

the hands of the Muscovite army. the North Carolina legislature, sent Church chimes in every important city to Leavenworth, for using the mails and town in European Russia rang the air of the national anthem.

Addressing the house of commons, Sir Edward Grey, the English foreign minister, declared war is what Germany wanted and that the present struggle could have been entirely avoided had the hot-headed Teutons only been willing to hold a conference to settle all the disputes. He blames the entire situation on the kaiser's government.

Berlin declares that at the present time 810,000 soldiers of the Anglo-French and Russian forces are now held as prisoners by the Germans

A Belgian relief ship plying between Bruges and London was attacked by a German submarine and shattered.

Mulheim, in the duchy of Baden Baden, was bombarded in an aerial at- vasses by automobile and carriage tack by a French aviator. Bombs were and addressed the voters. The elec dropped on the city and the barracks, tion was for members of the lower wounding several soldiers.

The British ship Concord was blown up in the English channel by a German submarine.

Domestic

Vice President Marshall arrived at the Panama-Pacific exposition and delivered a brilliant speech dedicating the great fair as the personal representative of President Wilson and of the nation. The vice president declared the president to be the greatest peacemaker the world has known in profane history and the greatest executive of the United States since Abraham Lincoln.

A resolution just passed by the Hawaiian territorial council asks congress for a bill granting woman suffrage in Hawaii, and also to eliminate lish dramatist and novelist, died in the Japanese picture brides from the islands henceforth.

Another effort is now being made to save the life of Lieut. Charles Becker, formerly of the New York police Washington

force, sentenced to death for instigation of the murder of Herman Rosenthal. An appeal is made for re- church educational board in behalf of versal of the judgment of the second the new Emory university to be locattrial of Becker at which he was con- ed in the Georgian capital. victed as at the first.

Mrs. Mary Anna Jackson, widow of state department to request Minister "Stonewall" Jackson, the Confederate | Van Dyke at The Hague to protest forgeneral of the Civil war who fell in mally to the German government battle at Chancellorsville in 1863, died about the bomb attack by the German at her home at Charlotte, N. C., after aerial squadron on the Belgian relief a brief illness of pneumonia, at the commission boat, Elfland, sailing off age of 84 years. She is the author the Dutch coast.

of a biography of Gen. Thomas J. Jackson, her distinguished husband. structed the United States attorney Judge L. S. Roan of Atlanta, now in Porto Rico to institute libel proceed-

W. J. Nichols, a former member of to defraud, was arrested again on his release from the federal prison on a similar charge in South Carolina.

The Louisiana supreme court has barred the reading or recitation of the Bible or Lord's Prayer at the opening exercises in the public schools of Caddo parish. The decision resulted from protests brought against the use of the Bible by Catholics and against the use of the Lord's Prayer by Jews.

Foreign Perhaps the most exciting election in the history of the Japanese empire has just taken place. Women took an active part in the campaign. which is believed marks the begin ning of a movemen. for woman suf

frage in the flowery kingdom. The wives of candidates made active canhouse of the diet, which was dissolved on Christmas Day, 1914, by the mikado because it opposed the present cabinet ministry on its war policy with Germany and China. It is believed

the recent election will bring enough independents into the house to kill the effect of the opposition and so only a helmet. give control to the ministry, headed by Count Okuma.

Holland is reported to have asked Germany for an explanation regarding the seizure of certain Dutch steamers plying between North Sea coast ports. Advices from Tampico state that the Carranza and Villa troops are marching towards each other expecting to distress. meet in a battle about the vicinity of Victoria.

George H. Jessop, well known Eng-London. His best known books are "Desmond O'Connor" and "His American Wife."

Bishop Candler of Atlanta delivered an address before the Methodist

President Wilson has authorized the

Attorney General Gregory has in-

dead were said to have fallen at this would make special effort to get all ing these companies in evrey section

others were wounded. taxation on the books. Nafarrate said he would defend the

More Than \$70,000 War Tax. city to the limit. Four flags, cap-More than \$70,000 has been collecttured, floated in front of his headquarters, the band played in the plaza ed from the "special taxes" levied and men and women of Matamoros upon theaters, brokers, bowling al celebrated, filling the streets with leys, and dealers and manufacturers of tobacco under the "war emergency tax" in the North Carolina internal

One flag is inscribed "Second Brirevenue districts. gade, M. Chao." This battalion, the

The special taxes provide levies as Constitutionalists claimed, was almost the breastworks. Both Villa and Con- \$50. pawnbrokers; \$20, commercial that have troubled the treasurer for not assume a serious form until about follows: Twenty dollars on brokers; stitutionalist soldiers say three Villa brokers; \$10, customhouse brokers; troopers were killed carrying this flag. \$25, \$50, \$75 and \$100, theaters; \$10, Another flag is inscribed "Villa Bri- public exhibitions and shows; \$60, gade." These and the other two cap- bowling alleys, etc.; \$20, commission merchants; \$6, \$12, \$24 and \$48, tured banners were bloodstained. tobacco dealers; \$6, \$12, \$24, \$60 and

FRUITLESS WORK FOR F.4. Discovered Object Was Only Big cigars, \$2,496, manufacturers of cigar-Anchor .- Submarine Located. ettes.

Honolulu, T. H .- Three days search In North Carolina 3 . brokers pay for the lost United States submarine \$60; 15 pawnbrokers, \$750; 110 com-F-4 has resulted only in unfulfilled mercial brokers, \$2,200; 3 customhopes. Divers who went down the house brokers, \$30; 428 theaters, \$10, two cables thought to have been at- 700: 46 theaters, \$2,300; 18 theaters, tached to the submarine found the \$2,100; 9 theaters, \$900; 12 public heavy body was an old anchor, prob- exhibitions and shows, \$120; 136 bowlably lost by the battleship Oregon. ing alleys, pool rooms, billiard rooms, \$8,160; 51 commission merchants, \$1,-Diver Agraz, who went dow nthe 020; 120 \$6-dealers in leaf tobacco. cable attached to the anchor, wore \$720: 31 \$12-dealers in leaf tobacco, Diver Evans, who descended along \$252: 314 \$24-dealer sin leaf tobacco,

the second cable, reported that he \$7,536; 5,724 \$80-dealers in leaf tobacco, \$27,475.20; 16 manufacturers of found nothing. Agraz, whose descent to a depth of 215 feet is said to be tobacco. \$96; 6 manufacturers of ciga world's record, spent 22 minutes on ars. \$18: 1 manufacturer of cigars, the downward journey and nine and \$30; 1 manufacturer of tobacco, \$12; half minutes in the ascent. The ex- 2 manufacturers of tobacco, \$48; 4 perience apparently caused him no manufacturers of tobacco, \$600; 1 manufacture of cigars, \$2,496; 1 man-

The submarine F-4 has been located outside the harbor it was announced. total is \$70,479.20.

Portions of the superstructure have been brought to the surface. The The dredge California will shift moorings, tugs will criss-cross in all directions and an attempt wil be made to life the submarine.

Alabama Ordered to Hampton Roads. the recent act of the legislature that Gets Job In Customs Office. Hampton Roads.

Cotton Proceeds to Italy.

Genoa Italy via Paris-As a result of the efforts of American Ambassador Page instructions have been re-

and to 15,000 local agents representpoint, while almost to a man, the the properties in the state subject to of the state are being issued just now

> by the State Department of Insurance as of April 1, which marks the beginning of a new fiscal year. Of the companies being licensed 146 are fire the result of a cold contracted 10 days insurance, 50 are life, 45 miscellan- ago while she was seated on the front eous, 50 fraternal, 3 livestock and 140 piazza of her home. Heart trouble, building and loan associations. These licenses will be bringing into the State Treasury, too, a very consider- damental factors. This trouble had able sum of money that will help been occasioning her physicians unmightily in the stringent conditions easiness for several years but it did some time. The new provision of the insurance law for the Commissioner of Insurance to pass upon the qualifications of applicants for licenses as insurance agents before issuing the license, is not being applied at this time, as the act was passed too near never regained her full strength al-\$30 and \$2,496, manufacturers of the end of the fiscal year for the machinery for this to be put in motion hefore April 1.

> > North Carolina State Expenses.

Federal Census Bureau, entitled National and State Revenues and Exchance to study North Carolina in contrast with the rest of the states. The statements that follow are based on this bulletin:

In our state government unneces sarily expensive. How does it compare with other states? In answer we find that the per capita cost of our state government in 1913 was \$1.46. It was more in every other state in the union, South Carolina alone excepted

The per capita cost ranged from \$1.46 in North and South Carolina to \$10.42 in Nevada.

ufacturer of cigarettes, \$2,496. The Brockwell to Represent This State. T. F. Brockwell of Raleigh was commissioned by Governor Craig to represent this state at the annual Convention of Weights and Measures Ofto members of a board of navigation ficials of the United States to be held

> Washington-Luke Lamb, son of torney General for Mr. Lamb.

Undecided on Librarian Job. There is general satisfaction AT ceived here from the foreign ministry sent this state at the sixth annual ses- State Historical Commission in their

MRS. "STONEWALL" JACKSON. ······

The immediate cause of Mrs. Jackson's death was pneumonia which was contracted three days before. It was aggravated by age and attendant infirmities, were contributing and funeight months ago. Last August she had an acute attack at Walter's Park, Pa., near Philadelphia, and was taken to a hospital in the latter city for treatment. When she recovered sufficiently she was brought home but she though she undertook to atend to her domestic and other duties until last fall when her health again failed.

More than once since the incipiency of her illness she had suffered at-A recent bulletin sent out by the tacks which had caused her life to be despaired of, but each time she had been able to rally her resources. Her death was very easy-simply

"a sleep and a forgetting." She remained conscious until the afternoon before her death. In her last conscious moments her thoughts were of others. At her bedside when the final moment came were Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Preston, the latter a granddaughter of Mrs. Jackson, Mrs. Laura Morrison Brown, sister of Mrs. Jackson, Rev. D. H. Rolston, D.D., pastor of the irst Presbyterian church, and the family physician, Dr. William A. Graham, a kinsman of the distinguished patient

The news of Mrs. Jackson's death is a shock to the entire South, which has cherished with sincere ardor the helpmeet of him who in his life-time was the powerful right arm of the embattled Southern nation and the idol of his soldiery. Throughout the decades that have elapsed since the close of the great civil conflict. Mrs. Jackson has held unchallenged the position of primacy in the affections of this people.

Jackson, when told by his wife that before the day was over he would be with the blessed Saviour in His glory," said. "I will be an infinite gainer to be translated." So with the wife of ence with witchcraft, stubbornness, the soldier and saint, from whom he was torn by the tragedy of war on that bright Sabbath morning of May 10, 1863-she is "an infinite gainer to be translated."

Mrs. Jackson passed to rest and her infinite reward with the halo of a nation's love and reverence around her he had greater fear of the people than hed The South bends over her with

such for him" (Vaughn). Man's repentance involves a change of mind and purpose. In Saul's case God repented, changed the instrument of his execution, because of the change of circumstances and relation. God is ever the same; it is man alone who changes. Saul had given Samuel cause for anger (v. 11 R. V.), but he did the wise thing in taking it to God in prayer. Arising early the next morning Samuel hastened to acquaint Saul with Jehovah's message. It is remarkable of how many of the great men of the Bible it is said that they rose early, Abraham, Gideon, Joshua, Job, Jacob, Moses, etc., not to forget our Lord Jesus.

II. Samuel's Rebuke, vv. 13-19. It. must have been a striking scene when the aged Nazarite prophet faced the proud but recreant king. A guilty conscience is often covered by a great show of piety (v. 13), but such acts cannot stifle the conviction of the heart nor deceive the righteous judge. Sin proclaims itself even as Samuel's sharp question brought conviction from the lips of Saul (v. 14; Prov. 28:13). Saul thought to deceive Samuel by using a falsehood (v. 15). The only safe course is to confess our sins (Ps. 32:15; I. John 1:9). There is an interesting suggestion in the way Saul uses the impersonal "they" and "we" in verse 15, as if to lay the guilt of his acts upon others. It is easy for the sinner to blame others and seek to minimize his own guilt (Rom. 14:12). Verse 9 clearly indicates why Saul and the people had spared the best of the cattle. To use a part only for God and the rest for self in direct disobedience to God's rights or the rights of others is to incur his righteous wrath (vv. 22, 23). III. Saul's Self-Rejection, vv. 20-23. God set Saul aside because he had rejected the right and chose the wrong. Face to face with his sim Saul could not dodge the issue. Samuel's "wherefore" (v. 19) must have aroused Saul's guilty conscience. It is a question which should reach every tempted soul. Samuel characterized Saul's sin as being due to stubbornness, rebellion, disobedience and a rejection of God (v. 19). Again Saul seeks to evade his responsibility (vv. 20, 21). Then Samuel speaks plainly (v. 22) comparing his sin of disobediiniquity and idolatry. Plainly he tells Saul, "Because thou hast rejected the

ed thee from being king" (v. 23). Driven thus to a corner Saul made a confession of his guilt (v. 24) but spoiled it all by acknowledging that

word of the Lord, he hath also reject-

Names Board of Navigation. Governor Craig issued commissions and pilotage for the port of Wilming- | May 25 to 28 in Washington. ton under the provisions of the act of

Philadelphia .- Carrying the flag of changed the law so that there shall be Rear Admiral J. L. Helm of the Atlan- one member from Southport and four Col. W. G. Lamb of Williamston, has tic reserve fleet, the battleship Ala- from Wilmington. Those appointed been appointed law clerk in the cusbama sailed from the Philadelphia are: William St. George, Southport; tomes office at New York. He will Navy Yard for 'neutrality duty at James Sprunt, J. W. Harper, H. G. get about \$1,800. Senator Overman

Smallbones and Thomas F. Wood, secured this position through the At-Wilmington. Delegates to Commercial Congress. Delegates were appointed a few days ago by Governor Craig to repre- pressed here at the action of the

at Rome to allow all American cot- sion of the Southern Commercial Con- selection of W. S. Wilson for the new ton billed through this country to be gress to be held in Muskegee, Okla., office of legislative librarian and Mr. exported. Difficulties in the way of April 26 to 30. They are: A. E. Tate, Wilson is being urged to accept the moving the commodity now are due to High Point; Lieutenant Governor place as probably the best-equipped

\$300, manufacturers of tobacco; \$3,

famous throughout the United States as the jurist presiding at the Leo M. Frank trial, died in a New York hotel, following a brief illness. Mrs. Robert H. Barlow of Philadel- pbia, Pa., has captured the wom- an's golf championship of the country in a match game at Pinehurst, N. C. Grave doubts are felt in many of the Southern states as to whether the recent spoliation claims law, reim- bursing many people of the South for property damages suffered in the Civil war by Federal troops, will be con- sidered constitutional by the Supreme court. It is rumored efforts will be made to test this new law. Richard Randolph, a prominent St. Louis manufacturer and business man, who had brought suit for divorce from his wife recently, was shot and killed. Although denying any knowledge of the crime, Mrs. Randolph is being held by the authorities.	Genoa waitng to unload, while outside the harbor 116 vessels are waiting to enter. Methods employed in unload- ing the ships prevent more than 3,000 bales of cotton entering the port daily. Russians Pushing Through. Petrograd, via London.—The Rus sians have pushed their front well through the Carpathians toward the plains of Northern Hungary in the vi- cinity of Bartfeld, capturing an Aus- trian position five miles south of Tarof. By taking the Austrian positions at the source of the Ondava River at Nijni Polianska, 12 miles northeast of Bartfeld, the Russians gain con- trol of roads leading direct to Bart- feld and southward to Svidnik and to walley of the Ondava	Shuford, Greensboro, J. P. Sawyers, Asheville; J. B. Blades, Newbern; F. P. Alspaugh, Winston-Salem; Clar- ence Poe, Raleigh; Dr. H. G. Alexan- der, Mecklenburg county, and Gen. J. S. Carr, Durham. Survey of Beef Cattle. Director Curtis of the bureau of ani- mal industry of the experiment station and department of agriculture, has ar- ranged to launch at once a movement for as accurate as possible a survey of the native beef cattle in North Car- blina and the status of the livestock industry in this state, the work to be ione through the public schools of the state. There will be great num- bers of prizes for the best returns on the blanks that will be supplied and there will be the greatest precautions	him from a very agreeable place in the department of state that he has filled with the highest efficiency for a number of years. Kinston Fair Association Chartered. A charter has been issued for the Kinston Fair Association, capital \$50,- 000 authorized, and \$5,000 subscribed for maintaining fair ground and race track for Kinston and Lenoir county at Kinston for general fair purposes in aid of the development of the re- sources of that section. The incor- porators are Kinston Insurance & Realty Co., E. V. Webb, L. L. Mem- borne, B. W. Canaday, Charles F. Har- vey, J. E. Wood & Co., E. J. Bicton, W D. Hood, A. L. Hill, S. H. Isler, W.	filled with tears—tears such as she has not shed since Jackson and Lee were laid to rest in the little town in their loved state, immortalized as their last resting place. Mrs. Jackson's body was taken to Lexington, Va., and there laid to rest by the side of her illustrious husband. The funeral was held at 5 o'clock from the First Presbyterian church and was conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. D. H. Rolston. He was assisted by Rev. James B. Smith, of Rich- mond, Va. Three favorite hymns of Mrs. Jackson were sung. They were "How Firm a Foundation," "I Heard the Voice of Jesus Say," and "My Faith Looks up to Thee." The tribute of respect that was paid at the funeral was one of the most elaborate and im-	on Calvary. The unchanging Go hates sin, which is unchangeable, ha condemned it on the Cross that th guilty sinner may live. The persistence of sin, the un changeableness of God and his un yielding hatred of sin are met by th culmination of Easter for, "By the obedience of one shall many be made righteous" (Rom. 5:19). The whole root of Saul's trouble was his attitude towards the word of God. Every man's destiny hinge upon what he does with the Living Incarnate Word. The resurrection of Jesus is the seal of his authority, the evidence of bio
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