IMPORTANT NEWS THE WORLD OVER

Happenings of This and Other Nations For Seven Days Are Given.

THE NEWS OF THE SOUTH

What is Taking Place in the Southland Will Be Found in Brief Paragraphs.

American and Mexican delegates to the peace conference at Niagara Falls, Ont, signed the first protocol between the United States and Mexico. It provides that a government shall be United States.

When the word reached Washington that the first peace protocol had been signed the members of President Wilson's cabinet were jubilant.

The next proposition to be taken up by the mediators at Niagara is the choosing of a successor to General The rebel delegates are on their way

Falls, Ont., having been sent there by orders of General Carranza. Texas is now harvesting its grain erop. According to reports from the

that the state has ever known.

women of the Confederacy was erect- this court made the sentence death. ed at Raleigh, N. C. The state of Texas has ousted the

Pierce Oil Corporation from the state. This is the result of prosecutions against corporations, charging violation of the state's anti-trust law. "dry" navy order issued by

Secretary Daniels, which abolished the wine mess on board American warships, will go in to effect July 1st. Kermit Roosevelt, son of former the archives in Washington. President Rooseevelt, was married to

Miss Belle Wyatt Willard, in Madrid, The death of former Vice President

Adlia Stevenson is momentarily exweeks in a Chicago hospital.

age is reported as the result of a Lawrence, Chaleuer Bay and Straits forgery. of Northumberland.

The estate of the late Pierpont Morgan has been increased by several property that it was not known he

diate resignation. Stackable, it is said, has insisted that he will not vacate the office unless he is dismissed.

As the result of experiments, the United States Department of Agrithat eggs can be mailed by parcel

John M. Dunn, a United States lant conduct in recovering a seaman settled. from drowning at the Mare Island Navy yard, California, in March. Dunn s a native of New Orleans. Eight lives were lost and a score of

persons injured in a fire which destroyed a tenement house in the East Side of New York City. The entire country from one end

to the other has been suffering from record-breaking heat. Highest temperatures are reported from all directions. Mercury climbs steadily in the Southern states, establishing new records this year.

The edict has gone forth that it is the president's wish that the house go on record within a few days either for or against national prohibition. Representative Cantrell of Kentucky has offered a resolution providing for a ten hours debate, after which a vote will amend the federal Constitution. Nine hundred million bushels of

wheat, which is almost half of the average world's wheat production, and a new record for the United States, is the prospective total yield of the farms of the country this year, the departments of agriculture announced in its June crop report just issued. The enormous crop will be 137,000,-000 bushels more than ever was grown year. Excellent year for the growing his wife and daughters. crop and an increase of 6.4 per cent. sponsible. There also will be large in that state was defeated. yields of oats and barley, probably The little country of Albania is

tling up of Tampico harbor.

The United States delegates to the resentatives.

Seven were killed and a dozen were injured when a tornado swept through received at Sioux City.

ene in the public schools.

Much anxiety is being fest for the safety of the occupants of three balloons that left Portland, Oregon, and later encountered a terrific storm. The balloons were contestants in the annual national race.

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According to estimates made by Secretary McAdoo the government income for the fiscal year ending June 30 will be about thirty million dollars. There will be about ten million dollars less this year than last year. The new French cabinet lasted but

The Yaqui and Pima Indians are reported to have been fighting each other according to reports reaching Douglas, Arizona.

With a rush the house Friday passed the amended Panama canal tolls exemption repeal bill, and all that remains to be done is for the president to affix his signature.

T. B. Jones, a lawyer of Chicago, has been mentioned as governor of established to be recognized by the the federal bank reserve board, and man for provisional president, acceptit is thought probable that his name able to all factions in Mexico and forwill be sent along with the other ap- eign governments generally - was pointees by the president to the sen- reached in a conference between the

It has been repeatedly asserted by Mexican delegates. leavers of reform movements and the police officiais of the city of Chicago that organized vice has been driven but on none was there a semblance out of the city. The reform organiza | of agreement. There will be another tions of that city have been carrying conference on the same subject. Deto the peace conference at Niagara on crusades extending over a period tails of the peace plan are practically of nearly two years.

In Korea, Tomitaro Watanabe, was finding the man of the hour-he who tried and given a life sentence on the charge of murdering Dr. Edgar De and maintain peace while a constitugrain belt it will be the largest crop Mott Stryker, an American surgeon. The convicted man appealed his case | der is resumed. A monument to the North Carolina to the superior court of Korea and

The question of woman suffrage ocin session in Chicago.

The Mexican war veterans while in instructions. session at Chillicothe, Ohio, resolved to recover from Mrs. Moore Murdock on the note. It contains no reference of Alabama data and relics which she to an armistice, on which the mediais said to now have in her possession, tors have been insisting and there was in order that they may be placed in nothing to show that the mediators

ject of Vice President Thomas R. Mar- the representatives of General Carran-Spain. Miss Willard is a daughter of shall's address to the graduating class za unless an armistice was declared. the United States embassador to of the University of Maine at Orona, Some other way of dealing with them Maine.

An Atlanta policeman has made the discovery that the automobile which pected. He has been ill for several he recently purchased from an automobile dealer, was stolen property. A loss of life and considerable dam- However, the man who sold it to the auto dealer is now being held by the storm which swept the Gulf of St. Atlanta authorities on the charge of

Congress is now facing one of the most bitter struggles that has been witnessed in the house for many years million as the result of the fact that when the Hobson amendment is forced he owned a considerable puantity of to a vote. This amendment is the na-

tional prohibition issue. The United States has determined E. F. Stackable, collector of the port that Huerta shall be entirely eliminatof Honolulu, has received a telegram ed in the formation of a new governfrom William G. McAdoo, Secretary ment for Mexico. It is even hinted of the Treasury, requesting his imme- that the American representative at the peace conferenc at Niagara Falls will insist that the new provincial pres- International Fleet of World's Navies ident be sympathetically inclined toward the rebel movement.

Officials of Washington await in culture at Washington has announced anxious suspense word from the peace national fleet of warships from Hampthat the dictator be allowed to name canal by passing through on the seaman on board the Amphitrite, has his successor, for it is believed in bridge of the world-famous old battlebeen awarded a silver life saving med; Washington, D. C., that there is a pos- ship Oregon as leader of the long al by the United States Treasury sibility of a disruption of the peace line of fighting craft of all nations Department at Washington, for gal- plans if this question is not amiably and then after proceeding northward,

fight in the senate was won by the Panama Pacific Exposition at San anti-subsidy forces. The Simmons- Francisco. Norris amendment declaring the United States waives no rights over the Panama canal was adopted in the senate by a vote of 50 to 24.

John W. Coombs, baseball player on the Philadelphia-American team, was nominated for state senator by the York county Progressives of Maine.

A jewelry store of San Francisco was ent later date. entered, the safe opened and \$30,000 worth of unmounted gems were taken, also \$200 in cash. A clerk formerly employed in the store was reported missing the day following the theft.

Nathan Cohen may be known as the man without a country unless some nation accepts him at their port. He be taken on the Hobson resolution to was found in the United States and deported to Brazil as an undesirable alien. They refused him. Then he was sent to his native country, Russia, but they would not have him. Now he is the guest of the Ocean Steamship line that carried him to Russia. In the meanwhile the United States Immigration officials are considering his

The will of Alexander E. Orr, merchant, banker and rapid transit pioneer of New York, leaves the bulk of before in the United States in one of his estate of five million dollars to

The bill introduced into the Louisiin the acreage planted to wheat are re- ana legislatur eto permit horse racing

second in size, in the history of the having its troubles. The insurrectoes are crying for the withdrawal of Washington officials breathed easier Prince William of Weid., George Fred when they learned Huerta had chang- Williams, American minister to ed his mind with regard to the bot- Greece, has offered his services as

disinterested mediator. According to reports from Washingpeace conference at Niagara Falls, ton, D. C., immigrants have been ar-Ont, have tendered their plans for the riving at American ports during the establishment of a government in past ten months at the race of more Mexico. It is said to be similar to than twenty-nine hundred per week, the one offered by the A B C envoys, and it is the belief of the immigration which was accepted by Huerta's rep- officials that if this number is continued the year of 1914 will establish

a record. Australia is planning to have an a portion of Iowa according to reports exhibit at the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco. Neil Nelson, The education committee of the Lon- the Australian commission, has ardon, England, county council have de- rived in Washington to make arrangecided to bar the teaching of sex hygiments for the admittance of the exhibits from his country.

MEXICO WANTS MAN ACCEPTABLE TO ALL

SELECTION OF A SUITABLE PRO-VISIONAL IS PROBLEM OF MEDIATORS.

SOME NAMES ARE DISCUSSED

No Agreement Has Yet Been Reached-The Task is a Difficult One and Causing Work.

Niagara Falls, Ont .- The crux of the Mexican problem, the selection of a mediators and the American and

For more than an hour names of various individuals were discussed can reconcile the warring factions tional election is held and normal or-

Incidentally General Carranza's note transmitted by Rafael Zubaran, his representative in Washington, arrived cupied most of the sessions of the Na- advising the mediators that Constitutional Association of Women's Clubs tionalist delegates were on their way to the mediation conference with full

had in any way altered their determi-"Intellectual Bravery" was the sub- nation reached not to admit officially perhaps through the American dele-

gates, may be found when they arrive. The Constitutionalist representatives are needed here to facilitate the course of the peace program in its present stages for in the discussion of names they can be of mush servire

who will, or will not be acceptable.

At present the mediators have accomplished only one step in their first protocol dealing with the transfer of authority from the hands of the present regime to a new provisional government.

WILSON WILL LEAD WAY.

Will Pass Through in March, 1915. Washington-President Wilson next March personally will lead the Interconference as to whether the Huerta ton Roads to Colon to participate in delegates will withdraw their demands the formal opening of the Panama enter the Golden Gate at the head of The first round in the canal tolls the immense armada and attend the

This announcement was made by Secretary Daniels. Originally the president was to go from Washington to Hampton Roads to greet commanders of the International fleet as they arrived. Afterward he was to make the trip by rail to San Francisco to visit the exposition at some conveni-

The president, however, has determined now to do full honor to the exposition by making his advent on the scene at the head of an armada, the like of which the world has never seen. Also he will redeem his longstanding promise to Col. George W. Goethals to formally open the Panama canal.

The president, according to the present program, will leave Washington for Hampton Roads, accompanied by his official family, on the yacht Mayflower, March 5, 1915. The international fleet will have been gathering in hte Roads since January 1.

May Put in White Man. Washington.-James B. Lloyd, ot Tarboro, is slated for recorder of recorder of deeds office. Mr. Lloyd lived in Illinois for several years and has just recently returned to North Carolina.

Examine School Children.

Wilmington. - Announcement was made by Dr. Charles Wardell Stiles, professor in charge of the Marine hospital here, that the physical examination of school children of this city would be continued during the summer months. Last summer several hundred children were examined and in connection with the annual conventheir agents must stop operations in during the past winter mental examin- tion of the North Carolina Medical So- this state until the attorney general ations of practically all the school ciety in session three days in Raleigh. passes upon their methods under the children of the city were made. There The examination of 50 applicants for "blue sky act" of the last legislature. will be 17 medical men engaged upon licenses to practice pharmacy in this He says he finds that very many peothis work all the summer.

PITTSBORO, CHATHAM COUNTY, N. C., JUNE 17, 1914.

COMMEMORATES COURAGE AND DEVOTION OF WOMEN OF THE CONFEDERACY.

LATE STATE CAPITOL NEWS

Around the State Capitol That Will Be of Interest to Our Readers Over North Carolina. Raleigh.

to the state were carried out. The and thereafter, \$4,100,000.

Horne and the state.

Regiment Band furnished music. theme being "The Spirit, Character 1922-23 is reached.

women of the Confederacy. monument to the state, addressing 315 minus \$10,000, or \$57,315. Governor Craig for this purpose. He paid a most fitting tribute to Ashley North Carolina Editors Prepare. Horne who made the monument possible, depicting him as having loved the South and especially North Carolina and having admired most of all that type of life found in the South-

The speech of acceptance was by to mediation generally by indirating Governor Locke Craig, who declared that the state accepts it with most grateful appreciation as the tribute journey toward the pacification of the Confederacy. The statue, he said, Mexico. This was the adoption of the is an epic with heroism and devotion as its theme.

Prepare Instruction Camp.

The city of tents which will accommodate the hundreds of young men from various Southern colleges and in the United States army under the auspices of the war department will Mountain, a message from Robert O. by citizens of Wilmington. Van Horn, chief of staff, bearing the latter part of the week for Asheville.

the drainage of the land, electricians of the wires, construction men will for the beginning of the maneuvres Wilmington. everything will be in readiness for Southern high school, college and university graduates who are desirious of taking training under competent instructors assigned to duty at Asheville by the war department.

Craig Names Board of Election. W. J. Davis, Hendersonville, and Clar- bushels an acre. ence Call, Wilkesboro. Colonel Lamb contines chairman of the board. Mr. Claywell has served several terms as secretary. Mr. Call represent the Republicans and Mr. Davis the Progres-

Secretary Issues New Charters. The Bobbett-Forbes Warehouse by A. V. Bobbitt and others.

Evidence in the McArthur Case. The defense completed the taking handwriting expert.

Medical Examinations On. The State Board of Medical Exam-Hayes of Oxford is chairman of the tee on standard form of life policies board and the work will not be com- of the National Association of Insurpleted for several days, the names ance Commissioners, served notice on of those successful to be announced certain land concerns that they and state is now on.

State's Share in Smith-Lever Act. Washington-The maximum amount North Carolina can receive under the Smith-Lever Co-Operative Agricultural Extension act for the fiscal year 1914-15 is \$10,000; for 1915-16, \$32,953; 1916-17, \$52,081. For 1917-18, 1918-19, 1919-20, 1920-21 and 1921-22 and each year the amount of \$19,127 to the total for the immediately preceding year. For 1922-23 and thereafter

\$166,846 wil be provided. The act provides that each state must duplicate all Federal money above \$10,000 a year. In explaining the appropriation the

department of agricultures - ays: The act first appropriates \$480,000 annually, beginning with 1914-15, and gives each state \$10,000 for each fiscal Review of the Latest News Gathered year as a basic fund.

The act then appropriates additional Federal moneys to be distributed in the proportion of rural population. To share in these additional fnuds the state must dpulicate the additional With twelve hundred Confederate money thus received. The additional veterans and 1,000 or more Daughters appropriations are as follows: 1915of the Confederacy taking part, the 16, \$600,000; 1916-17, \$1,100,000; ceremonies for the unveiling of the 1917-18, \$1,600,000; 1918-19, \$2,100,-Horne monument to the North Caro- 000; 1919-20, \$2,000.000; 1920-21-, \$3,lina women of the Confederacy given 100,000; 1921-22, \$3,600,000; 1922-23,

veterans were here in annual reunion | It will be noticed that after 1915-16 and joined in fine tribute to the the total appropriation is increased women of the South exemplified in each year by \$500,000. The fifth the magnificent gift to the state that column in the table shows the amount set aside now for the greater task of testifies the appreciation of Mr. of each additional \$500,000 that the state is entitled to receive. To get The exercises began in the auditor- the amount that any state is entitled ium at 11 o'clock with an invocation to receive for any fiscal year from by Rev. A. E. Osborne, late colonel of 1917 to 1922 add the amount given in the Fourth North Carolina Regiment, the table to the total for the immedi-Confederate Sates Army. The Third ate preceding year. Example: Alabama, in 1917-18 will receive \$49,404 Dr. D. H. Hill, president of the A. plus \$17,911 equals \$67,315; for 1918-& M. College and son of General D. H. 19 Alabama will receive \$67,315 plus Hill of the Confederate Army, deliver- \$17,911 equals \$85,226; and so on until ed the address for the occasion, his the maximum given under the column

and Deeds of the North Carolina Wo- The totals for each state contain dealt with conditions which he declar- court's proceedings and while they men of the Confederacy." It was an the basic \$10,000 granted each year. ed existed in this territory and such toiled laboriously and fought tactfulinspiring story of the heroism and To-obtain the amount that the state as affected the proposition of rate ly and gave up hopefully, they failed sacrifices made by the North Carolina would have to duplicate in any year making. He arraigned the contention to find a flaw upon which the court to receive its entire Federal quota, of Mr. E. J. McVan, the noted rate ex- would open up to them the avenue of At the monument J. A. Long, chair- subtract \$10,000 from the total. Ex- pert of Omaha, Neb., who had argued opportunity for saving the life of their man of the Memorial Commission, in ample: The amount Alabama would that the C. C. & O. route should be the client. brief, fitting remarks, presented the have to duplicate in 1917-18 is \$67,- basis for fixing the standard rate into

President Clarence Poe of the North Carolina Press Association made public the completed program for the North Carolina Press Association to be in session at Wrightsville Beach, June 24 to 26. The president's address will have for its theme "The Editor as a Crusader." Bion H. Butler of The Raeford Journal will have of a knightly soldier to the women of a paper, "North Carolina Slopping Over With Opportunities; What Can the Press Do in Developing Them." President Graham of the State Uni-

terize the first morning session. universities during the time that they The Monroe Journal will deliver the For the purpose of familiarizing him was near except his lawyers.

information that Captains Day and ed at the session of the editors Thurs- nied by Dr. M. H. Fletcher. Brown with their troops will leave the day morning. And during the after-

Fine Wheat At Farm. The state department of agriculture received from the farm of the Central Hospital for the Insane specimens of measuring five to six inches long, es. | land of Salisbury is president. Governor Craig announces the ap- pecially well filled out. There are pointment of the state board of electory three varieties, purple straw, fulcostion at his home near Statesville as Overman and Charles M. Thompson tions as follows: Wilson G. Lamb, ter and red wonder. The farm super- the result of being struck by a falling of Davidson county, that Blakeslee Williamston; R. C. Claywell, Morgan- intendent expects the wheat crop to tree. Mr. Hatchett was in the woods was trying to find an excuse to take ton; J. B. Underwood, Fayetteville; thrash out an average of 40 or more on his place when the accident oc- the \$10,000 away from our allotment.

Little Tobacco Sold in May. Only five leaf tobacco markets in North Carolina reported leaf tobacco sales on warehouse floors for the month of May, according to the report of the state board of agriculture just issued. These were Reidsville, 116,-956 pounds; Winston-Salem, 67,218; Company, Greensboro, capital \$25,- Durham, 25,620; Mount Airy, 454, and 000 authorized and \$1,100 subscribed Stoneville, 350 pounds. The sales for May, 1913, were 26,704 pounds.

Oil Painting of Ashley Horne. In presiding for the ceremony of unof evidence in the Federal court trial veiling and presenting to the state deeds of the District of Columbia, if of the noted cas of Citizen's Bank of the oil painting of Ashley Horne, the Democrats can prize Henly Lin- Norfolk vs. Adam McArthur and Mrs. Mrs. M. A. Winstead of Rocky Mount coln Johnson, negro, out of that place M. E. McArthur involving the genuine- delivered an especially eloquent adand keep another negro from getting ness of \$25,000 in notes held by the dress in which she declared this one it. It has been understood for some bank against the defendants and it is of the proudest days for the women of time that Mr. Wilson's campaign man- expected that the case will go to the the state in all the history of North agers promised negro leaders in jury soon. This is the second trial Carolina and especially so for the Unidoubtful states to keep a negro in the the first one some months ago, having ted Daughters of the Confederacy, and resulted in a hung jury. Much of the that the ceremonies of the unveiling time was taken up with the examina- of the monument just witnessed was tion of David N. Carvalho, the famous one of the most imposing and beautiful ever held at the state capital, a

> James R. Young Gives Warning. Commissioner of Insurance James iners began the examination of 150 R. Young, before leaving for New York applicants for licenses to practice to attend important meetings of the medicine in this state. Dr. Benjamin executive committee and the commitple continue to become the victims.

OF INTEREST TO ALL NORTH CAROLINA PEOPLE.

B. Y. P. U. Elects Officers.

The annual convention of the North

Carolina Baptist Young People's Union adojurned at Ralegh to meet next year at Mount Airy. Officers were elected for the next year as follows: Presdient, L. Bunn Olive, Apex; vicepresidents, W. G. Privtt, Washington, W. C. Barrett, Gastonia, W. M. Gilmore, Louisburg, G. T. Page, Lumberton, R. G. Kendrick, Greensboro; recording secretary, Miss Beulah Bowden. Mars Hill; treasurer, L. F. Foust, Raleigh: auditor, L. R. Norris, Raleigh. This was the final day of the convention and, like the two preceding days, was taken up largely with addresses and special discussions on phases of union and personal work along the lines of B. Y. P. U. service. This morning W. H. Weatherspoon of Laurinburg made an address on teach- the tragic chapter of his trial for the ing that can be done in the union work. Rev. Theo. B. Davis, of Zebu- been written in the court records of lon, told "How to Insure the Life of this county. The young man was sena Union."

Jockey With Rates. the Carolina territory from the coal

Prepare For Tourist Season. the largest summer season in her his- fendant sprang from his seat at the tory is evidenced by the unusual prep- call and faced the bench. He was arations made by the hotels and the unflinching. His face showed a sickboarding house people, and by the ly pallor. In appearance he was transbooking of several trains for this city lated from an impetuous youth of the by the Southern Railway traffic de-

NORTH CAROLINA BRIEFS.

versity will discuss "Civil Service to provide \$25,000 for a monument to was as cool and composed as any Work; An Opportunity for the Press." be erected to Sir Walter Raleigh at man in the congested corridors of the Josephus Daniels will deliver an ad- Raleigh. The bill provides that the court house. He spoke without tremdress. All these features will charac- land upon which the statue is placed or; he was unsupported so far as must be donated. The design is to friends and relatives were involved. Wednesday night R. F. Beasley of be passed on by the secretary of war. No man who had lifted a voice for

are receiving instructions for service annual oration, his theme being "The himself with the work done by the His step-father was not in court. Tyranny of the Status Quo." The state convicts since his last visit to poem will be read by William Laurie Western North Carolina, Dr. Joseph begin to rise at the foot of Sunset Hill, this followed by a Dutch supper Hyde Pratt, state geologist, left for an inspection tour of the Asheville-Business problems will be consider- Charlotte highway. He was accompa-

The cattle quarantine in Lenoir noon there wil be trolley rides and county instituted by the United States Army engineers will prepare for bathing. Thursday night Editor Nor- and state departments of agriculture man Hapgood of Harper's Weekly, has resulted in the curtailment of will have supervision of the stringing will deliver his address and the gen- Kinston's beef supply. The chamber eral business of the convention round- of commerce has decided to ask the him in Postmaster General Burleson's arrange the tents and water and sew- ed up. On Friday there will be a trip departments and the county commis- office and discuss the \$10,000 that he er lines will be laid. By the date set down the Cape Fear on the steamer sioners to have dipping vats erected says Davidson county cannot have on the Duplin and Jones lines, so that because it has not met the requirecattle from those counties now debarred, may be shipped in.

> The thirteenth annual convention of the North Carolina Veterinary Medical Association will be held in the wheat from a 70-acre field that are chamber of commerce rooms in Wilespecially fine, the tallest bundle son, June 23 and 24. Dr. M. J. Rag-

curred. Two trees were being cut at the same time and while he was watching one tree the other struck The annual celebration at Guilford

be featured by the presence of Hon. Those counties have offered to put up W. H. Murray, widely known as "Al- the rest of the money for that \$100,falfa Bill" and at present a member of 000 project if Uncle Sam will give the United States Congress. By rea- them \$30,000. son of being chairman of the constitutional convention he is referred to as the father of Oklahoma's constitution. The following readustment of postoffice classification is announced. High point from second to first class;

Edenton, Louisburg and North Wilkes-A year ago the thought that an auto- for the entertainment of the editors at mobile would ever make the trip to the annual meeting of the North Carthe top of High Peak, 8 miles from olina Press Association which will be Morganton, would have been laughed | held here June 24 and 25. When Secat but today it can be made over one retary of Navy Daniels arrives he will of the finest roads in the state. High be met at the station by a special car Peak is one of the highest points in which will take him immediately to this section of the state, is several the beach, where he will speak the hundred feet higher than Battery Park | same morning. and gives a splendid view *

Solomon Godfrey was electrocuted at the Southern Power Company's substation at Lexington. A flash of Lewis, originator of the now famous lightning disabled the plant for a few Lewis long-staple cotton, has taken minutes and Godfrey, who was an employe of the Dacotah Cotton Mill, which is nearby, was helping to repair the damage.

completed there will be few streets in a prety good stand this year. the town that do not have concrete

STATE ITEMS TRULL WILL PAY DEATH PENALTY

\$1±00

\$1:50

MAN CONVICTED OF SWAIN MURDER SENTENCED TO ELECTRIC CHAIR.

JUDGE SHAW BREAKS DOWN

Dramatic Moments Marked Conclusion of Sensational Murder Trial Just Ended at Charlotte.

Charlotte.-"I'm awfully sorry for you," sobbed Judge Shaw as he spoke the words of death to Charles T. Trull at 6:40 o'clock after the final page in murder of the late Sidney Swain had tenced to be electrocuted August 14 between the hours of 6 a. m. and 4 p. m., for his mrime.

Mr. Lincoln Green, freight traffic Following the announcement of the manager of the Southern Railway and jury's verdict in the morning at 9 one of the foremost experts in the o'clock, the court had designated the country on the various elmnts enter- entire day for the counsel of the deing into th fabric of rate-making in fendant to do what it could do to offthis territory, spent practically all of set the outcome of the deliberations the day on the witness stand before of the jury. It was a task too monu-Special Examiner Richard Eddy, Jr., mental for human capacities and the of the interstate commerce commis- three men who have tried to stand sion, who is conducting the present between the fron hand of the law and general inquiry into the rate situation the life of this young man fell back as it relates to the transportation aghast before the work that was laid charges from the Appalachian coal out for them to do. They could not fields to the Carolinas. Mr. Green's stay the majestic movements of the testimony was largely technical and law, the inevitable consequence of the

With many motions swept away by Judge Shaw and no further ground left upon which the counsel for the unfortunate youth could plant its feet in behalf of his life, the court called That Waynesville is anticipating upon Trull to stand up. The defirst day's trial to a wrecked piece of human flesh. His eyes were sunk and hollowed, his color was hideous; his countenance was pallid; his hair was wrecked with perspiration, but his Senator Overman introduced a bill nerve abided. It never left him. He

FIGHT FOR ROAD MONEY.

Overman and Simmons Do Not Intend to Let Money Slip.

Washington. - Senators Overman and Simmons are going to the mat with Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Blakeslee. They will meet ments of the law, and which he now threatens to turn over to some other

"I do not intend to let that money leave North Carolina if I can prevent it," said Senator Simmons. "I told the Postmaster General the oth-J. W. Hatchet is in a serious condi- er day, in the presence of Senator Mr. Burleson said he would not let him do it."

It looks now as if the Forsyth-Davie-Iredell project would get the \$10,000 that Davidson has lost. This Battle Ground on July 4 this year will will make \$30,000 for that road.

Both Senator Overman and Simmons are in fighting mood.

Make Final Arrangements.

Wilmington.-At a meeting of the committee of local newspaper men third class to second class, Albemarle, and the entertainment committee of the Chamber of Commerce held recently, final arrangements were made

> Lewis Has Good Cotton. Gastonia.-For 18 years past E. P.

the measurement of the height of his cotton stalks on June 10 each year. On that date this year his highest stalk was 13 inches. Last year in The Statesville aldermen have pass- the same date the highest stalk was ed ordinances creating street im- 10 inches. The lowest it has been at provement districts on a number of any time within the 18 years was streets which have not yet been im- about six years ago when the tallest proved and concrete sidewalks will be stalk was only six and one-fourth laid on these at once. With this work | inches high. Mr. Lewis says he has