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During the last year 3,553 persons were killed and 45,997 were injured in railroad accidents in this country.

The first consulate of the new republic of Panama has been established in New York City, at No. 18 Broadway.

A French Professor has discovered that exercise is the best way of recovering from the effects of alcohol stimulants.

The Sanctificationists, who have a large following in Asheville, have undertaken a crusade against houses of ill fame.

Never mind about that alleged poor stomach of Rockefeller's. All the same he is trying to swallow all the combines and about two-thirds of the railroads.

The president's niece is reported to be about to wed Count Fabricotti, an Italian nobleman. From the same his claim to the title sounds like a fabrication.

It is not so strange that George Vanderbilt has been made the victim of large grafting operations by his employees; the wonder is that he was able to catch the grafters.

An English statesman once declared that the nation which controlled the Pacific ocean would control the world. Calling attention to this, the Russian press says that nation is now America.

General V. D. Groner, the man who carried the message to General Beauregard from the Confederate War Department, ordering the attack upon Fort Sumpter, died in Norfolk, Wednesday of last week.

GROVER CLEVELAND has written a letter to the editor of the Brooklyn Eagle in which he states emphatically that he will never again become the nominee of his party for the presidency.

The old-fashioned husking-bee will soon be a thing of the past. An Indiana man has invented a machine, pulled by three horses, which goes through the field taking the sheaves of the corn while it crushes the stalk and drops it into a receptacle in the rear. Modern progress takes the poetry out of things, but it greatly facilitates agriculture.

THREE hundred tobacco growers, representing eleven counties in Virginia and North Carolina, met at Danville and formed what will be known as the Tobacco Growers' Protective Association of Virginia and North Carolina. The object of the organization is to decrease future tobacco acreage, keep the present crop off the market for better prices, and induce the farmers to grow diversified crops.

THERE is an ancient saying that "Old Virginia severtie." It seems that she did tire one time. On Thanksgiving day North Carolina walked away with all the honors in the Capital City of the old Dominion. As though the defeat that the Tar Heel pig skin artists administered to the University of Virginia eleven were not enough, a brace of debaters from Wake Forest walked away with the honors in a contest with Richmond College representatives in the auditorium of their own institution that same night.

WELDON children who cry for "more pie," would have been pleased with a recent triumph of the culinary art in the shape of a pie, served to the guests of a baking company at its annual ball in Brooklyn. This pie weighed 110 pounds, was seven feet long, egg-shaped, three feet wide and two deep. It was not all alike, but was made in sections of plum, peach, coconut, lemon and other fruits. Two hundred eggs went into this pie, and it took six men fifteen hours to make it, each having charge of a section, and a half-ton of coal was consumed in the baking. Hundreds of guests ate their fill of this sumptuous pie, and still there was plenty left.

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CONFERENCE APPOINTMENTS.

BISHOP CADDLER READS THE LIST—A GENERAL SHAKE UP—REV. J. D. BUNDY A PRESIDING ELDER—G. F. SMITH COMES HERE IN PLACE OF DR. WILLIS—NEXT CONFERENCE GOES TO HENDERSON.

Bishop Caddler read the appointments of preachers Monday and Conference adjourned. There was a general shake up and many changes were made.

The following is a full list of the appointments:

RALEIGH DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, W. B. Moore. Raleigh, Education Street, R. F. Bumpass. Raleigh Central, F. A. Bishop. Raleigh, Franklin Y. L. Seabolt. Raleigh, Epworth, J. M. Culbreth. Cary, G. B. Starling. Clayton, G. W. Fisher. Smithfield, N. E. Coltrane. Selma, J. A. Guthrie. Keady, R. H. Whitaker. Wakefield, F. F. Eare. Millbrook, G. R. Hood. Youngsville, G. T. Stimmans. Franklin, J. H. Shaw. Louisburg, L. S. Masey. Tar River, A. L. Ormond. Granville, J. D. Pogram. Oxford Station, F. M. Shamburger. Oxford Circuit, W. H. Puckett. Editor Raleigh Christian Advocate T. N. Ivey. Superintendent Methodist Orphanage, J. W. Jenkins.

DURHAM DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, J. T. Gibbs. Durham, Trinity, R. C. Beaman. Durham, Main Street, W. L. Cunningham. Durham, Carr Church and Branson, F. B. McCall. Maxum Street, E. M. Hoyle. West Durham and Cunningham, C. P. Jerome.

Durham Circuit, J. B. Thompson. Chapel Hill, M. T. Peyer. Hillsboro, N. C. Yearby. Mount Tabor Circuit, M. D. Giles. Leasburg, Rufus Bradley. Roxboro, R. D. Holmes. Milton, J. A. Dancy. Yanceyville, J. H. McCracken. Burlington, D. N. Caviness. Burlington Circuit, S. F. Hicks. East Burlington, C. M. Lance. Alamance, M. M. McFarland. President Trinity College, J. C. Kilgo. Lecturer Trinity College, E. A. Yates. Headmaster Trinity Park High School, J. P. Rivington.

FAYETTEVILLE DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, J. B. Hurley. Fayetteville, Hay Street, T. A. Smoot. Fayetteville Street, C. A. Jones. Hope Mills, E. R. Welch. Colchester, L. H. Joyner. Sampson, B. B. Holder. Bechtow, G. W. Starling. Dunn, E. M. Snipes. Dukes, W. A. Forbes. Newton Grove, A. Britton. Pittsboro, J. H. Frizzell. Haw River, R. W. Bailey. Goldston, J. C. Humble. Siler City, J. Sanford. Carthage, E. H. Brown. Elise, J. W. Hoyle. Sanford, S. T. Moyle. Jonesboro, E. Pope. Lillington, A. D. Betts.

ROCKINGHAM DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, J. N. Cole. Rockingham, J. H. Hall. Roberdel, Z. T. Harrison. Richmond Circuit, C. O. Durant. Mount Gilboa, M. D. Hix. Pekin, W. F. St. John. Montgomer, H. G. Stamey. Aberdeen, G. A. Oglesby. Hamlet, to be supplied by W. T. Uary. St. John and Gillett, G. R. Perry. Laurinburg, S. A. Willis. Maxton and Caledonia, N. H. D. Wilson. Red Springs, S. E. Mercer. Rowland, J. W. Bradley. Lumberton, Z. Paris. Robeson, J. M. Ashley, R. W. Townsend Superintendent.

WILMINGTON DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, R. B. John. Wilmington, Grace Church, S. M. Watson. Wilmington, Fifth Street, A. McCullen. Wilmington, Bladen Street, G. R. Webster. Wilmington, Market Street, A. R. Hatton. Delago and Wrightsville, to be supplied, Scotts Hill, V. E. Wright. Onslow, W. A. Jenkins. Jacksonville, A. L. Royall. Magnolia, J. W. Martin. Kernanville, W. D. Sasser. Burgaw, C. C. Brothers. Clinton, A. S. Barnes. Bladen, A. J. Groves. Elizabeth, W. E. Brown. Whiteville, J. T. Draper, C. W. Smith, Superintendent.

Carvers Creek, J. J. Porter. Waccamaw, T. J. Browning. Shalotte, N. H. Gorton. Town Creek, W. R. Royall. Southport, E. McWhorter. New River, to be supplied. **NEW BERN DISTRICT**—Presiding Elder, J. D. Swindell.

New Bern, Centenary, G. T. Adams. Goldsboro, St. Paul, M. Braxshaw. Goldsboro, St. John, H. B. Anderson. Goldsboro Circuit, H. E. Tripp. Mount Olive, F. E. Dixon. Mount Olive and Patsou, J. N. Potter. LaGrange, J. E. Saunders. Snow Hill, E. C. Sell. Hookerton, J. P. Fate. Kinston, E. H. Davis. Dover Circuit, to be supplied. Grifton, Philip Greening. Craven, W. H. Townsend. Jones, D. C. Gedding. Pamlico, L. S. Eberidge. Oriental, to be supplied by F. S. Beckton. Carteret, J. H. M. Giles. Morehead City, R. H. Willis. Beaufort, H. M. Eare. Atlantic, to be supplied by T. W. Mansfield.

Straits, to be supplied by E. K. Creel. **WASHINGTON DISTRICT**—Presiding Elder, J. D. Bundy. Washington, L. E. Thompson. Bath Circuit, D. A. Pettrell. Ansons, J. M. Lowder. Swan Quarter, W. Y. Everton. Mattamuskeet, B. H. Black. Fairfield, T. P. Bonner. Greenville, J. A. Horvady. Farmville, L. E. Sawyer. Grimesland and Vanceboro, to be supplied by R. F. Stantield. Bertou, W. H. Kirtou. Tarboro, R. C. Craven. Robersonville, L. L. Rumley. South Edgecombe, J. H. Buffalo. Rocky Mount, W. S. Kane. South Rocky Mount, and Marvin, R. E. Hunt. Nashville, J. M. Benson. Spring Hope, A. Watkins. Wilson, A. P. Tyler. Fremont Circuit, D. L. Earahardt. Wilson Circuit, to be supplied by T. H. Bain.

Oenoake, R. N. Grant. **WARRENTON DISTRICT**—Presiding Elder, G. F. Smith. Warrenton, C. D. Robinson. Warren, R. C. Allred. Ridgeway, L. M. Chaffin. Henderson, L. L. Nash and one to be supplied. Littleton, H. A. Humble, W. E. Nicholson. Weldon, W. W. Rose. Roanoke Rapids and Rosemary, G. D. Langston. Roanoke, to be supplied by W. B. Humble. Effield and Halifax, R. A. Cotton. Battleboro and Whitakers, R. F. Taylor. Scotland Neck, J. E. Holden. Hobcock, D. B. Parks. Williamston and Hamilton, T. H. Hatton. Garysburg, J. G. Johnson.

Northampton, E. E. Ross. Rich Square, J. T. Stantield. Coonay, W. C. Merritt. Matthews, P. D. Woodall. Harrellville, B. C. Thompson. Bertou, R. E. Davis. President Littleton Female College, J. M. Rhodes. ELIZABETH CITY DISTRICT—Presiding Elder, J. E. Underwood. Elizabeth City, First Church, D. H. Tuttle, Elizabeth City, City Road, H. M. North. Pasquotank, W. F. Jones. Camden, W. E. Hocutt. Moyock, J. Y. Old. Currituck, W. A. Pland. North Gates, W. H. Brown. Gates, T. J. Dairy. Perquimans, F. L. Church. Hertford, M. E. Tuttle. Edenton, C. L. Reed. Plymouth, to be supplied by L. B. Jones. Roper, S. F. Craven. Patuxent and Belhaven, H. M. Jackson. Dare, Wm. Tove. Roanoke Island, A. J. Parker, C. R. Taylor Superintendent. Kitty Hawk, W. O. Davis. Elizabeth City, to be supplied by A. W. Price. Hatteras, to be supplied by N. J. Galoway. Columbia, N. T. Constable. Missionary to Cuba, R. C. Porter. Secretary Correspondence School, J. T. Cunningham. Transferred to Western North Carolina conference, E. W. Fox.

STATE HAPPENINGS. AS GATHERED FROM OUR STATE EXCHANGES. The Key Furniture Co., of Staraville, has filed a petition in bankruptcy. Liabilities, \$65,000. Prof. C. S. Fortson, an alumnus of Wake Forest College, has been elected dean of Stetson University, D. Land, Fla. Henry Horton, a colored man 60 years old, was cut to death near Yanceyville, by Major Spivy, over a game of cards. The Raleigh News and Observer says more than \$50,000 has already been expended on the Methodist Orphanage in that city. A new daily paper is to be started in Elizabeth City, Democratic in politics and having as its mission the booming of Eastern Carolina. The labor organizations of Wilmington with a membership of 2,000 voters, have invited R. B. Green to speak to them December 5. According to the Monroe Equivior Dr. H. M. Brooks, of Union county, has been arrested for unlawfully giving a prescription for liquor. The Polk county almshouse was destroyed by fire Thursday night. There were only six inmates of the home, and all save one perished in the flames. The potato crop is said to be the largest on record. Several farmers tell the Journal of making from 200 to 300 bushels per acre.—Duplin Journal. A furniture manufacturer of High Point refused to fill a large order when he learned that a pool room was to be run in connection with the cigar store. It is rumored that Hon. Chas. D. McIver is to resign from the presidency of the State Normal College at Greensboro to accept the position of agent for the Peabody fund. The corporation commission orders the Southern Railroad Company to pay \$5 00 per day for retaining its order to place cars for the Greensboro Ice and Coal Company upon its side-track. The reports on the Baptist work in North Carolina for the year shows \$17,000 raised for foreign missions, \$8,000 for home missions, nearly \$22,000 for state missions. The increase in membership is 10,000. Several white men and as many negroes engaged in a fight on the streets of Greensboro, Tuesday night, with knives and the result was two of each party were cut, one of the white men probably fatally. It is more than probable that Capt. S. B. Alexander will go before the next Democratic State convention as a candidate for the nomination for the vacancy on the North Carolina corporation commission. Judge E. B. Jones, of the Superior Court, has decided that Madison county must issue \$70,000 worth of bonds with which to pay its indebtedness. The county will appeal from the decision of Judge Jones. TEN THOUSAND CHURCHES In the United States have used the Longman & Martinez Pure Paints. Every Church will be given a liberal quantity whenever they paint. Don't pay \$1 50 a gallon for Linseed oil (worth 60 cents) which you do when you buy this paint in a can with a paint label on it. 3 & 6 make 14, therefore when you want fourteen gallons of paint, buy only eight gallons of L. & M., and mix six gallons of pure linseed oil with it. You need only four gallons of L. & M. Paint, and three gallons of Oil mixed together to paint a good sized house. Houses painted with these paints never grow shabby, even after 18 years. These celebrated paints are sold by A. R. Zeller, Weldon, N. C.

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