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FIGURES OF STATE PRESIDENTIAL STATE SENATORIAL FIGURES BRIEF NEWS NOTES But Four Counties Are Still Missing.

THE LATEST FIGURES THAT CAN BE OBTAINED UNTIL AFTER THE BOARD OF CANVASSERS MEET AT RALEIGH AND MAKE THE

OFFICIAL COUNT.

REVISED TABLE GIVES FIGURES OF THE CANDIDATES

Through an Error the Figures Gave Wilson 100,000 Votes More Than the Returns Justified at Last Report .- Seventy-Five Counties Report 111,-749 Votes For National Ticket-For Governor Craig 116,239., Settle 36. 027, Meares 38.615.

Raleigh.-Below are last figures on seventy-five counties report for the the election, which will be obtainable | national ticket 111,749 votes and for until the board of canvassers meets Governor Craig 116,239. and makes the official count. A trick The table, revised to date, gives of the adding machine gave Governor the figures of all regular candidates Wilson more votes by 100,000 than for the presidency and the governorthe returns at that hour justified. The ship.

Counties		Presidential		Gubernatorial		
Counties	14/11	Taft				
**	Wilson		Roosevelt		Settle	Meare
Alamance		150	1,468	2,168	324	1,41
Alexander		523	497	871	852	14
Alleghany		204	219	675	384	ŧ
Anson	. 1,510	109	128	1,501		
Ashe	. 1,643	478	1,241	1,700	1,027	64
Avery						
Beaufort	The Carlotte	295	548	1,825	293	48
Bertie		43	66	1,636	28	- 5
		33				41
Bladen (1 missing) .		33	511	1,229	43	
Brunswick			• • • •		****	
Buncombe	. 3,716	426	2,285	3,875	1,045	1,49
Burke						
Cabarrus		312	1,397	1,667	822	61
		313	1,263	1,661	593	82
Caldwell						
Camden		40	62	317	29	4
Carteret			****			
Caswell	. 705	154	45	830	302	1
Catawba		203	1,872	2,136	300	1,76
	17	61	1,254	1,618	152	1,12
Chatham (1 missing) .		734			1,165	
Cherokee			477	949		5
Chowan			77	695	48	6
Clay	. 372	17	385	381	9	38
Cleveland		81	943	2,398	114	81
Columbus						
Craven		995		1.740	****	
Cumberland		235	870	1,749	482	47
Currituck	. 621	22	11	629	10	
Dare		****				
Davidson		1,509	1,143	2,505	2,118	56
Davie	11 11 18 12 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14 14					
		33	1 000	1 000	46	97
Duplin			1,066	1,829	46	97
Durham	THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF TH	126	1,213			
Edgecombe		102	77	1,823	93	/4
Forsyth	2,186	2,096	2,096	3,119	2,646	81
Franklin		71	346	1,941	133	20
	0.00*	215	1,309	2,352	383	1,07
			1,309	2,352	333	
Gates						***
Graham					* * * *	***
Granville	1,561	192	343	1,670	289	19
Greene	004	124	152	921	100	16
Control of the Contro	0.000	460	1,979		661	1,68
				3,874		
Halifax	2,300	42	135	2,334	40	12
Harnett						
Haywood	2,068	354	861	2,087	561	62
Henderson (Dem.)						
Hertford	27.1	61	105	764	88	. 5
Hoke	****	****	****	****	• • • •	
Hyde				****		
Iredell		393	1,046	2,645	512	1,00
Jackson	1,211	332	709	1,233	764	26
Johnston	0 4 - 0	1,349	1,129	2,959	1,761	50
Jones						
	000	60	450		0.0	
Lee	862		452	888	96	39
Lenoir (Dem.)		* * * * *	****	****	****	
Lincoln	1,280	49	1,066		****	
Macon	1,020	134	841	1,056	314	61
Madison	897	430	1,320	925	842	8
	1,251	229	234	1,264	231	1
Martin						
McDowell	1,039	343	773	1,062	886	18
Mecklenburg	3,995	246	390	3,985	349	29
Mitchell	200	138	950	227	172	84
Montgomery	112	144	846	1,132	291	66
Moore	1,167	252	678	1,208	464	41
		176				
Nash	1,062		576	1,922	200	42
New Hanover	2,000	139	99	1,990	211	6
Northampton						
Onslow				906	53	44
Orange!	997	172	821	1,096	516	46
	695	74	329	703	108	27
Pamlico		77				
Pasquotank	948		184	1,014	73	11
Pender			****	****	****	
Perquimans	647	44	228	686	210	4
Person	833	701	184	859	803	5
Pitt	2,311	433	347	2,420	457	23
Polk	9 665	374	1 210	9 999	475	1.75
Randolph	2,665		1,810	2,828	475	1,75
Richmond	1,319	82	174	1,357	116	8
Robeson	2,706	154	660	3,103	211	34
Rockingham						
Rowan/	2,740	280	1,537	2,839	808	97
AND COMPANY OF THE PARTY OF THE	2,286	279	1,427	2,241	247	1,43
	1,265	84				
Sampson			2,520	1,209	1,762	2,36
Scotland	753	9	72	777	5	45
Stanly	1,697	105	1,548	1,742	600	1.00
Stokes	1,144	1,450	210	1,168	1,585	4
	1,919	2,277	608	2,006	2,527	288
Surry						
Swain		****	****	****		• • • •
Transylvania	631	107	537	640	310	32
Tyrrell	298	224	100			
	1,786	92	457	1,724	114	320
Union						
Vance	1,204	168	234	1,223	199	151
	116,605	24,137	57,592 .	The second second	37,202	48,52
Warren	987	112	46	1,044	88	. 25
Want	503	384	149	509	471	390
Watange	933	420	819	981	723	458
Watauga						
Wayne	2,293	95	990	2,448	131	948
Wilkes	1,636	331	2,571	1,622	528	2,333
Wilson			****			
Yadkin			1	773	1,066	430
Vrance	1,112	1,036	69	1,187	50	1,028
rancey	1,112	1,000	0.0	1,101		1,020
			200	4 1 5 5 6		5-1-7-

Edgecombe County Teachers Meet.

Betterment association.

Total 121,749 23,660

Officers Destroy Distillery. The first meeting of the Edgecombe | Recently Sheriff Deaton received Teachers' association of the year was word of a still being operated in Unheld in the graded school auditorium ion Grove Township, whereupon he at Tarboro, R. G. Kittrell was unan-summoned Deputy Sheriff Ward and imously elected president of the or- Chief of Police C. W. Connor of Statganization and Miss Agnes Moore esville and went out to take a look. Was chosen secretary. Plans for the The still was found going at full Year's work were discussed and every blast near Warrens Bridge, on Big tacher was urged to begin prepara- Hunting Creek. The still was cut up tions at once for the big county com- along with the tubs, boxes and other mencement to be held next spring, accessories, and as there were be-Mrs. G. W. Thrash, of Tarboro, was tween seven and 10 gallons of "white chosen leader of the county Woman's lightning", it was poured over the outfit and the whole of it burned up.

55,368 116,239 36,027 38,615

-The Majority is Nearly 20,000. -Table Given Below.

Raleigh.-In the ten congressional districts in North Carolina with figures obtainable, Senator Simmons has a majority of 10,106 over both Kitchin and Clark, and has polled 80,507 votes. Govenor Kitchin ran second with 46,016 and Judge Clark third with 15,383. The closest of the districts were the first and the second, the home of Governor Kitchin once being in the second, now the home of Congressman Claude Kitchin.

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ij	Warren	520	320	23
	Wilson	1,011	861	5
	Total	5,625	6,660	1,04
Ì	Third	Distric	t	
	Carteret	909	263	1
	Craven		209	6
1	Duplin		332	16
	Jones		125	
	Onslow	595	271	6
	Pamlico	449	223	2
	Pender		178	6
1	Sampson		165	12
	Wayne		838	13
	Total	8,607	2,604	64

Fourth District

Greene 171 747

Halifax 324 1,604

Lenoir 1,124 576

Northampton .. 908 694

427

Chatham	997	501	18
Franklin	1,147	483	34
Johnston	1,669	990	28
Nash	883	988	18
Vance	575	445	21
Wake	1,823	1,580	83
Total	7,044	4,987	1,97
	District	The state of the s	
Alamance	513	1,249	28
Caswell	246	531	4
Durham	587	1,378	19
Forsyth	1,183	1,461	25
Granville	629	797	27
Guilford	1,772	1,811	24
Orange	310	790	9
Person	56	755	
Rockingham	562	1,032	40
Stokes	102	1,012	5
The state of the s	0.00	mom	4.0

Sixth District.

Bladen 774 283

Brunswick			
Columbus			
Cumberland	1,258	278	
Harnett	681	430	
New Hanover	1,555	459	
Robeson		757	
Total	6,677	2,307	•
Seventh		t.	
Anson	734	96	
Davidson		464	
Davie ,		222	
Lee		220	
Montgomery		233	
Moore		235	- 1
Randolph		361	2
Richmond	7.1	628	1
Scotland		€38	
Union '		633	- 7
Yadkin	461	226	
Hoke		179	1
Wilkes	1,182	357	
	And the second second second		_

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Wilkes	••	1,182	357	8
Total		10,903	4,097	2,60
Eigh	th	Distric	t.	
Alexander		600	200	13
Alleghany		405	197	1
Ashe		1,220	253	10
Cabarrus		1,317	452	36
Caldwell		1,278	192	17
Iredell		1,992	595	5
Rowan		1,202	1,291	16
Stanly		1,226	304	13
Wautagua				
A SHARRY NO YEAR	. 2	-	-	V 201
Total	٠.	9,240	3,484	1,14
Nin	th	District		
Avery				
Burke	272	1.039	187	6

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Total	9,240	3,484	1,14
Ninth	District		
Avery			
Burke	1,039	187	6
Catawba			
Cleveland	1,513	800	15
Gaston	1,441	790	16:
Lincoln	887	263	113
Madison		201	1'
Mecklenburg	2,718	982	58
Mitchell:	231	105	-23
Yancey	554	366	103
Total	9,018	3,694	1,225
			1.0

5.5	* *	901	000	
		9,018	3,694	1,225
		Distirc	t	A Section
		2,683	627	395
		743	101	93
		275	66	36
			84	49
		1,441	452	70
		276	21	54
		791	115	290
			88	176
		803	89	177
		1.696	288	221
			75	75
a		405	132	36
		10,680	2,138	1.672
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FOR THE BUSY MAN

MOST IMPORTANT EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK TOLD IN CONDENSED FORM.

WORLD'S NEWS EPITOMIZED

Complete Review of Happenings of Greatest Interest From All Parts of World.

Southern.

Documents found in the possession of Lieut. Fred D. Mannerfelt, who committed suicide at a Tampa, Fla., hotel by shooting himself through the heart, identify him as the son of Maj. F. Mannerfelt of the personal staff of King Oscar of Sweden.

Lieut. Col. Joseph C. Gibson, in charge of the troops which hanged John Brown at Harper's Ferry, is dead at his plantation at Verbena, Ala, aged 79 year.

William O. Neff, one of the jurors who sentenced to long imprisonment a member of the Allen clan, is near death at Rural Retreat, Va. It is

Donald C. Livingston, a conductor on the Tampa-Sarasota branch of the A. C. L., was shot and killed by his wife. Mrs. Livingston stated that her husband went to his home in Tampa, Fla., and abused her all day. She says she sought safety in her room, when he forced the door, and compocket, and shot him. She fired four

J. T. Beargess, an aged farmer of near McIntosh, Fla., 20 miles from were murdered near their home by a negro. Beargess was shot down from ambush, while the girl had her throat cut from ear to ear. The sheriff and his posse soon captured the negro. and, fearing mob violence, started with him for Gainesville. Neighbors hearing of this quickly formed a posse and at last accounts were close on the heels of the sheriff and his prisoner, swearing vengeance.

General.

Augustin Max, known throughout France as the "Blind Banker of Par-81 is," has confessed that he misappro-49 priated two million dollars of his cli-98 ents' money.

An open switch at Indianapolis. 75 Ind., which permitted a passenger 42 train on the Cincinnati, Hamilton and 90 Dayton railroad, to catapult, head-on, 9 into a freight standing on the side-00 track, was held responsible for the 55 death of fifteen persons and the in-Surry 877 767 174 jury of seventeen more. The crash occurred at Irvington, a suburb. The Total.. 6,837 11,583 2,072 majority of the injured reside north of the Ohio river.

Jose Canalejas y Mendes, the prime minister whom Spain has regarded as one of the greatest of statesmen, was 276 shot and killed by a young anarchist 275 named Manuel Pardinas. The assassin attempted suicide and it was first thought th tahe was dead, but, when he had been carrried to the hospital, he was found to be living. No event since the throwing of the bomb at the carriage of King Alfonso on May 31, 1906, while the king was returning from the church after his marriage, has caused such general consternation

and such public sympathy. John Schrank pleaded guilty of attempting to murder Theodore Roosevelt, and in his plea he sought to distinguish between an assault on Roosevelt as a "menace" and an attack on Roosevelt as a citizen. Judge Backus announced that he would name a commission to examine Schrank's mental condition. The district attorney read the complaint on which Schrank was accused of having made an assault on the person of "one Theodore Roosevelt, with a deadly weapon, and with intent then and there to kill and slay the said Theo-

dore Roosevelt." Fourteen lives were snuffed out and ninety passengers injured when a through freight train crashed into the rear end of a northbound excursion train on the Yazoo and Mississippi Valley railroad near Montz, La. Of the dead four are white women, one a white infant, four negro women and five negro men. Forty one of the injured are white and forty-nine negroes. It is expected that all of these, except possibly three, will re-

cover. After having lost \$60,000 in business in eight months in Chicago, Patrick Carraher, 33 years old, appealed to the police for lodging. He was formerly a successful farmer in Nebraska.

According to tabulations made in the Socialist vote, the returns show an increase of 100 per cent. Robbers blew open the safe in a

saloon at Chicago and escaped with \$2,500 after binding the bratender and porter with ropes. The thieves wrapped a large rug about the safe and executed their work so skillfully that 100 guests above were not awakened. Mrs. Eliza Bower, 45 years of age, was found on the floor of the kitchen of her home, in New Washington, Ind., with three deep gashes in her head, made with a hatchet. She will

Gov. Woodrow Wilson has announced that immediately after his inauguration as president of the United States he will call an extraordinary session of congress to convene not later than April 15 for the purpose of revising the tariff.

Convicts of the Illinois state penitentiary who have been paroled but who cannot be freed because they have not secured jobs have hit upon the unique plan of advertising for work through the want columns of the Chicago papers. The plan is

working out very successfully. That the Turkish porte has entered into direct negotiations with Bulgaria for an armistice is confirmed. Nazim Pasha, the Turkish commander-inchief, has received instructions to open communication with the Bulgarian generals, and he has sent an envoy to the Bulgarian headquarters.

What is practically a general strike in Russia has been declared by St. Petersburg factories and workshops in protest against the recent sentencing to death of seventeen sailors of the Black Sea fleet for instigating mutin.es. Demonstrations were stopped by the police and many arrests have been made.

President elect Woodrow Wilson proposes to keep the door to his private office in the white house always open and accessible to the public. Governor Wilson says he has decided to maintain as far as possible the "open door" policy which he inaugurated at Trenton. During his term as goverthought that he tried to take his own nor he has insisted that the door to his private office never be closed while he is in it.

A landing force of at least 2,000 men is now available from the international fleet in the harbor of Constantinople and could be instantly sent ashore should a Moslem outbreak endanger the lives of foreigners in the Turkish capital. This force is menced beating her. She seized a pis. | considered by the state department to | rives it is probable the question will tol, she stated, which was in his hip- be fully adequate to meet any emergency that might arise jeopardizing the do Zayas will find himself engaged in the score of vessels mobilized in the for leadership of the Liberal party, Ottoman harbor and any anxiety pre- the President having let it be under-Ocala, and his 15-year old daughter viously felt for Americans is entirely relieved by assures made to the de-

J. A. Wayland, a founder and owner of The Appeal to Reason, a Socialist weekly newspaper published at | of 1916. Girard, Kan., shot and killed himself in his home. Between the leaves of a book lying on the bed the fol- of friendly Senate and House. He lowing note was found: "The struggle | will have the aid of the better eleunder the competitive system isn't ment throughout the island and the friends of Mr. Wayland attribute his Cubans. act to despondency over the death of mobile accident a year ago.

British minister to Sweden, will suc- ficers which has so won the respect ceed James Bryce as ambassador to of the people that many are convinc- the Reitzel Auto Service Company, of garded as one of the ablest men in are past forever. the diplomatic service.

The outbreak of cholera in Constantinople is assuming serious prohas just reached Constantinople, eight ritories, inviting their co-operation in of the soldiers having died on the the War College plans for the organ- by the Salisbury Industrial club lookway, presumably from cholera.

of the death at Red Hill, Charlotte tia is to be used as a field force effect- ing made to drain the principal county, Va., of Dr. Thomas Stanhope ively in war time it can only be done swamps on the larger streams and the Henry, last surviving grandson of by this system of divisions. Patrick Henry, of revolutionray fame. The death of Doctor Henry occurred at the ancestral Henry home. He

Washington.

President Taft has issued a proclamation fixing, the rates that the foreign shipping of the world shall pay for passage through the Panama canal. The proclamation made under the authority of the canal act, passed by congress in August, establishes a merchant vessel rate of \$1.20 per ton of actual carrying capacity, with a reduction of 40 per cent, on ships in ballast. American coastwise shipping was exempted from toll payment by congress. It was to this provision of the act that Great Britain diplomatically protested. No reference to the incident was made in the presidents proclamation.

A greater opportunity to give the South "a feeling of ownership" in the government will be given the Woodrow Wilson administration than was accorded the present Republican regime, President Taft told the United Daughter of the Confederacy at rampant. the opening session of their annual convention in Washington,

European powers most intimately concerned in the Balkan situation have undertaken to extend protection to Americans in Turkey. - Various American embassies in Europe were years, with ineligibility to either a ly escaped from the flames and lost instructed when informing the nations of the decision of the United States and President-elect Wilson's enroseto send the cruisers Tennessee and ment of the Democratic platform, fav-Montana to Asiatic Turkey, to in oring such a limitation are believed quire whether provision had been to foreshadow strong pressure for leg- public roads and that only 17 miles made in the interest of American islation along this line. Numerous citizens in Turkey. Replies indicate measures have been introduced in that instructions issued by Great Congress looking to a change in the Britain and Russia anticipated the de- presidental tenure. sires of the American government.

James Bryce, the British ambassador to the United States, has tendered his resignation, and will return to England. There has been no break in the harmonious relations of this distinguished Englishman and his government, but it has been an open ness. Senator Terrell was stricken advancing in years, desired to sur few months after he had been ap- has so far progressed that it was defitention to the completion of the lit. the late United States Senator A. S. off the press.

OUTLOOK FOR CUBA

POPULAR FEELING HAS RISEN FROM SOMETHING OF DISPAIR TO CONFIDENCE.

THE PRESIDENTIAL ELECTION

In Taking Office General Menocal W!II Have Advantage of Friendly House and Senate.-Think Days of Upris-Ing in Cuba Are Past.

Havana.-Within a few weeks popular feeling regarding the political situation has risen from something bordering on despair to confidence. The outlook for the republic of Cuba appears brighter than for many years.

The presidential election looked forword to with apprehension, passed without violence and there is a growing disposition in all quarters to accept the verdict as the honest expres- lected on a shipment of eighteen car sion of the majority. Those most dis- loads of building material from High appointed have vented their feelings Point to Philadelphia, made in 1910 in threats that were never taken very seriously, and now seem inclined to accept the new order of things philosophically.

attack the legality of the elections on his entire expenses for the campaign the ground of fraud, upon the con- as required to be reported aggregated vening of the National Liberal Assem- \$7,240.89 and the total contributions bly November 23. When that day ar- of friends to the fund was \$2,763. safety of the nations represented by a fight with Gen. Jose Miguel Gomez stood that he has no intention of retiring from active political life on the expiration of his term, and that it is his ambition to lead the Liberals to victory in the presidential campaign

In taking office General Menocal will have the inestimable advantage worth the effort; let it pass." The personal counsel of many distingished

He also will have the loyal support his wife, who was killed in an auto- of any army organized, uniformed, equipped and armed like American Sir Cecil Arthur Spring-Rice, now regulars and drilled by American ofthe United States. Sir Cecil is re- ed the days of armed uprising in Cuba Greensboro, capital \$25,000 authorized

Plans For War College.

wounded. A trainload of wounded the Governors of all the state and ter- and others. News has reached Charlotte, N. C., The letters point out that if the mili- Rowan county. Preparations are be-

> Formal Opening of Panama Canal. Washington.-Some time next summer or fall, no exact date being speci- which to work. fied, a vessel will pass what is now the Isthmus of Panama, which consequently must disappear from the world's geography and by the same human agency, the Western Hemisphere will be divided into two continents. The vessel will not be the Oregon nor any other famous ship, but will be one of the many small water craft in daily use by the canal build-

Determined to Carry Out Threat. Mexico City, Mex .-- That the Mexican Government is determined to carry out the threat recently made to resume the tactics employed so successfully by General Robles in the state of Morelos some month ago, is indicated by the report of the War Department announcing the total destruction of several small towns and villages in the northern mountains of Oaxaca, where the revolution has been

Favors Single Six Year Term. Washington.-President Taft's declaration in favor of a constitutional tenure of office to a single term of six succeeding or non-consecutive term all their personal property.

Former Senator Terrell Dead.

Atlanta, Ga.-Former United States Senator Joseph M. Terrell, twice Governor of the state of Georgia, died at his home here after an extended ill-

NEWS OF NORTH CAROLINA

Short Paragraphs of State News That Have Been Condensed For the People of the State.

Raleigh.-An amendment to the charter of the South Atlantic Trans-Continental Railroad Company, just filed, changes the name to the South Atlantic & Western Railroad Co., H. R. Hickerson, president, and J. L. Council, secretary.

Shelby.-Eulon Runyans, the eightyear-old adopted son of Mr. Fletcher McMurry, who lives three miles west of town, was killed when the mule he was riding in from the field became frightened and threw him off. The boy's foot caught in a trace chain and he was dragged 200 yards or more.

Salisbury.-Under the supervision of Civil Engineer C. M. Miller, of Salisbury, Surry county has just completed her first stretch of sand clay roads. The people of that county are much pleased with the road and are preparing to vote bonds for a general improvement of roads.

Washington.-The interstate commerce commission ordered the Southern Railway to refund \$1,200 to the Snow Lumber Co., of High Point, N. C., for alleged unreasonable rates col-Raleigh.—The final statement by United States Senator F. M. Simmons of expenses in the senatorial campaign, as required to be filed with the The attitude of the Liberals has secretary of the United States Sensummered down to a proposition to ate, was made public and shows that

> Statesville. — At an enthusiastic meeting of the members of the Iredell Poultry Association it was decided to hold the next show on January 22 to 25. inclusive, so that they would not conflict in dates with the show and the one to be held in Charlotte. Additional coops have been secured and the association expects to handle practically double as many birds as

> they had last year. Raleigh.-The latest railroad gossip gives strong color to reports of the purpose of the Atlantic Coast Line to establish a line between Favetteville and Wadesboro and thence to Charlotte. There is a corps of surveyors at work between Fayetteville and Southern Pines and it is believed that this great railroad corporation desires to build this road and connect

Charlotte and Wadesoro. Raleigh.-Charters are issued for and \$5,000 subscribed, by O. C. Klingman and J. H. Reitzel of Greensboro and L. G. Klingman of Rocky Mount, Washington .- One of the most tm- for dealing in, hiring automobiles and portions. Twenty-three cases had oc- portant moves in recent years to pre- operating garage and repair shops; curred among the troops along the pare the National Militia for use in the Scott Brothers Drug Company, Tchatalja lines. There are many time of war, is proposed in letters ad- Leaksville, capital \$5,000 authorized more suspected cases among the dressed by Acting Secretary Oliver to and \$1,000 subscribed, by E. G. Scott

> Salisbury.-Steps have been taken ization of the militia into 16 divisions. ing to a large amount of drainage in business men of the city and county are backing the movement. Committees have been appointed to investigate and recommend a plan upon

> > Raleigh.-The determination of the legislation committee of the North Carolina Teachers' Assembly to press upon the next legislature the matter of a specific state tax of 5 cents on the \$100 property valuation, for a fund with which to assure to all public schools in the state six months instead of four months minimum school terms, is stirring considerable discussion of the state's finances.

Raleigh.-The tobacco growers for the month of October show a total of 22,745,936 of first hand sales and 25,-224,279 with the resales. Greenville barely leads Winston-Salem in this list of individual towns. The act regulating the publication of tobacco statistics was passed February 2, 1907. In its first shape, it carried a penalty of \$500 for the violation of the act making compulsory the statement of the pounds of leaf tobacco sold at every warehouse in North Carolina. This was changed to \$25.

Fayetteville. - Fire starting from the kitchen gutted the residence of F. H. Hobbes on Person street, this city, amendment to limit the presidential recently. W. H. Coffy and his family, v) occupied part of the house, bare-

> Newbern.-In a report recently issued by the state geologist he states that Craven county has 350 miles of are improved roads. After careful computation it is found that the annual loss to the county because of these unimproved roads is in the neighborhood of \$100,000.

Lexington.-The board of county commissioners has selected J. E. Meredith, of Thomasville township, as county demonstrator to succeed Mr. W. C. Wilson, who refused to accept the place again.

Kinston.-Work on the state school secret for some time that Mr. Bryce, with paralysis in February, 1911, a for the feeble-minded near the city render his post and give entire at pointed to fill the unexpired term of nitely announced that the institution would begin operations on the first erary work which has occupied so Clay. Although his illness made it of January. Only boys will be admitlarge a part of his life. His book on necessary for him to retire from publed on this date, and these in limited South America, written since his tour lic life Senator Terrell's condition did numbers. Girls will be admitted after of that country two years ago, is just | not become critical until a week ago. | the routine of the school work has been well established.