

**Raising the Family-** He didn't stop to think how it would sound!



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In an Ohio paper is the announcement, "Suits up to \$100 for \$38." They must be lawsuits.

NEW YORK hotels have announced a reduction in the cost of bridal suites, (pronounced sweets.)

SIXTY-ONE head of Jersey cattle sold at the Louisiana State Fair for a total of \$43,185 or an average of \$708 a head.

A Missouri man runs his moving picture machine with a Ford. It ought to work on the O. Henry pictures, at least.

A thief stepped into a store in Kansas City and walked out with an adding machine worth \$250. He probably is getting ready to install a cost system.

MERELY being president is not the only advantage Mr. Harding has over the rest of us. He can now tell his fish story and get away with it.

THE Columbia, State says: The storm will soon spend its fury and the people of the country will again be able to see the erect and immortal figure of Woodrow Wilson with the stormwrack swept away and in the calm light of reason and appreciation in which his image and memory will remain.

BALTIMORE building trades members to the number of 12,000 by vote declined to accept an increase in wages of from 90 cents to \$1 an hour, an advance provided for in the scale formulated a year ago. In situations such as confront the building industry at this time a little sense is sometimes more valuable than much dollars.

CONGRESSMEN say there is no prospect of a reduction in Federal taxation for the next two years. A few clerks can be laid off here and there but the saving in this way will only be a drop in the bucket. The only appreciable cut that could be made would be in appropriations for the army and navy. But as the voters in the last election didn't accept the League of Nations idea, the only practical one looking to a reduction in armament, immediate relief from cutting down military expenses does not seem to be in sight. The people, having made their beds, will have to lie on them. Only those can complain who pointed out a better way and were over-ruled.

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**IN THE COUNTY HOME.**

The Ladies of Roanoke Rapids and Weldon Clubs Appear Before the County Commissioners.

Realizing the urgent need for a more comfortable home for the aged and infirm wards of the county, a goodly number of the "new citizens" from several townships made a visit to the Board of Commissioners in session at Halifax on Monday, December 5.

The delegation was most courteously received and given an interested and sympathetic hearing. Mrs. Wyche, of Roanoke Rapids, presented the petition which was published in the Roanoke Rapids Herald of Dec. 3rd, which a large number of citizens had embraced the opportunity, thereby anxiating to their hearty approval of the movement. Mrs. J. A. Johnston, President of the Woman's Club, presenting the following petition:

To the Honorable Board of County Commissioners. We, the representatives of the following organizations, of Weldon, The Woman's Club, The Book Club, The Thursday Afternoon Club, The Junius Daniel Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, The Christian Temperance Union and Church Societies do respectfully request that immediate steps be taken to better the conditions of the County Home, which, in its present state, is a reproach to the County. We further request that a matron be employed, whose duty it shall be to see that the buildings are kept in a sanitary condition, and wholesome and nourishing food and comfortable clothing provided for the inmates.

We urge that a suitable location be secured on which at the earliest possible date a modern home be erected, which shall be adequately equipped and efficiently managed. We recommend that a Visiting Committee, consisting of three women, be appointed by the County Commissioners; these, with the County Commissioners, to constitute a Board of Supervisors for said Home.

Respectfully submitted. To this was affixed the signatures of representatives from each of the above-mentioned organizations. Mr. George C. Green, county attorney, in behalf of the Board, stated that they fully realized the need and for two years had been considering the establishing of a new home, but had been unable to secure suitable location.

In response to the petitions presented by the Weldon delegates a Board of Visitors, consisting of the following ladies to serve for a term of two years was appointed: Mrs. J. M. Jackson, of Roanoke Rapids; Mrs. J. A. Johnston, of Weldon; and Mrs. S. M. Gary, of Halifax. This committee was also instructed to find a suitable location for the home, and report to the Board on the first Monday in January. It is hoped that at an early date we may have a building which will not only be a credit to the county, but by its accessibility may afford an opportunity for those so desiring to bring cheer and comfort into the lives of the inmates.



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**HALIFAX SUPERIOR COURT.**

List of Criminal Cases Disposed Of Last Week.

The following is a list of cases disposed of at the November term Halifax Superior Court:

- Russell Peebles, c. c. w. \$50 fine and costs.
- Henry Clark and J. M. Hawkins, affray. \$25 and costs.
- Guy Stephenson, c. c. w. 30 days on county roads.
- Ransom Whitaker, a. and b. \$25 and costs.
- Willie Smith, c. c. w. \$50 and costs.
- Garfield Boone, et al, gambling. Judgment suspended on payment of costs.
- Bennie Vincent, a. and b. Judgment suspended on payment of costs.
- Geo. Gibson, a. and b. Judgment suspended on payment of costs.
- O'Hara Station, house breaking, l. and r. 8 years in State prison.
- Tom James, liquor. Judgment suspended on payment of costs.
- Charles S. Smith, liquor, 2 years on county roads.
- Hankins Hicks, a. and b. Judgment suspended on the payment of costs.
- Joe Solomon, a. and b. \$10.00 fine and costs.
- Wm. Flythe, c. c. w. 8 months on roads.
- Isaac Mitchell, c. c. w. 30 days on county roads.
- S. J. Hudgins, a. and b. \$10 fine and costs.
- Percy High and Geo. Powell, affray. Judgment suspended on payment of costs.
- Harry Newson, resisting officer. Judgment suspended.
- Bert Sherrod, a. and b. Judgment suspended.
- Jas. S. Wilson, forgery. 12 months on roads.
- Henry Boyd, assault. Judgment suspended.
- D. L. Vick, house breaking. Judgment suspended on payment of costs.
- S. D. Forester, c. c. w. \$50 fine and costs.
- Eddie Crawford, gambling Judgment suspended on payment of costs.

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HIGHER EDUCATION.

The State of North Carolina has one gigantic task before it in the immediate future. If it is to retain its title as one of the great, progressive states of the union it must at once set itself to the task of building an adequate system of higher education. Higher education has broken down in North Carolina. There never was a time when trained leadership was so much in demand; there never was a time when young men and young women were so eager to secure training; and there never was a time when the educational institutions of North Carolina were so helpless in meeting this need. The colleges of the State are overcrowded. At least two thousand five hundred North Carolina young men and young women were refused admission in our university and colleges this autumn. No State could be proud of this fact. Of course the State should be proud to know that its sons and daughters are seeking education, but it must be a matter of shame to know that such education cannot be provided by the State.

The challenge seems clear. North Carolina has wealth. This State is as capable of furnishing education to its people as any State in the Union. The people want that education. The only question which now remains is this: Do the citizens of North Carolina possess the sentiment and the will to translate wealth into terms of everlasting values?—N. C. Community Progress.

State of North Carolina, )  
County of Halifax, ) ss:  
I, Fletcher H. Gregory, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.  
FLETCHER H. GREGORY, Cashier.  
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	56		30

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## Weldon M. E. Church

Invites you to worship with the congregation at these hours, Sunday, Dec 12:

SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45

Morning at 11. Evening at 7:30.

Prayer Meeting Wednesday 7:30 o'clock  
Workers' Council following Prayer Service  
Musical Program for Sunday Evening Service.

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