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Governor-elect Thos. W. Bicket will take the oath of office on Thurs day, 11th inst. As Attorney-General of North Carolina he will represent the State in an argument before the United States Supreme Court in Cuban bond case against this State next Tuesday

Senator Overman has introduced a resolution in the United States Senate asking Cuba for information concerning the bonds which that Republic is moving through the United States Supreme Court to collect from North Carolina. These are the same bonds which have been repudiated by the State and were issued away back in 1868 and '69. The proceeding to collect smells of Butlerism.

The Legislature convened yester day. Hon. Walter Murphy of Salis bury was nominated the night be fore by acclamation by the Demo cratic caucus, for Speaker of the House. Mr. Murphy was first elect ed to the Legislature in 1897 and has been re-elected six times since. There is general satisfaction at his election to the Speakership.

Yesterday the House and Senate got right down to business and made something of a record in the intro duction of bills. In the House alone 147 bills were introduced and 40 bills were introduced in the Senate

A bill was introduced in the House by Representative R. T. Kernodle to fix the salaries of county officers and abolish the office of county Treaurer, but otherwise it is not known what the provisions of the bill are.

#### Summer School Chatter.

Superintendent A. T. Allen of the Salisbury Graded Schools and Pres ident of the North Carolina Teach ers' Assembly will be a member of the faculty of the A. & M. Summer School during its six weeks session next summer according to Prof. W.

Mr. Clarence H. MacDonald, Su perintendent of Raleigh Playgroun Work will give a practical course course in his work. There is demand throughout the and especially in the for trained social service workers, and men and women it good health and having a natural ability to direct play should of especially interested in this feature should o

Several plans are under way t make this school one of great value to those teachers and others en gaged in rural work in the State

William H. Crocker, multi-mi lionaire banker, of San Francisco has sued Internal Revenue Collect lor J. J. Scott, for a refund of \$11. 340 of income tax. This sum crock er alleges represents losses onds and stocks sustained by him which should have been considere in the fixing of the amount of the

H. A. Preacher. and Keb Netteles, a tenant farmer were shot and killed near Brunson C., Friday at the plantation o P. W. Lightsey, who surrender to the sheriff. The shooting is said to have followed an attempt of Preacher to persuade Lightsey to leave Nettles' plantation

For libeling George Washington nemory, Paul Haffer of Tacom Wash., must serve four months i county jail, the Supreme Cour of the State upholding the convic tion of Haffer on a criminal libe accusing the first President of the States of drunkenness and other irregularities.

Secretary of the Treasury Mc Adoo estimates that under existing revenue laws the government's def icit on June 30, 1918 will be \$279,.
000,000 and that in order to mee this condition and give the Treas ury the necessary working balance of \$100,000,000 Congress will have to raise \$379,000,000 daditional rev enue during the coming year.

been a legal resident of Virginia since 1905, and who was compe'led slast year to pay to the State more \$235,000 in taxes on intangible property which had not been subjected to taxation for 11 years, has noti-fied the commissioner of revenue of Nelson county, Va.,, that he has transferred his residence to Wash-

Takao Shiota, a wealthy Japanes artis residing in the Dismal Eastern North Carolina wilderness Friday after a 30 hours' search. Shiota declared that he lost the sense of direction after becoming separated from his companions and after becoming exhausted built a lean-to and awaited rescue. He suffered considerably from hunge He and exposure.

#### Development in Cheese Making in North Carolina.

Nine cheese factories have been established in the western part of North Carolina since the work was begun in 1914. This is one of the most surprising developments of the whole work of the Animal Industry Division of the North Carolina Experiment Station. Before the work was under-Carolina was producing only about was made in the homes at differtories which have been established are now making more than that

and at a good profit.

The little factory at Grassy up to the same date. When it is consider it—ask and answ realized that these little factories where, what and why? nent of this kind.

communities are also building Teach the student to see the logic silos and spring houses. The men and the cause of the things that of the Extension Service are giv- are. ing them as much assistance as is possible but one of the greatest to take some man in the neighbor hood and train him in the work

supply of factories.

Realizing this, the Animal Innaking and cheese factory management. Twelve factories have een built in the last eighteen prepared in written form. months and more are now under

on January 16, 1917, and close on March 3, 1917. It is intended to 6. C give instruction to any one wishing to study the making of cheese and cheese factory management, and is limited to students 16 years of age and older. It is expected that the course will be very valuable to those men who are thinking of building a cheese factory whether they are to have active charge of it or not.

#### SALARY INCREASE FOR STATE OFFICERS.

### Mr. Arrington, Lately Resigned From Treasurer's Office, States

Raleigh News and Observer.

Because capital cities are cost! to live in and far more than ordinarily so for State officers, an ef will be made in the next General Assembly to raise salaries of such officers and their clerks The Governor, it is declared. should receive \$7,500, as much as a Congressman, and the other elective officers should get \$4,500, except Supreme Court Justices, who should get \$5,000. In addiion, it is argued, there should be a blanket provision calling for a raise of 25 per cent. in the salaries and wages of all other State employes.
State legislators are receiving

letters to this effect from Mr A H. Arrington, who lately resigned his position in the State Treas urer's office to take up a private business. Says Mr. Arrington: "Having resigned my position in the State Treasury Department present

to engage in private business, and therefore being in a position to do so without my motive being questioned, I make the following a peal to the Legislature of the which our future supply depends State on behalf of the employes of the State government from salaries on account of the tremendous increase in the cost of living and the fact that they are living on salaries fixed ten years

40 per cent less than it is today.
"It is well known that all capital cities are costly to live in. And and the user of paper, namely, for State officers it is far more costly than for any one else for four reasons: First, they are ex the dignity of the State: second. they are required to do a large Carolina. The State, recognizing amount of entertaining; third, its duty to help the people solve they are called upon, by reason of their position, to contribute to already started an Experiment the building of churches, schools Forest in the Sandhill region, and and for all charitable purposes; fourth, they have to put up large sums of money to conduct a cam paign for primary nomination and contribute to the campaign fund

Clyde B. Enloe, administrator of B. F. Enloe, has brought suit in Buncombe Superior Court against the Southern Railway Company, M. W. Yoder and J. G. McGalliard for \$50,000 on account of the death of B. F. Enloe, who was killed in a wreck at Biltmore several months ago. broke loose on a grade, four miles above Biltmore and crashed into work train of which Enloe was a engineer. Yoder and McGalliard sible were brakemen on the train from which the coal cars escaped.

One suspects from the various

#### \*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* Educational Column Conducted LOCAL INFECTION by Supt. J. B. Robertson.

Student to Study

 Put the pupil into the proper grade. If the pupil is in too low a grade he does not need taken, the whole State of North to study and neither does he find any interest in old stories; if he 30,000 pounds of cheese and this is in too high a grade the way is too dark and the load too heavy ent parts of the State. The fac- he dreads them and shuns them. 2. Maintain the most friendly

show a personal interest in him. The little factory at Grassy 3. Teach the pupil how to study—begin at the beginning—make clear and sure the fundauary 14, 1916. The Cove Creek mental parts—analyze the subject factory made almost 15,000 pounds —let it unfold in the mind as you When it is consider it -- ask and answer when, cost from \$400 to \$800, a good parts and then the whole, see the idea is obtained relative to the amount of business which can be built up around a small equipplementary thoughts in their re-The farmers in these cheese lation to the leading thought.

4. Assign the lesson properly. possible but one of the greatest (a) Assign it specifically and care-difficulities connected with the fully. (b) Give enough of the work is in finding men sufficiently new lesson in terms of the old to that we were well acquainted with bactrained to man the factories after introduce the student to the new teria and their vagaries, but recently they have been established. In most cases it has been necessary arouse the student's interest in it. arouse the student's interest in it.
(c) Talk up the lesson. (d) Do not tell the story of the lesson and This naturally takes much of the hence make it old before it is new. time of the specialists in charge but pour a sweetened quart of the of the work and it cannot go forward very fastly until the supply assign the lesson that you may of men to run them exceeds the get him to study and so you can get two gallons from him when Realizing this, the Animal Industry Department of A. & M. exactly how you expect the lesson College has now organized a course to be recited. (Let there be exof special instruction in cheese making, the object of which is to methods and the child will be in the child will be in the special in his pure that are interest in his pure. assist those wishing to prepare to take an interest in his busi-themselves for positions in cheese ness and study). (f) Let the The work will consist pupil know that you are going to principally of instruction in cheese expect him to know it-if neces sary require certain parts or all the lesson to be brought to class Get up friendly and whole

course of construction, so a good some rivalry in the class - let the opportunity is open for young girls recite in contest with the men in these cheese factory sec-boys—let the class be divided into "A" and "B" sections and go The course this season will open after lesson by lesson in warm

6. Conduct the recitation so the student will have to know the lesson or show up to bad effect. 7. Inspire and encourage the

ing, to want to do something and want to be something. Make the joy of knowing so rich and so thrilling and so good that the student will get so huu-

#### North Carolina Forestry Association

and study.

The Seventh Annual Conven tion of the North Carolina For-estry Association will be held in Raleigh, Wednesday and Thurs day, January 24 and 25, 1917 probably immediately following the Social Service Conference Make your plans now for attend

ing this important convention.
The question of what the Stat is to do to prevent the destruction its forests is now no longer looked upon as a problem to be left to the landowner or the Legislature; but, like the good roads novement, is recognized as one which concerns the whole people, and must be dealt with by them. Looked at in this light, the coming meeting of the Forestry Association in Raleigh, while the General Assembly is in session.

ssumes large importance Last spring, forest fires destroyed four million dollars worth o the State endeavor to prevent this loss, not only for the good of posterity, but for the benefit of present generation? Lumber prices add to the high cost of livand so little young growth, upon

allowed to escape the fire? Besides forest protection, a num Governor down, who are all put ber of other important phases of to it to live on their present forestry will be discussed. The question of the manufacture of paper from pulp woods and the firmity or maims or injures himself establishment of pulp mills will be dealt with by an expert along ago, when the cost of living was this line. This is one of the big problems we are facing today, of equal interest to the timber owner

the general public As yet we do not know what is the best method of securing adepected to live in a way to uphold quate reproduction of longleaf oblolly, or shortleaf pine in North its duty to help the people solve this and similar problems, has others will be established as op-

portunity offers.
Experts are being invited to speak along these and other lines, and it is expected that the convention will give expression to the growing demand for a constructive State forest policy.

## The Habit of Taking Cold.

With many people taking cold is abit but fortunately one that is asily broken. Take a cold sponger easily broken. Take a cold sponge bath every morning when you first get out of bed—not ice cold, but a temperature of about 90 deg. F. Also sleep with your window up. Do this and you will seldom take cold. When you do take cold take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of it as quickly as possible. Obtainable everywhere. adv.

Mr. Asquith refuses to be an earl. Such a title would no more orns cabinet changes that the entente allies have just begun to fight.

# **EXPLAINS ILLS**

Baffling Eye Affections, Joint Ailments, and Even Appendicitis Accounted For.

# DOCTORS ADMIT LAY WISDOM

High Priests of Medicine No Longer Regard Patient's Diagnosis as Mere perstition—Tonsils and Teeth at Bottom of Trouble.

New York.-Recent experiments, investigations, and experimental treat-ment in the domains of medicine and of the hitherto puzzling problems of medical science. Physicians are beginning to realize that many general onal disturbances wh local foci of infection. When these are removed their patients soon recover, sometimes, indeed, with astonishing rapidity.

How recent the realization of the

real solution of these medical mys-teries is may be judged from the following editorial comment in the New York Medical Journal:

"For many years it was thought

activities of bacteria the most interest ing at present is that of the so-called focal infection. By this is meant small, more or less quiescent point of disease, which, although it causes no local disturbance, gives rise to symp toms elsewhere in the body.

Most Important Manifestation.

"Probably the most important hese manifestations is the involve nent of the various joints of the body. If we pick up our textbooks to read about arthritis, the chances are that we shall be much discouraged, not only by the unfavorable prognosis, but also by our inability to determin the cause.
"Since the work of Ros

others, however, we are fast realizing that a small collection of bacteria may be responsible for the foint condition and we are also discovering the fact that the only way to accomplish much good is to attack the primary focus. "At present the capable physician is no longer content to give antipyrethics in expectation of a marvelous cure. If patient now gives a history of chronic nd painful joints, the first thought of his physician should be focal infec To determine the presence bsence of such a condition is not always an easy task, and outside aid particularly the Roentgen ray, will have to be called upon.

#### Tonsils and Teeth.

"The tonsils may be diseased, or that is very common, there may be infection at the roots of the teeth. This last is a frequent condition and may be present without local indications. It is also interesting to note that gry and so thirsty for knowledge that he will go about seeking it many inflammatory conditions of the eye are directly referable to dental considered to be mere superstition by the medical high priests.

"After removal of the focal infection the patient's rapid recovery, in many instances, is little short of marelous. In most cases no further treatment seems to be necessary, the joints cease to be painful, and the convales-cent goes on his way rejoicing.

"That bacteria in the foci cause the distant lesion has been proved so many times that there can now be no doubt as to the causal relation. The isolated organisms, when injected into experimental animals, show a special affinity for tissues similar to th volved in the original instance. A join will be attacked, an eye become in volved, even the appendix will succumb, according to the affinity shown n the first case

nvestigated, the clearer it become that focal infection seems to explain satisfactorily certain of the hitherto unsolved problems of medicine."

# STOP WAR DRAFT "DOPING" property in this State; should not British Government to Punish Men

Who Drug Themselves to Escape Army Service. London.-It will now be an offense to injure oneself in order to escape

An amendment has been made to the defense of the realm regulations, stat-ing that any man in the reserve forces who, when ordered to report for medical examination, feigns any disease or infirmity shall be guilty of an of-

The amendment in effect states that if a man produces any disease or in or takes any drug likely to render him emporarily or permanently unfit fon nilitary service, he is guilty of an of

# Ugh! Calomel Makes You Deathly Sick

Stop Using Dangerous Drug Before it Salivates you! It's Horrible!

You're bilious, sluggish, constipated, and believe you need vile,
dangerous calomel to start your
liver and clean your bowels.
Here's my guarantee! Ask your
druggist for a 50-cent bottle of
Dodson's Liver Tone and take a
spoonful to-night. If it doesn't
start your liver and straighten your
right up better than calomel and
without griping or making you
sick, I want you to go back to
the drug store and get your
money.

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the taking it a cough always dister taking

# MILLIONAIRE FISH MERCHANT.



Photo shows Alexander Paladini, the oldest fish merchant on the Pawith the seven younger Paladinis.

### IS CHAPTER OF ACCIDENTS

Experience Related by Pennsylvania Farmer Is, to Say the Least, Unusual.

er, a Baird Eagle Valley farmer, in Tyrone. Weaver says he decided to pick some pears from a large tree one The limb broke and in his Sunday. descent he passed through the roof of a hog pen. He fell on the back of a fat porker, which was so badly in-jured that it died.

In the barnyard adjoining the pigsty was a colt. It was so frightened by the noise that it jumped over a fence and ran into a clothesline, one end of which was fastened to a post. The post was hurled through the kitchen The window of the farmhouse, narrowly missing the baby sitting in the high

The colt leaped over another fence and collided with a barbed wire fence lacerating its legs and breast. When the veterinarian came next day to sew up the cuts he ran over Weaver's dog which had to be shot.

#### HORSE DIGS UP A PURSE Clears Up Theft That Has Been

Mystery for More Than a Year. Beaver Falls, Pa .- A mystery of

year's standing has been cleared up. Recently Justice of the Peace W. H. McElvaney of New Galilee received a pocketbook containing checks and rail infections. This has long been recog-nized by the laity, but the idea was Last year Justice McElvaney attended the Columbiana county fair in Lisbon and reported to the authorities

that his pocketbook had been stole

from his pocket.

Mrs. McElvaney and a woman friend saw the thief take the pocketbook and the following day, the man was arrest ed in Smith's Ferry, Pa., Mrs. McElvaney identifying him. The grand jury released the prisoner for lack of evi-

dence. A few days ago J. B. Lyther of Lis bon tied his horse to a post in the fair grounds. The horse dug up the pocket

#### DOG BURIES STOLEN MUFF While Owner Seeks It, Pointer Dige Hole for Fur Piece She Picked

Up in Yard. Winsted, Conn.—Bess, a black and white pointer, owned by Col. F. M. Chapin of Pine Meadow, entered the yard of Wilbur Deming of that vil-lage where a black muff 15 inches square was out for an airing after be ing taken out from a cedar chest. The dog carried the muff into Frank Holmes' yard and partly concealed it inder the leaves when search was be ing made by members of the Deming family, Bess took the muff home and

The searching party finally reached the Chapin premises and recovered the muff, which was undamaged.

#### BOY GETS A HOODOO DEER California Lad Shoots Old Buck That Dodged Bullets of Other Hunters.

Salinas, Cal. — Monterey county which usually has more deer killed in it than any other county in Califor in it than any other county in Califor-nia, tops all the local records with a forked-horn buck that weighed 231 pounds, dressed. The buck was killed in the last day of the season by Wil-liam Casey, Jr., near his home at San Lucas. The deer was an old one, and hunters have been trying for years to get it, but the wily buck always man-aged to escape the bullets and was called "the hoodoo."

"I have taken a great many bottles of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and every time it has cured me. I have found it most effectual for a hacking cough and for colds. After taking it a cough always disappears," writes J. R. Moore, Lost Valley, Ga. Obtainable everywhere.

money.

Take calomel to-day and to-mornow you will feel weak, sick and nauseated. Don't lose a day's work. Take a spoonful of harmless, vegetable Dodson's Liver Tone tonight and wake up feeling great, It's perfectly harmless. Give it to your children any, time. It can't salivate, so let them eat anything they want afterwards.

Clark, a farmer, Friday afternoon. The men quarreled, it is said over the control of the protection is said over time. It can't simply the protection is survived by his wife and seven children. Clark is a widower with one child.

The view of the Protectionists is

The view of the Protectionists is SUBSCRIBE FOR THE GLEANER ed for peace—that the country could not endure it.

# **CUNGRESS TO RUSH** ALL FISCAL BILLS

MEMBERS RETURN FROM CHRIST MAS VACATION PREPARED FOR RUSH.

#### WILLING TO WORK OVERTIME

Railroad Legislation and Revenue De ficit Are Unusual Issues-Army and Navy Supply Bills and Military Training Demand Attention

eturned to Washington from their Chirstmas holiday, prepared to get down to hard work on the accumulation of legislation that must dealt with before adjournment With railroad legislation and reve

nue deficits confronting them as un-usual issues, the rank and file deter-mined to labor with a will to clear cific coast. He has been in the fish the way of routine business, particular business for nearly 65 years, and dur-ly the appropriation bills, which mus-ing all this time he has bucked the fish trust and worked without vacation un-nue needs can be definitely establish til he is known among his many ac- ed. Estimates on all these measures quaintances as the millionaire fish-man. Life would not be worth living to Paladini if he could not don his rough rags and work in the fishery which to frame revenue legislation a

Appropriation measures; will be considered in the Senate, immediately the Indian bill probably being the first taken up, while various commit-tees are engaged in paving the way for consideration of railroad me whitoons, Pa.—A chapter of correlated accidents is told by Henry Weaver, a Baird Eagle Valley farmer, in priation bills, still has nine more to work out, and will approach that task vigorously with night sessions in prosvigorously with night se pect for the near future.

Returning members who were r elected do not look on the talk of a extra session and declare they are will ing to work night and day to aver They insist that none will be necessary unless action by Congres on the railroad legislation proposed by the president should be held up. Even in that event all are not satisfied that the president would call an extra session for this purpose.

THOUSANDS OF GUNS NOW
BEING MADE BY TEUTONS

Every Available Skilled Mechani Taken From Trenches—Prepare
Big Campaign.
Berlin, via Sayville.—Many thousar

guns per week is reported to be the neasure of the mighty manufacturin effort which Germany is now making for the campaign of 1917—an effor upon which the entire manhood force of the nation which can be spare from the front and their regular cupation is being concenterated un der First Quartermaster von Luden dorf universal labor service law. Counting four months before th

robable renewal of the world in full vigor on all fronts, these figures mean a new immense supply of cannon of all calibers from field gun up to the gigantic howitzers, to me the admittedly gigantic effort which the Entente Allies are expected to make in this the third year of Kitchener's prophecy, to turn the scale

of the war. Along with these guns the German factories are turning out correspondingly stupendous quantities of am munition and the production of machine guns, each of which virtually replaces a platoon of men, has been placed on a scale far beyond that

of the past year. The campaign of 1917 will, it is already evident, be fought as a wide extension and development of the Somme battle, with even a heavie conception of artillery over a fa wider front and with lines literally bristling with machine guns. Confidence that their opponents will be unable to break through this wall of by the higher commanders, but also is manifested right down into the

# GEN, HAYES, ONE TIME N. C.

ranks of the common people.

N. J.-Gen. Edward Le Haves, a cousin of President Ruther ford B. Hayes, and at one time Governor of North Carolina, died at his home here. He was 97 years old Friday. December 28. At a celebration in honor of the event he insisted on cutting the birthday cake himself and eemed better than for some months That night, however, he suffered an of indigestion and grew stead-

General Hayes was a prominent Re publican and was a delegate to the PLAN BIG NAVAL SHOW convention which nominated Abraham Lincoln for the presidency. He served throughout the Civil War, enter ing the service as a major in the One Hundredth Ohio Volunteers. He was promoted to colonel of that regimen and later became a brigadier general was a prisoner in Libby prison for 11 months. During the Reconstruction period he was Governor of Nort Carolina for about nine months.

### Bad Habits.

Those who breakfast at 8 o'clock, lunch at 12 and have dinner at 6, are almost certain to be troubled with indigestion. They do not allow time for one meal to digest oefore taking another. Not less than five hours should elaps between meals. If you are troubled with indigestion correct your habits and take Chamberlain's Tablets and you may reasonably hope for a quick recovery. These Tablets strengthen the stomach and enable it to perform its functions naturally. Obtainable everywhere.

Kaiser William perhaps is sooth d by the thought that neither did loah's peace dove accomplish any thing on its first trip.

### Found a Sure Thing.

L. B. Wixon, Farmers Milis, N has used Chamberlain's Tab 1., has used challed a control of the stomach and liver and says, "Chamberlain's Tablets are the best I have ever used. Obtainable everywhere.

### ATLEE POMERENE



New photograph of Atlee Pomer ene, who was re-elected United States

CENTRAL POWERS REPLY

SUGGEST THAT CONFERENCE BE HELD TO DISCUSS BASIS OF PEACE TERMS.

in Washington, Action is Looked Upon as Advancing Cause, Although There is Disappointment Because No Terms Are Set Forth.

President Wilson's note is regarded here as having advanced the peace movement another step despite the fact that it disappoints in not meeting his suggestion for an avowel of terms The reception German's reply reong the Entente Allies statesmen have publicly declared against such a program, now becomes the point upon which a further move hinges. The German note probably is the prelude to a series of carefully considered delicate moves in the great game of world diplomacy all possibly leading to an approach for a real discussion of peace terms on grounds which all the belligerents can place them at no disadvantage.

This is the official view of Gerwas keeping his mind open.

garded the note as a step toward peace

The reply of the Central Powers as given out at Berlin, says:

"The high-minded suggestion made by the President of the United States of America in order to create a basis for the establishment of a fasting peace has been received and conside ed by the Imperial Government in the riendly spirit winch was expressed in the President's communication.

"The President points out that which he has at heart and leaves open

"To the Imperial Government an immediate exchange of views seems to be the most appropriate road in order to reach the desired result. "It begs, therefore, in the sense of

the declaration made on December 12 which offered a hand for peace nego tiations to propose an immediate meet tiations to propose an immediate meet-ing of delegates of the belligerent States at a neutral place. "The Imperial Government is also

of the opinion that the great work of reventing future wars can be begun only after the end of the present strug-

#### LUIS CABRERA DENIES ANY TIME LIMIT FOR SIGNING.

-Luis Cabrera, chairm of the Mexican delgation on the Mexican-American point commission said here that no time limit had been fixed reject the protocol proposed by the Mexican-American conference at Atlantic City. There was no understand-ing during the sessions of the joint commission he added, which gave the American commissioners authority to mpose such a time limit.

# FOR THE U. S. ISLANDS

Washington.-Plans for a great na washington.—Plans for a great na-val demonstration to signalize Ameri-can acquisition of the Danish West Indies are being considered by state and navy department officials. ably the entire Atlantic fleet will be ordered to St. Thomas, the long-He took part in 30 battles, although south naval base site, to participate in the celebration. Minister Brun of Denmark, formally advised the state department that the treaty for the sale of the islands had been approved.

### You Can Cure That Backache.

Pain along the back dizzlenes, headach and genneral languor. Get a package of Mother Gray's Australial.Leaf, the pleasant root and herb cure for Kidney, Bladder roun down, thed, weak and without energy use this remarkable combination of natures herbs and roots. As a regulator it has no equal. Mother Gray's Australian-Leaf is Sold by Druggists or sent by mail for Sociation of the company of the

James and Henry Cardell and Jack Franklin of the Laurel section of Madison county are in jail at Marshall on the charge of de stroying church property. The church at Laurel was practically wrecked by the vandals, windows being broken out and the weather boarding on the sides of the church split by rocks. Some resentment regarding the use of the church by a sect known as Holy Rollers is declared to have started the trouble.

Coming so soon after their insti-tution, Germany's peace proposal is rather uncomplimentary to those armored autos.

# Land Sale!

Pursuant to an order of the Superior Court of Alamance county, made in a special proceeding therein pending, entitled: "Nancy Hunter vs. George Hunter and others," whereto all the heirs-at-law of the late James Hunter, colored, are duly constituted parties, the undresigned duly appointed commissioner will offer for sale to the highest bidder at public auction, at the court house door in Graham, on MONDAY,

FERRUARY 5th, 1917.

lowing described real property, towit:
That tract or parcel of land situate in Alamance county, Nort's
Carolina, near the village of Haw
River, known as the home place of
the late James Hunter, colored, adjoining the lands of the late David
Hunter, James Hunter, Ir., W. H.
and J. A. Trolinger, and others, being the lands purchased by the said
James Hunter from Thomas Dixon,
et als. and the old Woodsdale
school house lot, containing in all
nearly four acres, and more fully
described in the petition in this
cause.

cause.

TERMS: One-half cash, balance in six months secured by note of purchaser, to bear interest at six percent, title reserved until purchase price is paid in full; sold subject to confirmation by the court. This January 4, 1917.

J. DOLPH LONG, Commissioner.

#### Re-Sale of Valuable Land.

Under and by virtue of an order of the Superior Court of Alamance county, made in the special pro-ceedings entitled Aaron Richmond, Adeline Richmond vs. Annie Richmond, Rudy Richmond, Jennie Richmond, Mollie Richmond and Fallie Richmond, the same being No. 737 upon the special pro-ceedings docket of said court, the indersigned commissioner will, on

MONDAY, JAN. 1st, 1917,

highest bidder for cash a certain tract or parcel of land in Melville Township, Alamance County, North Carolina, described as follows:

Commissioner

MILLLER'S ANTISEPTIC OIL.

Will Positively Relieve Pain in Three

Try it right now for Rheumatism, Yeuralgia, Lumbago, sore, stiff and swollen onts, pains in the head, back and limbs, sorns, bunions, etc. After one application ain disappears as if by magic. A never-failing remedy used internally and xternally for coughs, Colds, Croup, Sore hroat, Dipotheria and Tonsilitis.

Troat, Diplimeria and Tonshitts.

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Having qualified as executors of the wid of Margaret King, deceas-ed, the undersigned hereby notify all persons holding claims against estate, to present the same, duly authenticated, on or before the 5th

Summons by Publication.

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In the Superior Court, Before the Clerk. Margaret M. Noab, Eliza Bishop, J. W. Bishop Minnie E. Holt, J. G. Holt, W. A. Patterson, Julis E. Patterson, C. H. Russell, Bessie B Russell, Ewell A. Noah, Anna Bell Noab A. J. Capps, Jane Capps, Rebecca Cheel John Noab, Ruth Noah and Bessie Boggs,

VS.

others who may be proper parties to this proceeding.

The defendants above named and any others whose names and residences are unknown and entitled to participate in the proceeds arising from the sale of the real estate, will take notice that an action entitled as court of Alamancommenced in the Superley, that said action relates to the sale of the real estate, that said action relates to the sale downty and stale and that said defendants will rule the test of the sale of the parties thereto; and each of the parties thereto; and each of the parties thereto the clerk of the Superloy of February, 1817, on Monday the 5th day of February, 1817, on Monday the 5th day of February, 1817, on Monday the felt said action or the plantiffs will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said petition.

This the let say of Jan., 1817.

Clerk Superior Court,

at 12 o'clock, noon, all of the fol-lowing described real property, to-

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Washington.—Germany's reply to resident Wilson's note is regarded door in Graham, Alamance county, North Carolina, offer for sale to the

Carolina, described as follows:
Adjoining the lands of C. F.
Cates, Charles Harris, B. S. Benson and others; beginning at a hickory tree, corner with said Harris in Cates' line, running thence N. 7 deg. W. 8 chs. to the center of Mill Creek in said Cates' line, thence up said creek as it meanders 8.72 deg. E. 1.70 chs. N. 33½ deg. E. 8.20 chs. to concrete bridge, N. 30 deg. E. 3.30 chs. to the center of old chs. to concrete bridge, N. 30 deg. E. 3.30 chs. to the center of old This is the official view of Germany's reply, so far as it has been formulated on the basis of the unofficial text. The official copy had not been received and President Wilson to intersection of road from bridge, was keeping his mind open.

Neutral diplomatic quarters, too, reparded the note as a step toward peace

W. side of old road, thence S. 15 deg. W. 2.55 chs. S. 21½ deg. E. 6.35 chs. to a rock in W. side of old road, thence S. 32½ garded the note as a step toward peace and rather leaned to the view that deg. 4.15 chs. to road, corner house formany might follow it with a confidential communication of some sort outlining her terms.

W. Bide of old road, thence S. 3.52 and to road, thence S. 2.50 chs. to rock in Harris line, corner house lot, thence S. 821 deg. W. 5 chs. to

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December 12, 1916.

MED: LOUISE M. HAYWOOD,
Administratrix of the estate of Aifred W. Haywood, dec'd, Haw River, N. C. 14decét

EXECUTORS' NOTICE.

day of January, 1917, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their re-covery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate settlement.

immediate settlement.
This January 1st, 1917.
W. B. SELLARS,
S. E. TATE,
Ex'rs of Margaret King.

tate of North Carolina.