Senate Committee Favorably Reports Smith Bill To Regulate Selling of Staple

Proposed Measure Provides Standardization of Upland and Gulf Cotton Separately, To be mulpled by Scalers in Offers For Future Deliveries. Penalties For Violations

(By the Assectated Press.) Washington, D. C., Feb. 27 .- The enate committee on agriculture and forestry today submitted a favorable report on the bill introduced last epring by Senator Smith, of South Carolina, to regulate the selling of cotton. The bill, designed to reform and New Orleans cotton exchanges, would require any person of torporution, in the making of an of-ter for future delivery of cotton, to specify the grade or grades contracted for in each contract, such grades to be in accordance with United States government standardization.

The Secretary of Agriculture would he required to standardize the grades of "upland" and "gulf" cotton sepa-falely, "gulf" cotton not to-include anything below the grade of "good ordinary" or above "middling fair." The bill further would require that, in dealing with long staple cotton, the length of the staple shall be designated in all contracts and deliverie nust, be made according to contract Any dealings in violation of this mustem would be punishable by a fine not to exceed \$5,000 or imprisonmen for not more than a year, or both The bill also would deny the use of the mails, telegraph telephone, express or other methods of interstate communication for transmission of information regarding any cotton fundamental control of the ture sale not in accordance with the proposed regulations. Violation of this provision would be punishable by a fine of from \$500 to \$1,000 for each In the report on the bill the com-

No great losses would be sustained by the producers of cotton if the cotton exchanges were to be andeed in their deliveries to the government standards and the prices of the dif-ferent grades made to conform to the eninning values of the different grades, as determined by the official tests above referred to. In this bill

are limited to the specific it is the opinion of the committee that the passage of this bill will ultigovernment standardisation and owledge that the fictitious difterences as they have heretofore fixed them between the several grades are anwarranted and unreal."

#### CARNIVALS TABOOED

Greenshoro Refuses License For Out

tireensboro, Feb. 27.—The city ommissioners have decided adversely to having a carnival in the city. The association of policemen and deputy sheriffs had petitioned for one, the profits from which would go to the Prior to their rethe association. quest the commissioners had turned down the request of the firemen to be permitted to hold a carnival.

The Pythians of the city held an interesting session in the castle hall tonight, at which J. G. Baird, of Charlotte, grand vice-chancellor of the State was the speaker. He made a most interesting address. Mayor Murphy made the introduction. A very sitractive program has been as very attractive program has been ar ranged, including several musical numbers under the direction of Prof A. S. Hill. The meeting was public and was attended by a large num-

ber of ladies.
Mr. J. M. Millikan has just receiv ed a check for \$400 for the Methodist Protestant orphanage, which is locat-ed near-High Point, this being a be-quest from Mrs. Surephenia T. Dal-ton, who died about a year ago in Greenville, S. C.

Rev. J. Walter Long, State Sunday school secretary, has returned from a trip to Wilmington, Goldsbaro, Ral-eigh and Durham. In all of these places he met with the officers of the city associations and planned for the beginning of teachers institutes in all of the four cities. These are among the 16 cities that were selected for the recent visit of International Secetary Brown and which plan to have city associations of the highest type. Mr. Long feels much encouraged at the prespects in all of the four cities.

#### INSTALLS MONOSCOPE

Asheville Leads State in Water De partment Innovation. (Special to The News and Observer.)

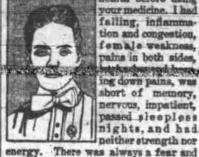
Asheville, Feb. 27 .- Asheville is the first city in the State to Install a sonoscope in its water department, the apparatus which was placed on here several days ago having been found to be all that is claimed for it. The sonoscope is used for the purpose of locating lost water mains and leaks in pipes, whether underground or in houses.

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dread in my mind, I had cold, nervous, weak spells, hot flashes over my body. I had a place in my right side that was so sore that I could hardly bear the weight of my clothes. I tried medicines and doctors, but they did me little good, the rules and regulations of the New and I never expected to get out again. I got Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and Blood Purifier, and I certainly would have been in grave or in an asylum if your medicines had not saved me. But now I can work all day, sleep well at night, eat anything I want, have no hot flashes or weak, nervous spells. All pains, aches, fears and dreads are gone, my house, children and husband are no longer neglected, as I am almost entirely free of the bad symptoms I had before taking your remedies, and all is pleasure and happiness in my home."-Mrs. Josie Ham, R. F. D. 1, Box 22, Shamrock, Missouri.

If you want special advice write Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co., (confidential) Lynn, Mass,

Local Collegians Will Play Last Basketball Game of Sea-

What promises to be the best basketball contest and the last of the season will be played this evening on the auditorium court by A. and M. and Trinity quints. It will be the second meeting of these two teams and since the local college's team defeat Trinity in Durham the Farmers are indeed very anxious to capture the game tonight. They also want to end the season with victory.

The Trinity players will arrive in Raleigh this afternoon and will be ac-companied by the Trinity College brass band, which was recently organised, and expect to be heard at the audito-rium. A. and M. students will be prepared to do their regular rooting and will also make things merry on their side of the house with their band

There will be plenty of music. A. and M. quint has shown improvement in almost every game played re-cently and with the addition of Lindwho played center in the Wal Forest game, the Farmers expect make a stronger showing against the Trinity five. Trinity has a strong quint this season and the defeat of quint this season and the defeat of Wake Forest recently convinced the sporting public that the Methodists ed States and Mexico, the governors have a team just as good any other of border States may surrender fugicollege in the State. The game to-night should easily prove one of the best of the season on the local court.

### DR. R. T. PASCHALL

One of Oldest Masons in State Dies in

Wayne County. Wilson, Feb. 27.—Dr. R. L. Pas-chall, probably the oldest Mason in North Carolina, died at the home of his son, Mr. Bertis Paschall, at Scottsville, near Goldsboro, Thursday afternoon about 2 o'clock and his remains were interred in Maplewood cemetery in this city. For years deceased was a prominent citizen of the town of Black Creek, and was highly esteemed by all classes. At the time of his demise deceased was in his eighty-fourth year. He leaves five children, four sens and one daughter, as follows' Mr. Bertis Paschall, Scottsville; Mr. Joshua W.-Paschall, Contentnea; Mr. J. B. Paschall, Wilson; B. G. Paschall, Stantonsburg; Mrs. Will Patrick, of the Seven Springs sec-

The funeral service was conducted by Elder P. D. Gold and Rev. Mr. Bradshaw.

#### NORTH-CAUBLE

Raleigh Man Married in Salisbur

Wednesday Night.
(Special to The Neux and Observer.)
Salisbury, Feb. 27.—Mr. Thomas Salisbury, Feb. 27.—Mr. Thomas North, of Raleigh, and Miss Nellio Cauble, of Salisbury, were quietly married on Wednesday evening in this city. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cauble, by Rev. G. W. Vick, paster of Holmes Memorial Methodist charge. Memorial Methodist church. Only a few friends witnessed the ceremony. After a few days visiting the young couple will reside in Raleigh

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Fanning Bees Start In Durham With Arrival of Jersey City Groundkeeper

(Special to The News and Observer.)

Durham, Feb. 27 .- With the coming of Mr. John Murphey Kennedy to the city today, baseball for the ming season took on concrete form Mr. Kennedy is groundkeeper for the Jersey City club, which trains in Durham this year. He came to Durham in order to help in getting the league grounds in shape for his club. This morning he had a conference with the Truction company people and gave them some valuable suggestions

James A. Kelly, manager or too Durham club in the Carolina League. is scheduled to arrive here next Tuesday. He will come in with the Jersey City club, and from that time sey City club, and from that time till the end of the season will make Durham his headquarters. Manager Kelly has the majority of his players of last season, and in addition to these of last season, and in addition to these has signed up a large number of other players. Among these are two pitchers who have made good records in other leagues. The manager is expecting to get a catcher from the Jersey City club. Mr. Thomas Fogarty, president of the Jersey City club said that he had a number of promising young estables who would promising young catchers who would hardly be able to do the work for his club this year, and that he would be

glad to leave one of them here.

The Durham players will report here about the middle of March. This will give them about 10 days practice before the first of the exhibition games, which will be played with the Philadelphia Nationals. A number of other games have been arranged and others will be scheduled with the Jer-sey City club during their stay in Durham. The visitors have also made arrangements with several of the State colleges for games here during March and April, so that the Durham fans will have plenty of baseball even before the season opens for the Caro-

#### Denies Threat To Send Troops Across Border

(Continued on Page Two.)

veracity which afterwards arose

ocal State authorities. "The Associated Press dispatches from Washington at the time carried statement that General Steever had been instructed not to permit the Texas troops to cross into Mexico. If Texas troops to cross into Mexico. It such order was given, it was most ridiculous, because the communications between myself and the authorities at Brownsville, which were pulsated lished the morning of the occurrence, clearly showed that there was no

Attempt to Ridicule: "I afterward called upon the com-mander at Fort Sam Houston for a copy of the telegram which the Asociated Press dispatches from Washington, appearing in this morning's papers, assumes to quote. He sent me a copy of a dispatch which was requived, but it contained no such in-structions as that contained in the dispatch from Washington in this morning's papers.

"There seems to be a deliberate ef-rt at Washington, in dealing with the Mexican border question, insefar as matters presented by me are concerned, to make me appear ridiculous before the people of the country.

"I have endeavored in every way to co-operate with the Federal government in enforcing the neutrality. ernment in enforcing the neutrality laws. I have taken no part in the factional controversies and troubles in Mexico. But in every instance where of Texas, to right any grievance or wrong complained of by the Mexi-can government, I have given it can government, I have given it prompt and energetic attention. "Under the treaty between the Unit-ed States and Mexico, the governors

tives from justice without going through the formality of presenting their appeals through the State Department either of the United States or of Mexico.

Who is in Authority?
"I now am endeavoring to get the
United States government to advise whom they regard as constituted au-thority in Mexico, so that I may present my requisitions to that constituted authority for the surremer of the murderers of Texas citizens, or of fugitives from justice in Mexico who have committed other crimes that are extraditable. It does not appear that the United States government recognizes either the Huerta government so-called, or the Carranza govern-ment, so-called. And I do not know to whom I should present my requisitions. There seems to be no govern-ment in Mexico that is recognized by the United States.

"I have no purpose of being sen-sational, nor do I desire to be unjust. but, as Governor of Texas, I believe that the questions which I have pre-sented should be dealt with fairly and squarely, and if there is a govern-ment in Mexico recognized by the United States, as Governor of a border State, having many proper mat-ters in the line of my duty, in the enforcement of the laws of this State. to present to such government. I feel that I should know who constitutes that government in order to proceed

intelligently.

The Problems Confronted. "Texas has nearly 800 miles of frontier along the Rio Grande, from El Paso to Brownsville, to police and protect. There are perhaps 25,000 Mexican refugees living in the cities and towns near the border, who have fied to this State to save themselves and families from the ravages, murder, pillage and outrage, which has been going on in the Northern States of Mexico to a greater or lesser de-gree for the last three and a half years. Mahy perplexing questions are presented to me almost daily as a re-sult of this condition, questions which sult of this condition—questions which cannot be determined by our Federal government, but must be handled by

"The border Mexican States, for the most part, are in the hands of the revolutionists and it is a matter of great importance to this State to know how to enforce its rights against transgressors who come across the Rio Grande and commit crime."

#### Elmer Duckett.

Asheville, Feb. 27 .- Elmer Duckett, the seventeen-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Duckett, of West Ashe-ville, died yesterday following an ill-ness of three weeks. The funeral service was conducted this morning as the residence of the decessed and the interment followed at West Asheville connetery. Mr. Duckett for the past several years had been connected with the Brownhurst Greenhouses.

#### Death of Child.

(Special to The New and Observer.) Asheville, Feb. 27.—John Reynolds Goodrich, the six-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Goodrich, who had been ill a week, filed at an early hour this morning at the reside parents, at 21 Blake street,

### Distinctively Individual

Outlaws and American Association Arrange Schedules Which Will Not Conflict Chicago, Ill., Feb. 27.—Follower of baseball believe they read between the lines of a story published here

the lines of a story published here today news that organized baseball virtually has "recognized the belligerency" of the Federal League. The story said the Federals and the American Association leaders had agreed to arrange their playing schedules so the beautiful the both are represented—Kansas City and Indianapolis—would be avoided Such an agreement would be avoided Such an agreement would be avoided. Such an agreement would indicate that the association had de-cided not to war on the Federals, but rather had concluded to enter a working agreement.

President Chivington, of the asso ciation, denied that any agreement existed, but Charles Weeghman, president of the Chicago Federals, de-ciared he had taiked with Joe Can-tillon, the Minneapolls Association owner and George Tebeau, the Kanvirtually promised there would be no conflicts. Neither league has pre-pared its schedule, the association's usual plan having been upset by the transfer of the Toledo team to Cleve-

land.
The Federal League will withhold its list of players until the arrival of the ship bearing the world's tourists at New York. President Gilmore, who reached Chicago today to pre-pare fer tomorrow's Federal meeting, said there were four of five "stars" on the ship who might be signed by his league, as they landed.

#### What You Sweated Out Last Summer Through 5,000,000 Pores of the Skin, Must be Strained Off by the Liver This Winter.

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ville, Va., which finally was selected as training grounds. SEVERS RELATIONS WITH WASHINGTON AND LEE

Hitch In Eligibility Rules Causes Car-olina to Cancel Baseball Game With Virginia University. Chapel Hill, Feb. 27 .- Carolina and Washington and Lee University have parted company athletically. Announcement is out to the effect that the game of baseball scheduled for April 15 has been called off, the athletic authorities of both institutions agreeing to the cancellation of the game. Unlike eligibility rules neces-Sitated the move, so runs the report. Since no game with Washington and Lee appears on Carolina football

Lee appears on Carolina football schedule, the calling off of the base-ball game denoted a severance of athletic relations.

A game with the Philadelphia Athletics in Durham will be a substitution for the Washington and Lee game. The date will be run back to April 1. A double-header with Amherst on March 31 will make provision for a game with Connie Mack's letic relations.

TO TRAIN AT COLUMBIA.

Brooklyn Federals Tendered University Basebull Grounds.
Baltimore, Md., Feb. 27.—Business Manager John M. Ward, of the Brooklyn Federal League club, who was in Paltimore for a few hours to-day, received a telegram from Columbia, S. C., notifying him that his team may train on the grounds of the University of South Carolina at that

#### QUINN A FEDERAL

Former Boston National Pitcher Signs With Baltimore Onthws. Baltimore, Md., Feb. 27.—Pitcher Test Outfor of the Rosten Nationals today signed a contract with fife fertimore Federal League club. Quinn went to Boston from the Rochester International team at the close of

last season. CUBS WIN AGAIN.

Petersburg, Fla., 3 to 2. St. Tetersburg, Fla., Feb. 27.—The Chicago National League team defeated the St. Louis American team here today by a score of \$ to 2. The score:

Chicago St. Louis .... 1 7 4
Batteries: Vaughan, Humphries

# **QUAKERS DEFEATED** BY WAKE FOREST

Score of Forty-One To Fifteen and Was Last of The

Season

(Special to The News and Observer.)

Wake Forest, Feb. 27 .- The Wake orest basketball team ended one of the best measons in the history of the college here tonight when they tricollege here tonight when they tri-umphed over the Guilford five by the core of 41 to 15.

The Baptist team exhibited won-

derful team work. It being about the best seen here this year, and although the two 'Varsity guards were out of the game they latters shot only four field goals during the game, all dur-ing the last period of play. Hall Davis, the pegular right guard, was not R. F. Hall and Captain Billings was sent out by the referee in the first half because he had four personal fouls against him, but Cuthrell and Hensley played a great game, as the number of the opponents field goals show The pair of forwards, Holding and Hall, worked brilliantly together. Each of them shot four field goals, Hall three in the first half and Holding three in the last half. Center Tyner played one of the best games of his life to-night. He was on the job throughout the last half. R. H. E. and besides shot three goals. Hold- exercise.

The Kind You Have Always Bough

ing, for the Baptists, get nine fould out of thirteen attempts. Stuart, of Guilford, made seven of them good out of fourteen chances. out of Fourteen chances. Edwards the visitors' big center, played a creditable game. Coach Cook referred another one of his satisfactory games.

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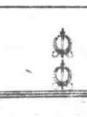
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