

**TAP**



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## Y. M. C. A. MONEY IS NOW DUE

If the Money is Forth Coming the Building Will Soon be Completed

The directors of the Y. M. C. A. held a meeting last Wednesday night for the purpose of perfecting plans to complete the Y. M. C. A. building. The directors were very enthusiastic over the prospects of the early completion of the building and they are greatly pleased at the progress that has been made in the construction work.

The work of lathing the building has been completed and the plasterers will begin in a few days to plaster the building.

The work will be steadily pushed, until the building is completed and ready for occupancy.

The last quarters assessment of the pledges are now due and the collectors will take the field in the next

few days to collect the money. The directors are anxious that the collectors shall be given a hearty response in collecting this money. The success of the collectors will greatly expedite the work of completing the building.

If the money is collected promptly the work will be hastened and the building will be completed sooner. The slow progress in the work in the past, has been due to the want of the fund necessary to pay for the work as it was done.

The directors have been wise in the plan to work on the building only as they had the money to pay for it, and the people now will gladly cooperate with the directors in hastening its completion.

## DID HE COME HERE?

The man with knowledge, wonderful great? Who knows just how to run church or state? Who is master of all the laws of fate? Did the people let him legislate? The man so wise, so great, so great? Who sneers at Christ's birth immaculate? The rest are fools but he can prate; of God's eternal laws to date, But did they let him legislate? When he came here?

## THE FAIR IS GOING TO BE A "HUMMER"

Nothing Like it Ever Seen In Elizabeth City Before

The plans for the agricultural fair to be held here this fall are being pushed along with good success and the indications now are that all things will be in readiness long before the time arrives for the fair to open.

There will be no half prepared plans this year that will have to be completed after the fair begins, to annoy and delay the workings of the management.

We say that the plans are being perfected and everything will be in readiness when the great crowd gathers here to witness one of the greatest agricultural fairs that ever assembled in North Eastern North Carolina; and this statement is true for everything is being planned on a scale this year in keeping with the dignity of a fair. You rest assured that this is not going to be any one-hoss affair. It is going to be the biggest fair that has ever been held in Elizabeth City.

The agricultural exhibits are going to be the most elaborate that have ever been in any fair here. This elaborate display of agricultural products will advertise this part of North Carolina as it has never been advertised before. It is going to be a revelation of the possibilities of our soil and climate. Come to the fair just to see that your neighbor has raised. Come to the fair and bring an exhibit just to show your neighbor what you have raised. Some of the biggest potatoes, the longest ears of corn, the highest corn stalks, the finest oats, finest cotton etc. are going to be here. The man who raised it will be here too. Come and learn of him how he raised it. Take advantage of the educational value of the agricultural fair and be a better farmer. The agricultural implements will be on exhibition. This

will be a special feature of the fair and it will be one of the most valuable to the farmers. Here you will see all the different make of agricultural implements with out having to spend several days and visit several cities to examine them. Here you will be able to learn of the value of these farm implements at the expense of your neighbor and get the best without having to pay for your experience. Come to the fair. It will be worth your while and at the same time it will give you a trip that you need so much and deserve so much. Take the whole family and come to the fair this fall.

There will be something here to interest the farmers wife and make her a more capable housewife. There will be elaborate exhibits of the products of the kitchen. Canned goods etc. Here you will get the other ladies ideas of canning, pickling, preserving and a lot of other things. Be sure to persuade your husband to come to the fair and be sure to come with him.

The exhibit of the live stock and poultry will be a revelation to the average farmer. Such stock as you have hardly ever seen will be here. Come and behold the elegant stock and poultry and learn of your neighbor how he has such then go home and emulate him. This fair ought to be worth a thousand dollars to every farmer in this district; and it will be, if they will come here and earn. The social features of the fair will be great this year. There will be something doing on the fair ground every minute of the day and a good part of the night.

Come to the fair and enjoy yourself. You deserve the vacation and you ought to take it. Take it and bring the whole family. It will not cost much.

## MOST SUCCESSFUL SEASON AT NAGS HEAD

The season closes at Nags Head next Sunday and the last of the guests will return to this city on the steamer Virginia.

This season has been very successful from every view point. Large crowds have been in attendance during the summer and at times, the crowd has been so great that there was no accommodation for them. Every cottage has been occupied the hotel has been thronged during the entire summer. At times there have been as many as a thousand visitors on Nags Head and at all time the crowd has been larger than it has been in years.

This season has been an unusually gay one for social life. Various kinds of amusement have been de-

vised for entertainment of the guest and all have greatly enjoyed the season.

Very likely extensive preparations will be made before another season that the guest another year may be entertained in a more befitting manner.

The success of this season demonstrates the practicability of building a big hotel on Nags Head. It is further demonstrated that this Hotel would prove a paying investment. At the same time this hotel with its increased facilities for accommodating the people would make the resort attractive and would help very materially to make Nags Head the greatest resort on the Atlantic coast

## TWO ACCIDENTS IN ONE DAY DEATH OF MRS. SAVAGE

Edenton, N. C. Sept. 14.—Monday morning while at work tearing down the Norfolk Southern old machine shop on the west side of Edenton, Mr. John Oliver fell from the top a distance of fifty feet fracturing his skull and breaking his arm, also receiving many other bruises.

Monday afternoon about 5 o'clock while at work repairing a lathe machine Capt. Richard N. Hines had the misfortune to get his hand caught in the machinery, crushing three fingers entirely off and mashing his hand very badly. Drs. Warren, Parker and Dillard attended the wound and Mr. Hines is doing nicely.

Suffolk, Va. Sept. 12.—Mrs. Alice Savage of Corapeake, N. C. died last Monday at 7:45 o'clock. She leaves one daughter, Mrs. Willie Kittrell, and four sons, C. C. Savage and J. T. Savage of Gates county, N. C. Tucker Savage of Tampa, Fla. and Mills Savage of Florida.

Funeral services were conducted at the residence Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock by Rev. B. F. Robinson.

Mrs. H. D. Walker left Monday morning for a trip to Creswell where she will spend some time the guest of Dr. Walker's parents.

## CHAMP CLARK TO RIDE MULE A REMARKABLE RECORD

Champ Clark of Missouri, the Democratic leader of the House of Representatives, is accredited by the press of the country as having made the following statement.

If I am elected Speaker of the next House of Representatives I will drive a team of Missouri mules down Pennsylvania avenue.

The following remarkable sketch is of Mr. John Pugh an esteemed citizen of Camden County. Very few men lived to have such a record. He is a plain farmer and works now like a young man of twenty-five years though he is 78 years old. He has been married to his present wife 59 years. They have ten children living, 53 grandchildren and 26 great grand children. He has been a member of the Baptist church for 40 yrs. He has never had a law suit in his life.

The foregoing is the promise of Congressman Champ Clark made to a crowd of visitors at the home coming celebration here. The promise pleased the crowd and for several minutes the speaker was unable to proceed with his speech on account of the cheering and yelling.

Missouri has taken a back seat too long, he said. Missouri has never had a President, a Vice President, a Justice of the Supreme Court or a Speaker of the House. It is time we had all these officers and I'm going to see to it that we get one of them right away.

He has been especially noted for his correct living he is held in high esteem in his community.

He is of robust health and has the appearance of not being over 60 years old.

Of his family some of the best citizens of this section have sprung. They are excellent citizens are honored where ever they live.

This sketch is furnished us by a man who has known him for fifty years.

## HAND-BOOK IS OUT

The North Carolina Democratic Hand book for 1910 has been printed and it now ready for distribution. It is one of the best prepared and most complete hand books ever issued in the state, dealing with the issues of the campaign in a clean and clearcut manner. The principles of democracy are set out in such a manner that every voter in the state can readily form an opinion which party is the one that is devoted to the best interests of the state as a whole.

The book contains over 200 pages but is in such style that the reading is interesting.

The age of blindly following the leader is past and the era of education and intelligent voting is at hand. The citizens want to know all about the issues that are being fought out and he studies the politics that we are advocated and makes up in mind accordingly.

In order that all may know just what the party has done and proposes to do the executive committee has issued the hand book. At the top of the front cover is the following:

Privilege must be arrested at Washington.

Butlerism must be averted at Raleigh.

The first few pages are taken up with a brief introduction by Chairman Eller which is followed by the platform adopted at Charlotte. Chairman Ellers and Senator Overmans speeches at the state conven-

tion occupy the next pages, after which there is a comparison of democratic and republican rule in the state in which every department of the state is discussed. Many issues involved in the national campaign are thoroughly discussed showing just what the position and record of each party is on these important matters.

This hand book should be in the hands of every voter in the state in order that he may inform himself how to vote. These books are ready for distribution and any one desiring a copy should write to Chairman A. H. Eller, Raleigh, N. C.

## THAT IS NOT MUCH PROOF

There is precious little to boast about in having been permitted to run for an office in the first primary held in this county about a week ago. We fail to see where such a privilege is "prima facie" evidence that candidate is a good democrat. The primary held on the 8th instant was an open one; and it was pretty open too. It was just so opened that every last Radical that wanted to vote, could have done so. It is said that about 150 Radicals participated in that primary and the Radical leaders are all laughing at the ridiculous position that the Democrats have placed themselves in. No sir, the fact that a person ran as a candidate in that primary is not much evidence that he is a democrat. The wonder is that more Radicals did not run for nominations.

## CLIMBED TREE TO SEE THE CARNIVAL

Williams the young son of Mr. and Mrs. William Horton of this city met with the misfortune of falling out of a tree and breaking his arm last Monday evening. Young Horton in company with a number of other boys went out in the country to see the carnival come in. He, Zachus like, climbed a tree to get a better view. The limb broke and he was thrown to the ground.

Dr. Zenas Fearing set the limb and the little fellow is getting along very nicely.

### To Paint Scenes.

Benton and Goodfellow have gone to Newport News to do the scenic painting for a moving picture theatre which Mr. J. C. Boss of this city has purchased there.

## RED MEN ELECT NATIONAL OFFICERS

Toledo, O., Sept. 15.—Joseph Ferrer of Pennsylvania was today chosen great prophet for the ensuing term by the Great Sun Council of the Improved Order of Red Men who are assembled here for the 63rd annual session. Other officers elected were: George B. Grigs, of Texas, great inchoome; Carl Foster of Connecticut, great senior sagamore; Wilson Brooks of Illinois great chief of records and William Trovin of Massachusetts great keeper of wampum. The reports of the officers were read this afternoon.

Don't allow the inferior and unsalable apples to go to waste. There is always a demand for good vinegar and it will pay to work up the early wind falls as well as the poorer part of the later crop.

## SENTENCE OF AGED MAN COMMUTED

Sheriff Reid has been notified by Governor Kitchin that he has commuted the sentence of Grif Jennings an aged white man of this county from two years in the state penitentiary to six months in the county jail.

Jennings has been an inmate of the county home for several years when last spring he became involved in a row with another aged inmate named Ellis, Jennings struck Ellis with a stick inflicting injuries from which he died.

Jennings was tried upon the charge of murder and was convicted and was sentenced to the penitentiary for two years.

Recently a petition was circulated asking the governor to pardon the commutation is the result of the petition.

The following are governor Kitchin's reasons for granting the commutation.

Prisoner is 76 years old; feeble and pitiable. In a fight with another man who like himself was an inmate of the county home and of bad temper, one struck the other with a stick, from which blow death resulted.

Many of the best citizens of the county of the crime ask for his pardon including county officials, law-

years, school superintendents, merchants and others. Other distinguished attorneys who practice there and also the trial judge and solicitor recommend pardon. There is no protest. Believing that he should suffer some punishment, I commute his sentence to six months in the common jail of Pasquotank county.

## DEMOCRATS SWEEP STATE OF MAINE

The report sent out from Augusta Maine is as follows.

This was the jubilant message flashed to all sections of the country today from the party headquarters here. Returns from outlying districts as they filtered in today indicated that the democratic sweep was even greater in the state than last nights returns indicated and that the 9,000 majority claimed for Plasted would be exceeded. These later figures gave promise that four democratic congressmen were elected and that both houses of the legislature will be democratic. This would mean the election of a democrat to the United States senate to succeed Senator Hale.

The first democratic landslide in 30 years has caused the greatest political uproar throughout the state since the civil war.

The result of this election is believed to be prophetic of the results through out the country this year. The Democrats are jubilant and the Republicans are correspondingly gloomy. From this and other indications the Democrats have the best chance of success this year that they have had in many years.