in an instant. Away down the back

> Fifteen Citizens Killed In Siege-Al Aerial Assailants Made Escape From French Guns

London.-Four German aeroplanes have flown several times over the city of Dunkirk recently, dropping bombs as they went. Soldiers in the streets fired on the machines and one Taube seemed to be hit, but all got safely away.

The official returns of the casualties The official returns of the casualities show that fifteen persons were killed and thirty-two wounded. The bombs were filled with shrapnel. For half an hour the whole city crackled with rifle shots and bombs,

which threw up dense clouds of black smoke. No sconer did one aeroplane seem to depart than another arrived. Buildings in all parts of the city were wrecked.

The first bomb fell on the fortifica tions, two more near the railway sta-tion and many others in different parts of the town and in the suburb of Rosendaell and the districts of Coude kerque and Furnes. One child had an arm blown off and an old woman was arm blown off an killed outright.

The fifth aeroplane remained as sen try outside the town ready to attach any of the allies' aeroplanes that mght seek to repel the air assailants.

BELGIANS FILE PROTEST

Belgian Minister At Washington Files Protest With United States Against Germany Washington -The Belgian minister

filed with the state department a pro-test against the requisitioning by German military authorities in Belgium of merchandise worth about 57,000. 000 francs. He asserted that the Ger

man policy means "the ruin of in-dustry in Belgium." The protest set forth that the goods were not taken for use of Germany suers arrived. They were not laggard. There was another boat and they made and that consequently the seizure ways in violation of the fourth Hague con-vention. The Belgian minister issued "A hundred if you overtake that this statement: "The German author ties have put into requisition against a single receipt and without mention-ing the value of the same, the follow-ing merchandise, to be awarded to Germany, and which belongs to pri-Great plumes of water shot up into the air. It did not prove a short race by any means. It took half an hour vate parties: In Antwerp, cotton for the value of 13,000,000 francs; rubber, 2,500,000; woolen, 6,000,000, and leath. er 10,000,000 francs. In Ghent, cotton for the pursuer to overhaul the purnets, flax and other raw materials, 8,-Yes." Felton fired his revolver into

500,00 francs. In Charlerol, copper, 1,500,000; tool machine, 12,000,000 francs. In Duffel, nickel, 1,000,000 francs. In Malines, canned goods, \$2, the air in hopes of terrifying Jones' engineer; but there was five hundred dangling before that individual's eyes. 500,000. "Let them get a little nearer," shout-"These measuers are in opposition with the articles 46 and 52 of the fourth convention of The Hague, in ac-cordance with which private property ed the butler. The engineer let down the speed a

notch. The other boat crept up within twenty yards. Jones sought a perfect range. He would have to find this spot must be respected and requisition cannot be claimed otherwise than for the needs of the army of occupation These measures involve the ruin of the industry in Belgium,

box and deliberately dropped it into SHIPPING BILL REPORT the sea. Then he turned his automatic upon his pursuers and succeeded in setting their boat afire.

Secretary Redfield Recommends Mer-chant Shipping Bill Be Pushed Through All this within the space of an hour. During dinner that night (there was cook) Jones walked about the Washington.-Initiating the aggres-ive fight to be waged in congress dining table, rubbing his hands to-

"A Hundred If You Overtake That

Boat."

The stranger made a sign which Fel-

"Not so fast, Felton!" "Who the devil are you?"

ton instantly recognized.

sued.

again.

"Is that Jones?"

"Surrender!" yelled Felton

In reply Jones raised the precio

He gave chase. As he

gether from time to time. for passage of the government ship "Jones," said Florence, "why do you purchase bill, to free American com-(To be Continued.)

merce from European war limitations, majority members of the senate com-merce committee filed a report rec ommending the measure in vigorous terms and transmitting a commenda-



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**ANOTHER SHIP** 

Battleship Formidable Was Sunk By The

Germans Off The Coast of

Dartsmouth

SIX HUNDRED MEN PERISH

e Hundred and Fifty Survivors Of Disaster Were Picked Up in a Strong Sea By Trawler

London.-The Daily Chronicle state

that survivors of the battleship For

midable report that the yessel was

torpedoed both fore and aft and sank

The Chronicle's Brixham correspon-

dent, who is authority for the forego-

ing, says the captain of the trawler

Providence, which rescued seventy

survivors who had escaped from the battleship in a cutter, states that other

batileship in a cutter, states that other fishing boats were close at hand. The captain expresses the belief that other survivors have been rescued and taken to Darimouth. He saw no other boats belonging to the Formidable, however. The destruction of the battleship in the English channel by a mine or sub-marine boat, although one of those events Englishmen now realize must be expected so long as the British navy is compelled to keep the seas.

be expected so long as the British navy is compelled to keep the seas, has caused widespread grief. This is due, not so much to the loss of the ship, which was fitteen years old and cost about \$5,000,000, as it is

for the men-600 in number-who are believed to have gone down with her. Thus far only 150 men of the Formi-dable's crew are known to have been rescued. A light cruiser picked up 80

and a Tory hay trawler 70. Among the

The British admiralty has not an-

PREDICTS END IS NEAR

President Poincare Tells Diplomats In

Paris That War Will Be Over During 1915

Paris .- Prediction that 1915 would

see the end of the war was made by

President Poincare in an address to foreign diplomats who went to the

Palace of the Elysee to present New

mais present comprised "representa-tives of the nations fighting at the side of France, and of other nations where on neutrality imposes special duties in this grave crisis."

American Ambassador Sharn was

panied by three former ministers who are aiding him in the arduous tasks of

the embassy during the war-John W.

Garrett, H. Percival Dodge and John

GERMANS LOSE ST. GEORGES

While Kaiser's Troops Yield Belgian Coast To French, They Took British Trench

London-Fighting in Flanders and

northern France has been confined

largely to artillery engagements, ex-

cept near Bethune, where the Germans

claim they have taken a British trench.

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among those present. He was panied by three former minist

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cued are eight officers and siz

almost immediately.

**BRITISH LOSE** 

PRESIDENT POINCARE address to American Ambass Sharp and other foreign dipl dor mats in Paris on New Year's Day at the Palace des Elysees, Presiden Poincare of France predicted European war would draw to a

## M'ADOO SUMMONS BANKERS

during the year of 1915.

SECRETARY OF TREASURY CALLS CONFERENCE OF PAN-AMER. ICAN FINANCIERS

President Wilson And Secretary Bryan Backing The Plan Which Will Bring Americas Closer

nounced the locality where the dis-aster occurred, and declares that it is Washington .--- The United States has a mine or was torpedoed, but the in-clination here is to believe that a subnvited all Central and South American nations to send their ministers of finance and leading bankers to Wash marine again has been successful in lington for a conference with treasury department officials and financiers of this country on financial and commeran attack.

cial problems confronting the two Americas as a result of the European war. Several of the countries already have accepted and the conference probably will be held next spring.

formally Invitations were sent formally through the embassies and legations here. The plan origin and with Secre-tary McAdoo, but Secretary Bryan and President Wilson have taken an active interest in it. It has been suggested Palace of the Elysee to present New Year's congratulations. "I do not doubt that next year, at this traditional reception, we shall cel. ebrate establishment of a beneficent peace," said the president. The British ambassador, Sir Francis Bertie, as dean of the diplomatic corps, presented the congratulations of his colleagues and himself. In his address Sir Francis remarked that the diplo-mats present comprised "representathat congress be asked for an appro priation to defray expenses, but wheth-er or not this is done the visitors will come as the guests of the United States,

Officials of the state, treasury and commerce departments expect the con-ference to prove an important step toward bringing the two American continents into closer commercial relationship.

BRITISH PAY FOR WHEAT English Prize Court Orders American

Wheat Shippers Be Paid For Captured Grain

Washington .- The decision of the

British prize court in London in the

case of the British steamship Mirami-

chi, loaded with wheat and shipped from America to German consignees

prior to the war, was announced here

by the British embasy. The court held that the wheat was still the prop-erty of the American claimants and or-dered that they be paid for it. The embassy issued the following state-

"The case of the British steamship

Miramichi has recently come before the prize court at London. The vessel was

one of a large number which-had ship-

ment:

ped cargoes of wheat in the United States before the outbreak of war con-They admit, however, the loss of St. Georges, near the Belgian coat, which the Berlin official report says it was drug store and telephone for tory letter from Se threw a chair through the window Braine softly-he always spoke softly "The door of Miss Farlow's will al-GOOD FEED FOR LAMBS PAYS Generally the documents had not been taken up by the German buyers and merce Redfield. The committee report, filed by Act They thought that it was I who had jumped out. That gave me the neces-sary time. I don't understand how 1 when he was in a deadly humor-"Fel. ton, you slept on duty the other night. Hargreave stole up, consulted Jones, when he was in a deadly humor But Jones did not come back. Change From Grass to Alfalfa, Corn, ing Chairman Fletcher, quoted the redecided not to attempt to retake, owing Where's Howard?" he demanded to high water. In the Argonne region, where the Barley, Ensilage, Etc., Must Be Made Gradually. rt submitted by Secretaries McAde money had been advanced on the car "Hello, Jones; what's up?" Hargreave stole up, consulted Jones, did it. I wasn't frightened at all till and Redfield, showing enormous in-creases in ocean transportation rates y neutral bankers. The case erefore submitted to the prize by neutral banker 'Howard, get that car out at once." gained the street." They found Susan still seated in the and got away after knocking me down. The next failure will mean short shift. Be warned!" "I saw only you, sir. So help me. I "Out she comes. Wait till I give her radiator a bucket of water. Gee!" whispered Howard. whom Hargreave often used as his chauffeur, "get on to was battle has been almost continuous for weeks past, the Germans have made a A small percentage of loss in lambs since the war began and attendan court as a test case in order that the chair, the automatic in her lap. She point of law might be determined whether the goods were at the time of selzure the property of the American shippers or of the German consignees." in the feed lot is to be expected but failing off of ocean tonnage facilities little progress, as an offset to which however, the French declare they have had not moved in all this time! this loss in some instances is far greater than it should be. When range lambs are placed on a fattening The committee predicted that enactwas not asleep. I saw you run down and the other was that . . . that the street after the taxicab. I did not she liked him. She finished this sen Braine paced the apartment of the Princess Perigoff. From the living room to the boudoir and back, fully twenty times. From the divan Olga watched him nervously. He was like a tiger, fresh in captivity. All at once he neursed in front of her. ment of the ship purchase bill would go far to relieve that situation. continued their advance in upper Al tence in her heart defiantly. Today he brought her a box of beau-tiful roses, and at the sight of them see anyone else." PROFESSIONAL CARDS ration the change of feed is so sudden Braine shrugged. "Remember what Few War Changes Noted London. — The battle fines in the east and west have undergone few changes in the past few days. French France's New Aerial Fleet Wilson Chooses Three Men that dietic disturbances cause a gen I said." Felton bowed respectfully and made his exit. He wished in his soul that he I said." eral disorder and several dead sheep are found in the pens each morning. New York.-France is building two great fleets of aircraft, armed with annon, darts and bombs, with which Washington.-President Wilson was understood to have decided tentative the princess smiled faintly. Set the wind in that quarter? She could have JOHN J. HENDERSON ly on three members of the federal trade commission. They are Joseph E. Davies, commissioner of corpora-tions; Edward N. Hurley, president This invariably leads to the suspicion might some day catch the master mind laughed. Here was her revenge against this meddler who took no particular notice of her while Florence was in the room. She would encourage him, ne paused in front of her. Attorney-at-Law to invade Germany in the spring, ac and German reports agree that the that they are dying of some infectiou free of his eternal mask. It was an iron hand which ruled them and there disease. In some cases the ration is not well balanced to secure the best gains and handling Germans have captured a section of cording to Pedro Chapa, a Mexican GRAHAM N. C. "Do you realize what that mere chit aviator, who arrived here from Eu rope on the Cunard liner Carpathia trenches near Hollebreke, south of Ypres. The French assert that the were friends of his (Felton's) who had mysteriously vanished after a brief did? Office over National Bank of Al of the Illinois Manufacturers' associa Germans gayé up trenches on the first line to the extent of about 800 or 900 yards in the Lens region, farther east, while unsuccessful demonstrations have been made from both sides at various points along the extended unas poor grubbing newspaper writer, with his beggarly pittance! What chance had he of marrying this girl with mil-lions within reach of her hand? "I do." "Planned to the minute. We had ber; seven of us; doors locked, and all that. No weeping, no walling; i could not understand then, but I do now. It's in the blood Hargreave was as peaceful as a St. Bernard dog, till you cornered him, and then he was a then dow down was a sever there was a desperate job to be were there was a desperate job to be undertaken, Vroon simply poured out you cornered him, and then he was a the money necessary to promote it. the conditions of care and handling Hundreds of armored biplanes, each might be better, but these things will carrying a small cannon and bombs S. COOK count for only a nominal loss The change from grass to a and numerous monoplanes, equippe to alfalfa, with bombs and steel darts, Attorney-AL-Law, The peculiar thing about this was ready sweep across the HAM, . . . . . N corn, barley, molasses and straw, en wer there was a desperate job to be that Norton was enterialning the same undertaken. Vroon simply poured out the same time: what earth-the money necessary to promote it. ly chance had he? Whenever Braine and Vroon became in the second story window of the cont, barley, monasses and straw, en-silage, etc., must be made gradually and herein lies the secret of the heavy losses of lambs in the feed lots in the early fall. The desire to get the lambs on a fattening ration as early as possible and failing to appreciate frontier when winter is past, Chapa Office Patterson Building said. you cornered him, and then he was a lion, O, the devil! Slipped out of our fingers like an eel. And across the Grants Fifty-Five Pardons Columbia, S. C.—Governor Blease granted clemency to fifty-five state Uncle Sam's Newspape Belgrade Is Bombarded wherever branks and vison became engaged in earnest conversation they talked Slav. Braine was never called by name here; the boss, simply that. Well, ten per cent of a million was as hundred thousand. This would be WILL S. LONG. JA house over the way there was a wor-ried man. But when his glasses brought in range the true contents of Washington .-- To promote the for-eign commerce of the United States fingers like an cel. And across the street, Jones in, a racer! I never paid any particular attention to Jones, but from now on I shall. The girl may or may not know where the money is, but Jones does, Jones. does! Two men shall watch. Felton on the street and Orloff from the windows of the de-serted house. With opers glasses he will be able to take note of all that happens in the house during the day. Beigrade .- "Four Austrian monitors bombarded Beigrade this week. Their fire did slight damage. Reports from Sofa, Buigaria, of a serious climb be tween Servian and Bulgarian fronties prisoners. Twenty-eight were serving the government will go into the news the danger of too heavy feeding and change of ration has helped to make . . DENTIST . . . the box he laughed sardonically. paper business, when the first hun erms for homicide, seventeen having of the Daily Commercial Repor "This watching is getting my goat. I smell a rat every time I see a in some instances. A sudden change shadow." He wiped the lenses of his opera glasses and proceeded to roll a ed against in the domestic animals: been sentenced originally to life im prisonment. Sixteen full pardons twenty-four paroles and fifteen com . . North Carolin equally divided between the second ten of the Black Hundred. Another ten per cent would go to 80 members; the balance would be divided between will be issued by the department of commerce. In it will be carried all - MON- BUILDIN guards are officially denied here. The truth is that Servian Guards arrested a number of inhabitants of Bagan-wzawz, who were trying to leave the commerce. In it will be carried all important commercial cablegrams re-ceived from the attaches at the vari-ous embassles abroad and from con-sular offices throughout the world. It also will contain brief abstracts of the nutations are included in the list. The J. ELMER LONG 0.86 release of the forty men pardoned or paroled reduces the number of pris-oners in the state penitentiary here, balance would be divided between Vroon and the boss. But his soul re-belied at being ordered about like so much dirt under another man's feet. He would take his ten thousand and Two round points of light flashed from cigarette. cially is this true with the ho ONG & LONG. ountry to avoid military service. happens in the house during the day. He will be able to see the girl's room. And that's the important point. It was a good plan, little woman; and it there were no casualties and the was no conflict with the Bulgari guards." This is the gist of the ficial statement. ifeys and Counselors at 1. After the first of the year New ersey will require all automobiles o carry mirrors, to enable drivers o see the road in the rear. at the state farms, and in the county GRAHAM N .? findings of investigators of the de-partment in American enterprise. convict camps to 149. Governor Bleas He would take his ten thousand and make the grand getaway. The next afternoon the princess called upon Florence. Nothing was said about the adventure, and this fact created a vague unrest in the schem-ing woman's mind. She realized that ing out of this cavit is cavit ing out of this cavity is raised a box fully than ever. Not the least distruct fue parent of the cover. Stanley Harnow has exercised clemency to 1.544 ld have been plain sailing if only JOHN H. VERNON Nineteen states allow the ployment of children under the of 16 in mining. ed that the girl was Gray horses are the longest lived and cream colored ones are the ones most affected by temperature changes. On the land of E. L. Hastings, in Townsend, Vt., is a pure white squirrel the only one of its kind in a family of red squirrels. Stationary, steam, oil and gas engine plants of the United States horse power. Hargreave's daughter. Be very care-ful hereafter when you call on her. A night like this will have made her sus-Attorney and Counselor-at-Law PONES-Office 65J --- Residence 331 The gold industry of the is estimated to be worth \$50 day to South Africa. picious of every one. Our hope lies with you. Anything on your mind?" "Yes. Why not insert a personal in the Herald?" She drew some writing BURLINGTON, N. C. whe must play her cards more care ing was lettering on the lid; in fact, fully than ever. Not the least distrust must be permitted to enter the child's the name of its owner, Stanley Har-head. Once that happened good by to greave. Jones replaced, the fooring, the wonderful emeralds. Was it that she really craved the stone? Was it made his wit, and where a venom acquired from the the transformed and the stone is faint whistle. It was the sig-Any English male above the age of 16 who refuses the obey the call of the high sheriff to withstand the King's foes is legally held guilty of felony. There are now between 7,000 and 8,000 automobiles in Denmark, or about one machine to every 400 in-habitants. Military obligation in Russia be-gines at the age of 12, and is not finally concluded until the end of the 43rd year. Dr. J. J. Barefoot In proportion to its po Switzerland spends more relief than does any other OFFICE OVER HADLEY'S STORE paper toward her and scribbled a few words. He read: "Florence—the hiding place is discovered. Remove it to a Messages at Alamance Phar-'Phone 97 Residence 'Phone All the parks and gardens and available open spaces in Vienna are to be laid out as vegetable gar-dnes. It is quite possible for a simply spread himself without ally having any broadening 382 Offi e Hours 2-4 p. m. and by place more secret spot at once. S. H."-He Appointment.