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FILLERS

A man once asked how newspapers always managed to make news and advertisements come out even every day. It is a problem sometimes with a new editor, but the experienced one always has some fillers on hand to make up the deficit in real news. Carl Goerch of the State says that running a small town newspaper is the most strenuous job he knows of, and that when he operated a newspaper at Washington, N. C., he had to create a fictitious person, "Jacob R. Rapbottom" of Elizabeth City, to use as a filler from time to time when needed. When Jacob R. Rapbottom of Elizabeth City was a visitor in Washington it was just another personal mention and nobody paid any attention to it until Mr. Rapbottom got to travelling a great deal, and getting too active in that section. He made commencement addresses in schools just across the county line, or preached at a church in the lower end of the county, all of which was so indefinite that no one thought of disputing the statement. Editor Goerch had Rapbottom in auto accidents, he married him, had him join the National Guard, win prizes at the state fair and do many other things when a filler was needed to complete a column in the paper.

An editor just has to be resourceful at times; and that is what this editor is trying to be now. However, the truth is more interesting than fiction, and a love for people in general and a sympathetic interest in their affairs will bring out delightful bits of news that will make us all under-

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BASEBALL

Tryon and Canton will play baseball at Harmon Field on Saturday afternoon at 3:30. This will be the last home game for the league this season.

Mrs. Baynard Dies

Mrs. O. T. Baynard, sister of Mrs. W. S. Green, died Thursday evening at Hendersonville. The body will be sent home to St. Petersburg, Fla. Mrs. Baynard was formerly Miss Kansas Nelson of Mill Spring.

Dr. Carter at Rotary

Dr. Homer Carter, of Madison, Wisconsin, who was a delegate to the Rotary International convention in Mexico City this summer, addressed the Tryon Rotary club today. Dr. Carter is a son-in-law of Dr. and Mrs. L. H. Keller.

100,000 people attended the funeral services for Will Rogers on Thursday afternoon at Los Angeles.

There are no millionaires in Finland; neither are there any poor people, according to a news article in the Christian Science Monitor.

All Europe is getting ready for the war between Italy and Ethiopia.

President Roosevelt today appointed a former governor of New Hampshire to head his security program.