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Tomorrow is primary. Go out and

Don't stay away from the primary and then "cuss" out the nominees.

Its your duty to go out and vote for the person you think will make the best officers.

Japan doesn't seem so well please over the new exclusion bill. But what difference does that make.

President Coolidge in declaring the new tax bill unsatisfactory says its ',tax reduction, not tax reform." No doubt the bill will be even more popu-

Governor Morrison has appointed Hon. W. A. Hoke Chief Justice, who immediately resigned as Associate Justice to accept the higher position.
This is recognized as a wise choice and Governor Morrison is to be congratu-

Announcement has been made that Governor Morrison will call a special session of the Legislature for early in July to consider the Ship and Port project. Reports credit the Governor with saying that he will ask that the question be left to a vote of the people

BATTERY B. AN ASSET

Believing that Battery B. 117th F. A. Louisburg's Military organization is o great benefit to Franklin County, and deserves the whole hearted support of the people, the followinginforma-ticn is submitted for the public:

1. The organization of the battery consists at present of four officers namely, Thos. W. Ruffin, Captain Geo. D. Underwood, 1st Lieutenant, Edward F. Griffin, 1st Lieutenant, and William Y. Bickett, 2nd Lieutenant and sixty-six enlisted men. The organization is equipped for war strength aving property on hand valued \$75,000.00. This property consists of four 155 mm., Howitzers, the largest mobile artillery used by the U.S. Army twelve trctors and other necessary equipment, two Browning machine guns, eight automatic rifles, eighty-two pistols, 45 calibre; blankets, tents, and other equipment necessary to care for 114 men and officers. The govern-ment provides two caretakers for the battery at good salaries, and spends on the average of nine hundred dollars, (\$900) monthly in this county in payment of the men and the upkeep of this battery. I think I am stating the facts when I say that this organization has one of the biggest pay-rolls in Louisburg; and the town and county are getting the benefit of this financially as all of this money is spent at home. This is the material feature of

the battery.

2. The police protection that this bettery affords is not to be discounted lightly. While this county is a peaceful county, yet if the occasion demandsixty-six trained men armed and equipped as this battery is, would be a large factor in restoring order and putting down lawlessness. The fact that this battery is here is good in-surance against trouble. A strong police force of any kind insures good order. The U. S. government is paying for this protection; you at least

owe it your good will. The greatest benefit and service that the organization renders however, isnot financial or protective in its nature. In my opinion the greatest need of our country today is young men trained in the ideals of American citizenship, young men taught the proper attitude toward citizenship, its duties and obligations ,young men who have learned self respect and respect for the rights of the people, who a the proper time can step forward and take the leader ship in all progressive movements, political, moral and patri otic. Unselfish leader ship is the su preme need of our country, and more today than ever in its history. It is the purpose and hope of the officers of this organization to instill in the young men enlisted in this battery these characteristics. We are not training men as soldiers to make military machines out of them; we hope to make not only soldiers but real lead-ers in ever respect. The military training teaches these men to think and ac ing teaches these men to think and act quickly; the result is confidence in their own ability and self-reliance; it teaches them obedience, discipline, and respect, without which no man can succeed; It makes them take a personal pride in their appearance; it instructs them in the laws of health and sanitation, and finally it makes and santation, and finally it makes of them men trained and fitted to solve the problems of life in a manly way. A good soldier is a good citizen. If you thint this organization will help your boy, it will be our pleasure to enlist him.

Respectfully submitted,

THOS. W. RUFFIN, Captain,
Comdg. Battery B. 117th F. A., N. C.

Here Comes the Bride



Planning the Disbursement of The Federal Soldier Bonus



Colonel C. A. Penington, Chief of the Insurance Division, and General Frank Hines, Director of the Veterans Bureau, Washington, going over the plans for the disbursement of the soldier insurance bonus.

International-Olympic Rifle



Wide World Photos Sergeant Morris Fisher, United States Marine Corps, present International and Olympic champion, and W. R. Stokes, former International Champion, were among the "sharpshooters" sailing from New York on the President Harding to represent the U.S. in the Olympics.

EUROPE WILL BUY
MORE COOP WEED

Association Tobacco Grewers Gain New Markets By European Ex-

(S. D. Frissell.)

Enlarged markets for the tobacco of the 260,000 American planters of the Carolinas, Virginia and Kentucky who are united in cooperative marketing associations will unquestionably result from the work of their com-mission which is now in Europe for the purpose of shortening the bridge between the organized American producers and the millions of European onsumers of tobaccos from this country, according to Olliver J. Sands, ex-ecutive manager of the Tobacco Grow-ers Cooperative Association, who has just arrived from overseas and is the first member of the commission from the tobacco farmers of America to return from Europe.

According to Mr. Sands, the coopera-According to Mr. Sands, the cooperative associations will undoubtedly intive associations will undoubtedly intrease their deliveries of tobacco to
Great Britain as a result of the visit
of the commission to trade centers of
England, Scotland and Ireland. The
Operative Association at Richmond.

officials of the Imperial Tobacco Company of Great Britain received the commission from the cooperative ascommission from the cooperative as-sociations with every courtsey and consideration on May 15 at Bristol, England, another meeting of the Im-perial officers and the officials of the tri-state association of Virginia and the Carolinas and those of the Kentucky Burley and Kentucky Dark As-sociations will be held following the arrival in England of Judge Robert Bingham of Kentucky, founder of the Burley Association.

The French Minister of Finance and the Minister of Commerce who direct the affairs of the French government monopoly in tobacco gave the commission a most encouraging reception which resulted in assurance of cooperation and continued purchases of the tobaceos produced by the associated growers.

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June 16 from all association ware-houses in Eastern North Carolina. The tri-state association has just impleted delivery of approximately Each member of the association in the wenty million pounds of its redried Eastern Belt who delivered his 1923 sccos to three of the largest manufacturers of the world trade, the coperative's leaf manager who says that everal other large sales will probably several other large sales will probably be made within the next few weeks. Checks which total more than a million dollars are almost ready for distribution to the members of the Tobacco Grewers Cooperative Association in Eastern North Carolina, and will bring the receipts of the associated farmers in the Eastern Belt to seventy five per cent of the bankers' valuation upon deliveries of the 1923 crop. This payment will be made to association members not later than

crop to the association will receive a half of the total amount of cash which he was paid for all deliveries during

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