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COLLIE TO HEAD STATE PRISON Rumors Says Blekett WII Appoint Present Clerk to Committee
Clalms to Responsible Position. Parker R. Anderson writes the forParker R. Anderson writes the Rol-
lowing from Washington which was publishe
News:
"Visitors to Washington during the
past weepk say that one of the certain appolntments which Governor Blekètu next month will be that of James Red. mond Colle, of Loutsburg, as superin:
tendent of the State Prison at Ra!eigh, succeeding Jutes R. Mann Santford Martin, of Wtnston-Satem, from equally as rellable a source, will ee named secretary to Governor Bick-
"Collie is one of the best known
North Carolinians in Wastington. North Carolinians in Washington. the responsible positton of chif clerk Representative Edward W, Pou Smithifeld, is chairman, and for two tary of the Democrotic. State Commit-
"Collie made an almost house-to house campaign for his fellow towus-
man in the gubernatorlal campaign. man in the gubernatorial campaign. parsonal friends for years and thie $\because$ position as henat of the Statoss apal institution will meet with the
apal ocra:s in North Carolina.

## The killing of the followingbig hogs

 ted to us:W. A. Robbina, of Harris township five at 11 months, old welghing 1476 . ihp, three welghing $500,452,409$.
Mr. M. township, Nash county, reports kill-
ing one we!ghing 472, and seven weighing $2 ., 000$.

## weighing-301.

ve weighing $252,312,326,361$ nsh W. D. Foster, Hayesville township,
our weighing 303, 297, 297, 198.
A. A. Fuller, Hayesville town3lup. wo weighing 400, 31 months o J. R. Wheeler, Harris township.
three weighing 435, 195,165 . ship, Pour weighing 175, 280, 200, 3.50 weighing $160,240,207,354$ four weighing $312,287,215,205$.
B. G. Hart, Youngsville townst B. G. Hart, Youngsville townshltp, Wh. Wh. Hart, of Youngaville town-
Mr. WW wefghing a total of 1,120 . mg 2,093.

In Louishurg Soclety.
Mrs. W. E. Uzzell was hostess of streast, and this proved to be one of
the most interesting and delightfal meetings of the clab season. "South America" is the general theme being
used this year. Mfs. W. E. White read a paper on "Chiristmas in South en by Nrs. E. S. Ford. Mrs. Jae.
A. Turner gave a "Survey of Mission Work in South America." All of
these papers struck' a high note, as did the plano selection by Miss Nellie A. H. Fleming. Mra. M. S. Cifton, president of the club, presided over
the meeting. Most delletous refreshments in tbree courses were served. The following visitors were present
besides the club members: Misses Clapp and Frey, from the college; the three new brides, Mrs. E. H. Malono Mrs. Dr. R. F. Yarborough, and Mrs.
IIsher Beasley, Misses Mary Yarbor ough and Lulla Jarman. The spirit of Christmas was carried out in the olse. Her many Loutsburg frlenda *lll move to-Mapleville next week: W. Ce A. gave a most beautiful and highly tmpressite ctableau represent-
tag the birth of the Babe in Bethle-

ture baggage-man, arrived with hita
"express wagon" loaded with tiny sultcases, filled with mints and bon
bons.
Each guest was presented with holly-bedecked suitcase beartng on
one end the inittals, "C. M., Panama" Underneath the sprig of holly one dis. The bride-elect, who is one attractive young ladies, was attire a Parisian gown of white and r
erepe. She is a daughter of Mrs. . Egerton, and a granddaughter long and prominently connected w
the educational life of Franklin co ty. Miss Egerton is a graduate Louisburg College, and was takin
special work' at Columbla, fitting her Mr . Myrick, who is the Assistan ma Canal, is a young man of fine ohar acter and has a very promising future
before him. After the marrlage, they will leave
at once for New York, where they will
sal for Pedro, Miguer, Panama, January 3 Child Dles Saddenly The 3-months ond
Mrs. James Spencer inent planter living just out of town,
was found dead in Its crib Saturday morning when the parents awoke at healthy and strong, and when the the slightest signs of anything unus.
ual. A doctor was summoned, but though the little body was still warm
there was no ufe in it. There wers ovidences that the child had a con-
vulsion. The interment was made in Oaklawn
cemetery Sunday afternoon in the cemetery sunday afternoon fn the
presence of a large number of friends
and relatives of the family, who deepy sympathize with the bereaved par.

Miscellaneous Shower On Saturday afternoon Mr . Garland
Ricks and Mrs. Arthur H . Flening gave a miscellaneoous shower" In the home of the latter, in honor of Mssa
Margaret Hicks, whose marrlage to Mr. Cary M. Howard, of Danville, Va.
will be solemnized early in Mrs. Fleming's home was beautiful. hy decorated. The stairway in the steps covered with many hatdsome
gifts done up in packages resembling

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LOUISBURG, N. C., FRID A DFOEMBER 29, 1916.
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Serenth Division Camp is Sanitary. The camid of the Seventh provision-
al division, composed of Pennsylvania and North Carolina troops, and comof Pennsylvania, is not only one of
the best arranged army camps of it
size that was ever created organization of the Unted stace the
Stateg ar my, but it is one of the cleanest. I
is doubtfui if there was ever a cleane

afternoon at $1: 30 o^{\prime}$ clock. A rifle wa
and in his hands with its muzzle in Yound in his
his mouth.

## Leut. Edwards writes again abou the boys in camp: Camp Stewart,

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## Dean

 Underwood's sermon and the wat erence to the proposed unlon of the two great branches of MetnoatsmThe public is invited to attend.

Letter Stamping Machine
That the business of the Louisb
postoffice is increasing by leaps postoffice is increasing by leaps a
bounds is evidenced by the fact th bounds is evidenced by the fact tha
Postmaster B. H. Davis has just tn
stalled ter stamping or stamp cancellation
machines. It is a Columbia Junio and is equipped with the necessary
automatic feed and stacking arrangement. It will be a great help to the is quite an addition to the oflice.

## Mr. D. T. Fuller Vndergoes Opera- tlon.

 The many friends in Franktin County of Mr. D. T. Fuller, who on Sunday successfuly underwent an
operation at the Moriad hospital in Rtchmond, for some stomach troubte
will learn with much satisfaction that will learn with much satisfaction tha
the last reports from him say he ti resting well and doing nicely. foin his many frlends in the hope tha

Measure Increasing Salaries Passed The House of Representatives ha
passed the legislative, executivo Judiclary appropriation bill. The me asure provides for an increase of $\mathbf{3 0 0 0}$
per year for private secretary to Rep crease 5 It also provides for an 16,000 government employes receivsection providing for a stenographer for each Representative at $\mathbf{8 7 5}$ per
month tafled to pass. He Preached a Sermon o, but they certainly were plttin six cylinders when he wrote The chains of habit are too weak to
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-Remember the \%ubscription price 1.50 per year January 1 it-nenext to buy it at the old price of $\$ 1.00$.

