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DOWN OPININONS IN ELEVEN APPEALS.

#### LATE STATE CAPITOL NEWS

Review of the Latest News Gathered Around the State Capitol That Will Be of Interest to Our Readers ticipating in the hauls shall receive. Over North Carolina.

#### Raleigh

The supreme court handed down opinions in 11 more appeals, new trials being granted in four cases, errors found in two others and still another reversed. The list folows:

Roper Lumber Company vs. Richmond Cedar Works, Camden, no error; Richmond Cedar Works vs. Roopinion, Judge Brown not sitting, the judgment stands affirmed; Leroy vs. Steamboat Company, Currituck, no error; Carter vs. Strickland, Nash, affirmed; Bulleck vs. Cottonseed Oil Company, Edgecombe, reversed; State | Warren, new trial; Whitehead Pittman, Halifax, affirmed.

In State vs. Gupton, from Vance county, in which the suprem court orders a new trial, John D. Gupton. a deputy sheriff, is under sentence of 10 years in jail with right of the county commissioners to hire him out for the killing of Charles Snyder in February, 1913, while the officer was serving a warrant of arrest on him for assault with deadly weapon. The new trial is on the ground that the trial judge ruled out certain evidence of self-defense offered. Gupton claims that Snyder resisted arrest on the ground that the warrant he was serving was defective. Both Snyder and his wife attacked Gupton and Snyder was fatally shot. The supreme court sets out in the opinion that there was no excuse for Snyder to resist the arrest because of any alleged defect in the warrant, the proper place for this being at the subsequent trial of

#### Fire Insurance For Methodists.

The Methodist Mutual Fire Insurance Company, with principal office dons recently: Steiner Huffine, Guilfor the present at Statesville, is li- ford coutny, who has served one year censed by the state department of in- on a three-year sentence in Guilford surance to provide mutual insurance for larceny and receiving. Pardoned for the churches, parsonages and the on recommendation of Judge Peebles personal property of the ministers of and Solicitor Gattis and county offilina Methodist Conference. The conference, at its last annual session ap- in prison. pointed a committee to launch the enterprise with a view to cutting down the cost of church insurance. It is days of a 12-months sentence and paid practically settled that the North Car- \$200 fine. The imprisonment was to olina Conference will also come into operate as a banishment as he was the organization so that the scope of allowed to leave the state. He reits work will be state-wide for the turned a few weeks ago and was put Methodist.

#### Charters Issued.

The Reformer Publishing Company Durham, capital \$25,000 authorized, and \$1,100 subscribed by W. S. Young, W. T. Wodard and G. W. Adams.

The Rural Hall Supply Company, Rural Hall, Forsyth county, capital \$25,000 authorized, and subscribed by N. S. Jones and others for agenral agricultural supply business.

A charter is issued for the Pope Brick & Trading Co., Coats, Harnett 300,000 Tons Fertilzer Sold. county, capital \$100,00 authorized and \$3,000 subscribed by P. E. Pope, C. D.

The Bethlehem Telephone Comsubscribed by R. L. Joyner and others for maintaining local and rural

#### investigate Cause of Fires.

telephone service.

Captain F. M. Jordan, special representative of the North Carolina Detravel over the state at the direction pany held by the plaintiff. of the Insurance Commissioner and nature is being investigated.

#### Moving Picture Men Organize.

Mr. J. M. Bradlet, of New York, formerly with The Moving Picture World and The Motion Picture News, is in North Carolina to arrange a con-

O., next July.

#### Special Rates for Government. The Corporation Commission made an order recently for the application of special freight rates on crushed stone and gravel to be delivered by railroad companies at Elizabethtown,

to be used by the United States Government in the construction of locks and dams for making the Cape Fear, Wilmington to Fayetteville, navigable STATE SUPREME COURT HANDS all the year around. About 30,000 tons SOUTH, EAST, NORTH AND WEST will be required for this work. The rates fixed by the commission are: Cranita to Elizabethtown, \$1.18: Mount Airy to Elizabethtown, \$1.171/2. these being for crushed stone. Gravel rates are: Lilesville to Elizabethtown, \$1.121/2; Lillington to Elizabethtown, \$1. The coarload minimum is 80,000 pounds. The order by the commission specifies the proportion of each of these rates the various roads par

#### Meeting of State Committee.

Chairman Charles A. Webb, of the Democratic Executive Committee of North Carolina, recently mailed letters to the members of the committee calling a meeting which will be held in the Senate Chamber at Raleigh Tuesday night, March 10, at 8:30 o'clock. The purpose of the meeting, as outlined by Mr. Webb, include the selection of the time and place for the state convention; the fixing of a common day on which all precinct meetper Lumber Company, Gates county, ings or primary elections will be held the court being evenly divided in for the purpose of ascertaining the choice of the Democratic electors for the state congressional, judicial and state senatorial offices and for the election of delegates to the county conventions; the naming of a common date for the holding of a county convention in each county of tae vs. Lee, Bertie, new trial; State vs. state for the purpose of declaring the Fenner, Halifax, new trial; State vs. result of the precinct meeting or pro-Gapton, Vance, new trial; Johnson vs. mary election or to ascertain the in the state, to fill the unexpired term that it was the belief of many that Dranning Manufacturing Company, choice of all electors in mass conven. of the late Senator A. O. Bacon, whose the retina of a murdered person re-Hertie, error; Rooker vs. Rodwell, tion and for the appointment of dele. death occurred in Washington Febru- tains the image of the murderer. But

#### Walter Shelton's Sentence Commuted.

county, gets from Governor Craig a Senator West was born in Marion commutation to life imprisonment. In county, Georgia. his reasons for the commutation the Governor says: "From the circumwas not in normal condition, and that from the continued use of drugs and ranged, and that he did not commit mands the extreme penalty. In the merciful administration of the law I give him the benefit of the doubt."

#### Governor Issues Two Pardons.

The Governor announced two parthe church in the Western North Caro- c'als because of the prisoner's health condition, being in a dying condition

> George W. Brinson, Pasquotank county, who has served only a few on the roads.

#### North Carolina Apples in Texas.

North Carolina apples are being shown in Dallas, Tex., at the National Corn Show, the land and industrial department of the Southern Railway Company having shipped a large quantity of the fruit of a Asheville orchardist to the Texas city. The exhibit is designed to attract to the attention of the visitors to the show the wonderful possibilities of this state as an apple region.

The fertilizer season is at its height now and it is estimated that he total Overby ando thers for a brick and tile movement at Wilmington to date is manufcuturing and general mercantile about 300,000 tons, which is 10 per cent in excess of the shipments to the same period last year. Up to the prespany, Walkertown, Forsyth county, ent time, since the beginning of the capital \$5,000 authorized, and \$280 fertilizer year, July 1, 135,372 tons of material have ben imported, which is a total of 20,479 more than was re ceived at the same date last year.

## McArthur Case a Mistrial.

entry of mistrial was made at 5:30 half million dollars, figuring on the partment of Insurance, is spending o'clock in the Federal court trial of contract price of removal. John T. general was checked "bales of hay some time in Brunswick and New the Citizens Bank of Norfolk against Fetherston, street cleaning commis- and bushels of potatoes" soon would Hanover counties investigating the Mrs. M. E. McArthur and Adam Mc- sioner, told the board of estimate that be going through the mails was given causes of fires which have recently Arthur, involving the genuineness of the department was praying for rain. the senate by Senator Bankhead, chairdestroyed buildings in that section. their signatures on the \$25,000 note The business of Captain Jordan is to of Newton-McArthur Lumber Com-

The statement was made to Judge look into the causes of fires which Connor for the jury that they were tion in the Panama Pacific exposition ernment was operating the new servare believed or known to be the work hopelessly divided. They stood 10 to at San Francisco. The appropriation ice at a loss. The senator's remarks

#### James R. Young Gives Warning.

Commissioner of Insurance James Young issues a warning to the people vention of the motion picture exhibi- aware corporation doing busines with ill two years during which time he agriculture. In the event the young fors of the state for April. The object principal office in Philadelphia. A re- had many sinking spells, but from champion's academic training would of the convention is to form a state cent investigation of the affairs of the which he rallied. In the late seventies not enable him to enter; the state agribranch of the Motion Picture Exhibi- concern shows, Comissioner Young Senator Teller became a person of cultural college, the department sugtors' League of America of which M. says, that here are assets amounting wide repute because of his activities gests elementary courses in instruc-A. Neff of Cincinnati is the president to only \$353 and liabilities amount to in the United States senate. His most tions, teaching less advanced instruc-The national league will hold its \$13,433. The corporation paid out in ardent work was his opposition to the tion work. Officials of the depart fourth annual convention in Dayton, claims last year \$3,547 and maintain- standardization of gold in the mone- ment express belief that such courses ed expenses amounting to \$12,566... tary system of the nation.

LATE NEWS OF THE WORLD TERSELY TOLD.

Notes From Foreign Lands, Through out the Nation and Particularly the Great South.

#### Southern.

Ranger Captain J. J. Sanders, reporting to Gov. O. B. Colquitt of Texas, made the direct charge that Clemman, was shot to death while in the custody of Mexican federal troops, ostensibly en route from the jail at Hidalgo to federal headquarters at Piedras Negras, Mexico. Governor Colquitt telegraphed Secretary of State Bryan asking what method should be followed in an effort to apprehend bler. Herman Rosenthal, was annulled those responsible for the killing of by the court of appeals at Albany, the Vergara. Texans are wrought up over the murder, and much bitterness is evinced against Mexicans.

The Georgia rate cases, involving injunctions secured by the Atlantic Coast Line, the Southern railway and the Central of Georgia against freight rate reduction ordered by the Georgia railroad commission, were set by the United States court of appeals in session at New Orleans for hearing in April before court in session in Atlanta, Gu.

dosta, one of the best known men Attorney Tyler admitted this, saying gates to the state, congressional, judi. ary 14. Governor Slaton did not write whether the negative held by the aucial and state senatorial conventions | any formal announcement. He merely | thorities showed anything of this na-Walter Shelton, who was under sen- In an instant the news traveled any proceedings growing out of the tence to die in the electric chair for throughout the capitol and wash flashthe murder of his wife in Rockingham | ed to all parts of the city and state. |

Admiral von Diederichs himself adstances of the crime itself, and from commander in Manila bay at the time negroes were killed. White men, said affidavits filed with me, setting forth of the Spanish-American war that he to have been incensed by noise a facts that did not appear in the court | would shoot any American officer who | score or more negroes made, formed at the trial, I have come to the con- attempted to board a German warship a posse to arrest them. The negroes, clusion that at the time of the com- "to make inquiry and establish her it was claimed, began shooting and mission of the crime ,the defendant | identity" in carrying out the orders | Love fell dead. In the exchange of it exicating liquors, his mind was de- tive of events given to the press. The tion was exhausted and the negroes controversy between Admiral Dewey the murder with that degree of pre- and the German admiral arose over the meditation and deliberation that de- visiting between the vessels of the erichs was quite promiscuous.

tion of Secretary of State Bryan, but to do so she had to take off her head dress. Miss Kelly was anxious Vera Cruz, had given his consent. to wear her academic cap and gown upon being admitted. The court marshal gently reminded her, however, that members of the bar must remove their hats in addressing the court and that the rule applied alike to men and

Jim Conley begins the serving of a lowing the verdict of a jury in his case, which reported against the for-Frank to Atlanta over a year ago. Conley took his sentence stoically. He torney that he "had got off light." The second day's developments in the sordid trial proceedings in which Conley any sersationalism.

persistent snowstorm she has had in senate during the consideration of the years. The snow was by no means postoffice appropriation bill. An amendconfined to Atlanta, but on the contra- ment to the bill as it passed the house ry Atlanta was one of the last cities proposed by the senate postoffice comvisited. Snow fell in Charleston, Sa- mittee to prevent the postmaster genvannah and the cities of the mountain eral from making these changes, was sections before it began to fall in At- defeated by a vote of 33 to 24. lanta The snow stretched its blanket over the entire south all the way from Richmond to New Orleans, leavand yonder,

#### General.

The jury was discharged and an would reach approximately two and a and Pacific.

where there will be some opposition. fice appropriation bill.

Henry Moore Teller, secretary of the interior in President Arthur's practical training at some agriculcabinet, and for more than thirty years tural college instead of annual trips United States senator from Colorado, to Washington for the young prize died at Denver, Colo., at the home of winners of the corn, canning, poultry, of North Carolina against the Century his daughter, Mrs. G. E. Tyler. Sena and other agricultural clubs, is the Life & Accident Insurance Co., a Del- tor Teller was 84 years old; had been recommendation of the department of

#### R. H. Martin and Joseph Borders, Kansas City agents of the Florida Fruit Lands company, pleaded guilty in the federal court at Kansas City to the charges of conspiracy and the conducting of a lottery in the sale of lands in the Everglades in Florida. Judge Van Valkenburgh reserved sentence. Among those indicted was R. J. Bolles

of Jacksonville, Fla., president of the

company. Martin and Borders are the

first to answer to the indictments. Thousands of Chicago women had their real experience with the ballot box and took part in the actual nomination of candidates for the city council. In wards in which women candidates were running in opposition to men for places in the city council, the women candidates toured the wards and hustled for votes in approved political fashion. A snowstorm earente Vergara, an American ranch, ly in the day delayed many voters, and

> the primaries. Five of the eight women candidates were unopposed. The conviction of Former Police Lieutenant Charles Becker of New York City of the murder of the gamtrial, but it seems probable that he the northern outskirts of the city. will go free without facing a second ordeal. It was made known that District Attorney Charles S. Whitman believes that under the prevailing opinion handed down by the court, conviction a second time will be impossible. The others convicted with Becker were not sustained in their appeal,

and must go to the electric chair. Yielding to persons who have faith in ages old superstition the authori-Governor Slaton of Georgia has ap- ties of Aurora, Ill., have photographed pointed William Stanley West of Val- the eyes of Theresa Hollander. State's walked out into the reception room, ture was not revealed by the state's saw that the newspapers were all rep- attorney. Neither did he say whether resented and spoke on word: "West!" it would be introduced as evidence in clubbing to death of Miss Hollander in a cemetery.

There were no indications at Robinsville, Miss., of trouble between the whites and negroes after the race riot, mits he informed the British naval in which Morris Love, white, and two of Admiral Dewey. The admission was shots two negroes were killed. The made in the course of a further narra- white men treated when their ammunifled.

The commanders of the German cruiser Dresden has shipped to the various powers, in which Admiral Died- German legation in Mexico City two machine guns and 40,000 rounds of Miss Maud McLure Kelly of Bir- ammunition. Accompanying the shipmingham. Ala., was admitted to prac- ment went asquad of sailors from the tice before the Supreme court on mo- Dresden in civilian dress. This step was taken after Gen. Gustave Maas, commander of the federal forces at

#### Washington.

The senate committee on agriculture and forestry has submitted a favorable report on the bill introduced by Senator Smith of South Carolina to regulate the selling of cotton. The bill, year's sentence on the chaingang fol- designed to reform the rules and regulations of the New York and New Orleans cotton exchanges, would re- outside world. Estimated damage to \$311,492,057, an increase of nearly selves, or feed only a portion of the quire any person or corporation in the telephone wires alone within a radius \$840,000 over the bill as it was re- household, or who feed chaff rather with being accesssory after the fact making of an offer for future delivery of 20 miles of Wilmington is \$18,000. ported by the postoffice committee. than bread, even the true bread of life, in the murder of Mary Phagan by Leo of cotton, to specify the grade or the grades contracted for in each contract, such grades to be in accord- for operating the light and power ser- post rates, zones or weights were de- be judged and that suddenly. smiled when he was told by his at ance with United States government vice for Burlington, Graham, Haw feated. standardization. The bill requires the length of the staple shall be stipulated.

All attempts to limit the authority was principal were not illumined by of the postmaster general to change the weight, rates or zones in the par-Atlanta was in the grip of the most | cel post service were defeated in the

Assurances have been received in Washington that the Canadian Pacific railroad has no intention of attempting out only a small part of Florida ing to evade the provision of the Panand possibly a few isolated spots here ama canal act barring railroad-owned ships from the canal. With this assurance came a further declaration that the Canadian Pacific would not send The recent heavy snowfall already its fleets through the canal even if has cost New York City nearly one there were no question about its right million dollars, and were it not for to do so, because the company's offithe probability that rain and warmer cials could see no advantage in changweather will help out, the city's bill ing present routes across the Atlantic

Warning that unless the postmaster "Keep on praying," replied the mayor. man of the postoffice committee, who The French chamber of deputies declared the postoffice department voted an appropriation of \$400,000 to was running riot in the matter of parprovide for official French participa- cel post business, and that the govof incendiaries, and business of this 2 in favor of a verdict for the plain bill has still to go to the senate, came in debate on the annual postof-

Substitution of a year's course in would be valuable.

## OF INTEREST TO ALL NORTH

CAROLINA PEOPLE.

Military School for Salisbury. A \$100,000 plant in the way of grounds and buildings for a military WASHINGTON OFFICIALS REschool is in sight for Salisbury. In a mass meeting of interested citizens was held recently and over \$30,000 in cash raised, 5,000 more pledged and when the \$35,000 are raised friends of the new educational institution will donate \$10,000 more, with \$5,000 additional thrown in for good measure, making \$50,000 in cash. The value of the lands, donated largely Died From Bullet Wounds in Stomach. by Thomas J. Jerome, of Salisbury, is estimated at \$50,000. At the head is a movement fostered by many suffrage Dr. A. S. Ford of Alabama. For a leaders kept hundreds from voting at number of years he has been president of the Alabama State Normal. He is now in Salisbury working with the local business and professional men in organizing the school. He has an enviable reputation as an educator and has aroused much enthusiasm over the new school to be located state capital. He is entitled to a new near the Salisbury Country Club, on

Drainage Subject is Settled. Creek drainage assessment recommended by the assessment committee of the drainage commission resulted in a new tack in the matter. The commission agreed to appoint three men and to let them confer with three men named by the property argument in the meeting.

#### \$50,000 For Eyes.

brought in the Buncombe County Suagainst the Southern Railway Company, for damages in the sum of \$50,-The plaintiff asks for damages under the Federal employers' liability act, alleging that he lost the sight of both eyes through no rault of his own.

#### Wilmington Has 33,000.

lice about two thirds complete, it is announced by the health department that the indications are that Wilmington has a population of about 33,000 people, which is a gain of about 4,000 over last year.

No Veal in Asheville. Veal will be eliminated from the bills of fare of several of the local

### NORTH CAROLINA BRIEFS.

mont Railrway & Electric Co., built postmaster general to regulate parcel that each bond-servant shall likewise River and Mebane and the trolley line county, began operation recently.

tioned for one, the profits of which cents an hour. would go to the relief fund and betterment work of the association. Prior to their request the commissioners had turned down the request

hold a carnival. While asleep in their country shack near Castle Haynes, a few miles north of Wilmington, Maggie Harold, her two sons and a grandson were burned to death with no one near to know of their tragic fate. It was not until 11 o'clock next morning, when Josh Moore, a negro, passed the place and the outside world learned of the

Division Passenger Agent James H. Wood of the Southern Railway Company has gone to Jacksonville, Fla., to spend the month of March boosting Western North Carolina as a tourist resort.

The Morgan block at Mebane recently cut up into lots and sold at public auction brought \$10,440. The prices ranged from \$200 for several of the business lots to \$3,800 for the home place. It is planned to build several business houses on this block in the near future, one or more of which amy be used in connection with the growing tobacco business.

president of the North Carolina Building and Loan League, recently delivered an address at Orlando, Fla. He will visit several Florida cities The first arrest in connection with the recent robbery, murder and arson at Barber's Junction was' made at Bear Poplar, Rowan county, when Deputy R. B. Harris took into custody Rufe Bailey, negro on the charge of being an accomplice of an unknown

Mr. E. L. Keesler, of Charlotte,

said, is a sin. negro who is believed to have been the robber and murdered. Officers say that they believe Bailey knows the guilty person.

# BENTON, UNARMED,

CEIVE INFORMATION THAT BENTON WAS KILLED.

#### SURGEON EXAMINES BODY

-It is Thought When Facts Are Known, England Will Merely "Docket the Case."

Washington. - William S. Benton. the British subject slain at Juarez, was unarmed and wa sshot to death in Villa's office, pistol bullets through ers have perverted it or else "overly the stomach ended his life, according to conclusive information which has reached Washington officials. While no statement to this effect was forthcoming, slackening of official interest in the proposed post mortem of Ben- whole denominations have been found-The demur of property owners of ton's body was evident, the belief be- ed. Mecklenburg county to the Sugar ing that the examination would be useful only in that it might serve to supplement the eveidence of timid witnesses who possibly otherwise would

withdraw their oral statements. Benton carried no arms when he approached Villa's office in Juarez, according to information; he spent two owners in th selection of another hours waiting for the interview that commission of five to arrive at a sat- ended in his death, walking back and his absence (H. Pet. 3:11, 12 R. V., Tiisfactory assessment to raise the fund forth in front of the office building; he tus 2:13; H. Tim. 4:8). Thus to be required to complete the work begun was shot through the stomach after in the creek bottom. This decision he entered the office and received othwas reached following two hours of er wounds afterward, although the remember, however, that the child first was mortal.

Asheville.—One of the largest dam- were issued by the State and War rather to be in such relations with God age suits for personal injuries ever | Departments to their representatives | as his rights demand and thus to bring at El Paso. It is realized that local to others their highest good. This parperior Court is that of Mr. T. Steele, conditions must determine the details able epitomizes opportunity. Rightly formerly employed as an engineer, and only broad lines were drawn in to make use of none's opportunities the directions.

## Carranza Objects to Examination.

British subject executed by General v. 35; I. Pet. 1:13. Jesus knocks at the commission composed of American he comes 'twill be to be present at a With the work of taking the census and British Government representa- feast, v. 36. We cannot contract this of the city by the county sanitary po- tives pending the outcome of an ex- time and there is no call to service tochange of notes between General Car- morrow. Lions girt, ready for the batranza, chief of the Mexican Constitu- tle or for the race, and lamps burntionalists and the United States Gov- ing, (light is always the result of some-

Great Britain instead of the United States should deal with him concernthat all communications on internathotels. Asheville stewards who are ional affairs first should be addressed thou this parable unto us, or even unmembers of the International Stew- to him, instead of to General Villa to all?" That which follows is his anards' Association having received let- or any other subordinate, injected a swer to that question but it is also a ters from the office of the organization new complication into the situation continuance of the teaching just given. at Chicago requesting that they cease and the expedition to Chihuahua, ar- In this part Jesus refers to stewards to serve veal for an indefinite length | ranged to start from El Paso was post- | (bond-servants) that it is their su-

Senate Approves Big Bill. Wilmington emerged from one of the largest appropriation bill ever to season his portion of the father's the worst freezes of the season, the meet the approval of either house of bountiful grace. John 21:15-17: I. Pet. city for 24 hours being entirely cut off | congress, when it sent to conference | 5:2; Jer. 3:15. There are many defrom wire communication with the the postoffice measure carrying ceitful servants who first feed them-The new power station of the Pied- All efforts to limit the power of the I. Pet. 2:2; 4:10, 11. Jesus teaches us

Increases of salary from \$200 to here presents to us the fact that we and the cotton mills of Alamance \$500 were inserted for railway mail shall all be judged. That the measure division superintendents, assistant su- of our reward or of our punishment The city commissioners have decid- perintendents and chief clerks; rural is dependent upon the measure of our ed adversely to having a carnival in mail carriers received an increase of knowledge and of our opportunity, Greensboro. The association of po- \$100 a year on standard routes; and James 4:17. To him to whom much licemen and deputy sheriffs had peti- sub carriers and clerks from 30 to 40 is given, of him shall much be re-

Chief Justice Gary's Son Drowned. Lexington, Va.-Ernest Gary, the 17-year-old son of Chief Justice Eu- by our lives of service. There are of of the firemen to be permitted to gene B. Gary of the South Carolina course many other phases of service ington and Lee University was out der to fulfill our service we must enter ginia Military Institute, when he de- reign, and those who enter into that cided to see if the ice was thick fellowship, who are faithful, he will too far and fell into 12 feet of water. him and in doing so went under.

> Theodore Lacy Found Guilty. Montgomery, Ala.-Theodore Lacy on trial here in superior court for the acts of our Lord when he shall return. the alleged embezzlement of \$50,000 It seems astonishing that he shall comof state funds, was found guilty, when | pel those whom he finds watching to the jury reported at 12 o'clock after seat themselves that he may gird himbeing out only 45 minutes. The jurp | self and serve them. Here we gird retired at 10:12 o'clock following a ourselves that we may serve him by lengthy charge by Judge Armistead serving others (Matt. 25:40). But in Brown, which occupied two hours in

In addition to hi sregular charge, Judge Brown made numerous special dient servants. This is a suggestion charges at the request of the various of the exceeding grace mentioned by atterneys.

Says All Should Wed. Chicago.-Rev. John Gardner of the New England Congregational church declared that every normal man and The Kingdom of God is not in eating woman should wed, but for a woman and drinking but consists of righteousto marry just to obtain a home, he ness and peace and joy in the Holy

Girls to Show Proper Tango. Rev. Geo. Probst, of St. Paul's Episco- is only the result of the most criminal pal church, several girls will show to shortsightedness. A clear apprehenchurch members the "proper" way to sion of the fact of the imminence of dance the tango.

## INTERNATIONAL WAS SHOT TO DEATH SUNDAY SCHOOL

#### LESSON FOR MARCH 8

#### WATCHFULNESS.

(Temperance Lesson.) LESSON TEXT-"Luke 12:35-48. GOLDEN TEXT-"Blessed are those servants whom the Lord when he cometh shall find watching."-Luke 12:37.

The words of Jesus are the greatest authority the believer has upon which to found his belief in the Second Coming. Some refuse to have much to do with this important theme because othemphasized it" yet in the 260 chapters in the New Testament there are 318 distinct references to this theme, a far greater proportion than is placed upon some of the doctrines upon which

#### Relative Value.

1. The exhortation to watch, vv. 35-40. This is the beginning of a new paragraph. Jesus has been showing the relative value of material possessions and the Kingdom of God and epitomizes his teaching in v. 34. He now sets before his disciplines what shall their attitude towards him during watchful seems to contradict his suggestions about anxiety. We need to of the Kingdom is in entirely new General instructions as to the meth- relationship with the world. His od of investigation to be pursued desire is not for self enrichment but spells happiness for the disciple when he the king shall appear. The evidence that we are watching for his appear-Washington. - No examination of ing consists of the readiness of the inthe body of William S. Benton, the dividual who is or is not watching, Villa at Juarez, will be made by the individual heart (Rev. 3:20) but when thing being consumed), are today's vis-General Carranza's declaration that ible evidence of continuous service.

## Peter's Question. II. The explanation to Peter, vv. ing the death of a British subject, 41-48. Between this parable and the coupled with the broad intimation one which follows, Peter interrupts by asking the question, "Lord, speakest preme business to seek the Kingdom by selling in order to give. The one work of a servant is to give to the Washington.-The senate passed members of an household, each in due

III. The exhortation. Jesus Christ quired. Our present responsibility is that of being ready for the coming of the King and of his Kingdom. The expression of that readiness is evidenced supreme court, was drowned while not included in this parable, but our testing ice on a pond one mile from Lord is emphasizing opportunity, stew-Lexington. Gary, a student at Wash- ardship, service, watchfulness. In orwalking with Cadet Smith of the Vir- into fellowship with the king in his enough to hold him. He ventured reward vv. 37, 43. The measure of our punishment is conditioned upon the Smith made a brave attempt to rescue | measure of our knowledge (v. 48) and our knowledge can be enlarged as we use our opportunities.

IV. The Golden Text, (v. 37). Is intended to fix our attention upon the that tomorrow the day of his victory, he will gird himself and serve those who have been watchfulness and obe-

the Apostle Paul, Rom. 11:33. V. The Temperance Lesson is suggested by the conduct of those who are not watching for the King's appearing (v. 45). They were indulging in the animal pleasures of the moment. Spirit, Rom. 14:17. The effect of intemperance on the death rates, on the next generation, from an economic Patchogue, N. Y.—At the request of standpoint or viewed from any angle, his return would change all lives.