Uhr Uhatham Record WEDNESDAY, APRIL 29, 1908

#### H A. LUNDON, Editor.

THE annual meeting of the North cite little or no comment, and in Carolina Press Association was deed his last message was hardly was much enjoyed by all who were so fortunate as to be present. The addresses delivered were of unof general interest. In all the organization.

so greatly in that time, but its material and industrial growth has been astonishing. Since 1892 many millions have been expended at Charlotte in manufacturing and other enterprises. In that time no other city in the state has grown so much, and it is no wouler that everywhere could be seen the words "Watch Charlotte grow." Her wonderful growth is gratifying not only to her fortunate residents, but to all North Carolinians who are proud of their beloved state.

editors were given an opportunity armament. to see some of the fine roads that permeate the country around Charlotte. They enjoyed a ride of over twenty miles in automobiles on these roads, it being the good fortune of this writer to ride with 'Squire S. H. Hilton, who as chairman of the board of county commissioners, had done so much in securing these good roads.

PRESIDENT Roosevelt evidently the influence of liquor is never public demand. There are a few local. Salisbury or Wilmington Republicans who would care to does not think Congress will do citizens, while controlling the sale have an effective law along those anything at its present session, if of the traffic, do not control the lines on the statutes, as is shown we may judge from his frequent dangerous and damaging influence by the fact that the most insis and urgent messages and recom- of this traffic. This influence is tent advocacy produced no effect mendations sent by him to that body. They have become of such Every citizen in the State has a probable that the House will pass right to self protection against the this bill and then leave it to the frequent occurrence that they exiufluence of this traffic, not center- |Senate to kill it by non-action.

ed at a few points, and the only way of protection is the abolition held last week at Charlotte and allowed to be read in that body, of the traffic throughout the State. only after much delay.

Although President Roosevelt is said to be so very popular with usual merit and were heard with his party, yet he certainly seems both pleasure and profit. Matters to have very little influence with of especial interest to newspapers the Republican majority in Conwere discussed, as were also some gress. Although the Republicans have an overwhelming majority proceedings there prevailed per- in both branches of Congress, yet fect harmony and courtesy, as is the President seems unable to get usual at all the meetings of this them to enact any legislation that he so vigorously recommends. In

The last meeting of this associ- their determined effort not to af ation held at Charlotte previous ford any relief to the country but to this was in July, 1892, and to "stand pat" the Republican Charlotte's growth since then has leaders in Congress will not even been wonderful. Not only has enact important legislation recom that city's population increased mended by their own President.

> THE new armored cruiser North Carolina will be put in commission this week and then will go to Cuba for a month, returning early in June. Between the first and tenth of June the cruiser will go · Cape Lookout (which is only a . unles from Beaufort) and will uere receive the silver service, that is to be presented by this state in acknowledgment of the honor of having this war ship named North Carolina. All the battleships of our navy

Not only has the city itself are named in compliment to the grown so rapidly, but the sur- different states, and all the new rounding country has been greatly armored cruisers are also being improved. This has, in a great named for the states. This new measure, been due to the road one is of the latest designs and is system, for which Mecklenburg equipped with all the latest im. if it could find a way to do so. has justly become famous. The proved weapons known to naval

Durham, N. C., April 27 .- Oru-Crutchfield, the 12-year old son of Mrs. J. T. Crutchfield, was drowned Sunday afternoon in a small pool of water at Elerby creek, in the vicinity of the Pearl mills. The young man went into the water, which was some 12 feet deep, with two other companious and dived into the deepest part.

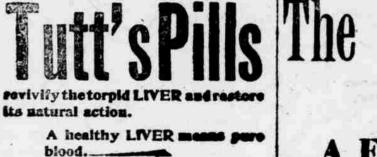
Atlanta, Ga., April 27 .- Practi- tance for help, but before they cally complete returns from all could reach the water's edge he portions of Louisiana, Mississippi, had sunk the last time and in a Alabama and Georgia, show that short while the body was taken the death list in the wind, rain and from the pool. electrical storm of last Friday,

# Saturday and Sunday will not be A HAPPY

is one where health abounds. With impure blood there cannot be good health. With a disordered LIVER there cannot be good blood.

Boy Drowned.

His companions, realizing his



Pure blood means health. Health moans happiness. Take no Substitute. All Druggists.

STATEMENT

The Delaware Insurance Company o Philadelphia, Pa.

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Washington Letter.

From Our Regular Oorrespondent. ]

Washington, D. C., April 2: The President's policies have

received a severe jolt in Congress more than 400. The number of during the past week, the Senate injured stands to-night at about leaders having practically decided 1,200, with reports indicating that to do almost nothing which the a number of the persons hurt in Executive has recommended. The this storm probably will die. steering committee of the Senate Relief measures have been exhold a formal meeting to decide tended by the United States govon the legislative programme for ernment to Hattiesburg, Miss., the remainder of the session. The Purvis and other towns in the

first decision reached was that ad- four states. In addition to Federjournment should be taken on al aid the states took prompt May 16, unless something happen- measures today for the prompt ed in the House to prevent the assistance of those made homeless necessary co-operation of that by the storm and for hospital acbody. It was further decided that commodations for those injured.

no action would be taken on any The department of the Gulf ofof the proposed amendments to fered Georgia any aid necessary the interstate commerce or the late today. Governor Smith, for anti-trust acts; that only two bat-tleships would be authorized; that information as to whether Federal no anti-injunction bill would be assistance was necessary at any considered; that no vote would be point within the State. Similar uad on the Brownsville resolution action was taken in Alabama. and that the Senate would make Mississippi and Louisiana, and uo concessions to the House on at some points State troops have the subject of financial legislation. been called out to guard devasta-In this connection, Senator Ald- tated districts and to aid local rich told the story of two men in authorities in relief work. Tents a boat, one of whom wanted to go and supplies have been sent to Condition December 31st, 1907, as to sea and the other to cast anch- many of the towns wrecked. or. Finally, the one said, "Well, The flood which threatened

I'll anchor my end of the boat and parts of Georgia today caused no you can go to sea with the other loss of life, but did considerable and be hanged." That, said Mr. property damage." Aldrich, was the position of the Senate. It would anchor all financial legislation to sound business of deaths have resulted from inprinciples and the House would juries received in the storm. The go to sea with its end of the boat property loss will probably exceed \$2,000,000. The week in the House has been

felt for hundreds of miles around. with the last Congress. It seems The Destructive Storm. plight, rushed away a short dis-

The editors were shown the capacious auditorium in which the Democratic State convention will be held on the 24th of June, and a more suitable convention hall cannot be found in this State. It has comfortable seats for 4,500 persons, and every one will be occupied on the 24th of June, for more persons will attend that convention than ever before attended any convention in this State.

It was a great pleasure to this writer to meet again his editorial State than any other class of men and receive less appreciation for their services.

THE cotton mills of the Piedmont section of North and South Carolina will close down, that is first day of May, and no further for medical purposes only. orders for cloth at the present prices will be accepted by the mills.

This action was decided on at a stores. meeting, held last Saturday, of the mill presidents representing the mill industry of the upper section of South Carolina and North Carolina, which embraces a large number of cotton mills. This action will throw out of employment many thousand operatives and cause much suffering, and it will be a most serious problem with these operatives how they will support themselves and their dependent families after they s'op work.

This certainly looks bad for the "Republican prosperity" which Republican speakers and papers have been boasting of so much!

THE low rate of one cent a mile has been given by the railroad companies to the veterans, and all other persons, who may attend the Confederate reunion at Birm ingham on the 9th of June. The most convenient schedule for per sons in this section of the state is on train No. 41 of the Seaboard

Air Line, which leaves Raleigh at 4:15 p. m. and arrives at Birmingham next day at noon. The fare rom Raleigh is only \$12.05 for round-trip ticket.

### The Proposed Prohibition Law.

#### WHAT IT WILL DO.

whiskey and brandy distillery in the State.

dispensary in the State. anywhere in the State.

chemical mixtures by whatever with the Brownsville outrage as name known that will produce pusillanimous to the last degree, intoxication.

It will place under the most ty which the Republicans seem stringent and binding regulations unable to escape. Of course the pharmacists and physicians who great flaw in their system is the suspend work, indefinitely on the may handle intoxicating liquors fact that they have long catered ernment building here this mornany county or town to regulate or were normally Democratic. Now men and scaffold crashing to the prohibit the sale of intoxicating the negroes are demanding that ground, a distance of probably

WHAT IT WILL NOT DO.

grown on his own land and sell- tion, but, as Mr. Cleveland put it, ing the same at home or in his "it is a condition and not a theomarket town.

camphor, vanilla, etc.

libtion laws.

wine to ministers or other church and his Postmaster General are officials for sacramental purposes. intensely in earnest in their advo-If this law fails to be ratified by cacy of postal savings banks and

marked by the most extraordinary and outrageous ruling ever per-

petrated by a Speaker of that body. In the face of an explicit demand for the yeas and nays preferred by the Democratic leader, Mr. Williams, the Speaker declared the House adjourned on a viva voce vote, despite the constitutional provision that the miuority shall always have the privilege of demanding the yeas and find out the trouble and seeing nays. Mr. Williams introduced the dog, threw a hatchet, the first the other day a resolution censuring Speaker Cannon but his cow- animal attacked him and bit him ed supporters promptly voted it as described. The little fellow t down. Mr. Williams said later that in all the history of the House

no Speaker had so deliberately struck at the dignity of the body as a deliberative assembly as had Mr. Cannon who by this piece of

tyranny fairly outdone anything the First National Bank, has a of "Czar" of the House.

The Republicans in the Senate day morning. Mr. Croxton planted

It will stop the sale of all those nounced the effort to play politics id petrification. but that is a form of pusillanimi-

from making cider from fruits Forsker to thank for this situa- yet be told.

ry" which confronts them. It is It will not stop the manufac- still difficult to foresee the outturer from making his wine and come. If they restore the negroes shipping it outside of the State. to the army they will be condem-It will not stop the sale of those ned by all honest white men, and medical preparations and essences if they do not they will lose thouthat may have alcohol in them to sands of negro votes, and they preserve them or to hold the med- can see no way out, while Mr. icinal agents in solution, such as Foraker, in his almost insane desire to injure Secretary Taft keeps

It will not repeal existing pro- fomenting the negro question. The President is thoroughly out It will not prohibit the sale of of patience with Congress. He

## Bitten by Mad Dog.

pecial to News and Observer. Maxton, April 27.-About day

ight yesterday morning, little Dannie McNatt, the 12-year-old nephew of Dr. H. W. McNatt, was In force seriously bitten on the hand and inp by a rabid dog. Hearing a disturbance among the chickens, the boy went out in the yard to thing in sight, at him, when the was taken to Richmond yesterday for Pasteur treatment.

#### A Petrified Lemon. From the Lancaster News.

Mr. E. M. Croxton, cashier of

attempted by Speaker Reed at the decided unique curiosity, a petri-It will abolish every licensed time when he won the sobriquet fied lemon, which he dug up in his garding while hoeing Thurs-

It will abolish every saloon and have struck a snag in their a lemon about a year ago in his Brownsville plans. The steering garden and he thinks this is the It will stop the wine traffic with- committee, as I said above, decid- same one now turned to stone. It in the State. For wine can be sold ed not to permit the matter to resembles marble and is fully as brethren, who do more for the only at the place of manufacture come to a vote, but the rank and heavy. When the lemon was plantwelfare and upbuilding of their in quantities of two and one-half file of the Republican Senators ed a lot of unslacked lime, as well galtons or more and not shipped have organized a revolt. Senator as stable manure, was put under Borah in a powerful speech de- it, which may account for its rap-

Frightful Fall of Scaffold

Special to Charlotte Observer. Asheville, April 27.-A frightful accident occurred at the govto the negro vote and counted on ing when a scaffold on which six It will also allow the officials of it to carry certain districts which men were at work fell, sending liquors by pharmacists in the drug they whitewash and restore to the forty feet. All six of the men, inarmy the soldiers who shot up the cluding one white man and five town of Brownsville and many negroes, were badly bruised and Republicans are afraid to say injured, but whether any of the It will not prohibit the farmer them nay. They have Senator injuries will prove fatal cannot

#### Hearticulture.

Oliver Herford and John Ceeil Clay in the May Woman's Home Companion assert that Hearticulture is an exact science, and they give cultural directions for the use of lovers, young and old. Every one can imagine how delight fully Oliver Herford could describe such strange flowers as Aprilfolia, the Valentine Plant, the Hope Vine, and Gossip Weed. The illustrations of these unique plants are in color.

Cloth all Wool and Paint all Paint.

Disbursements--- to policy holders.... Miscellaneous 678,229.36

Fire Risks-written or renewed during 123,960,025.00 179,052,217.00 ASSETS. Book value of Real \$200,000.00 Mortgage Loans on Real Estate 153,500.00 Loans secured by pledge of Bonds, Stocks or other collaterals. 50,000.00 Book value of Bonds and Stocks. 1,051,781 18 Cash in Company's 1,808.37 Deposited in Trust Companies and Banks on interest, 103,347.20 igents' balances, representing busmess written subsequent to Octo-294,572.95 ber 1, 1907 Interest and Rents 15,023.93 due and accrued All other assets, detailed in state-400.00 1,870,433.63 less assets, not ad-83,395.57 Cotal admitted as-AND SAL \$1,787,038.06 <sup>r</sup>order of the ham county in

#### LIABILITIES.

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bilities except \$1,245,314.55 Capital Capital actually 400,000.00 to a black-jack paid up in cash, 141,,723,51 Surplus

\$1,787,038.06 **Total Liabilities** Business in North Carolina in 1907. Reinsurance only. Fire risks written, \$417,585.00 Premiums received 5,367.83 2,224.68 Losses incurred -- fire

Paid 2,720.79 President pro tem,, John S. Bioren. Secretary, J. Parsons Smith, Jr. Home Office, Th:rd and Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pa.

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## JNO. A. MILLS, Pres. and Gen. Mgr.

LE.—By virtue of an eSuperior Court of Chat- the special proceeding ng, entitled, "Artelia exparte," I will, at the or in Pittsboro, N. C., nday in June, it being expose to sale to the the following described	SOUTHERN
in Centre Township, hty, North Corolina, be- nters, corner of J. D. Poe and David Dixon, 4 poles to a stone pile hence west 18 poles to a nce north 35 2-5 poles to Womble's line, thence 9 2-5 poles to a stone, J. ine, thence south 3 west one and pointers, thence 5 poles to a stake, Poe thence south 84 poles c pointer, thence south	THE STANDARD RAILWAY OF TH SOUTH
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