

THE WEATHER: FAIR AND WARM.

## LIGHTNING KILLS MAN.

### David Calvin Ball of Pinetown Victim of Accident Yesterday Afternoon.

## WAS STANDING UNDER TREE

Lightning struck and instantly killed David Calvin Ball, a resident of Pinetown, yesterday afternoon. Ball had been working in the fields and when the storm came up, he ran to a tree near by in order to get out of the rain. The lightning struck the tree and also hit Ball. The accident occurred about a quarter of a mile away from the nearest house. When Mrs. Ball, be-

coming anxious over her husband's absence, went out to the field, she found him lying dead under the tree where he had fallen. Mr. Ball was 42 years of age and had been a resident of Pinetown for about two years. He comes from Willshire, Ohio. He is survived by a wife and six children, who lived with him, and one married daughter in Ohio.

## NEW PASTOR AT BAPTIST CHURCH

### REV. R. L. GAY HAS ACCEPTED CALL TO THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH HERE AND WILL OCCUPY PULPIT TOMORROW.

Rev. R. L. Gay will preach his first sermon as pastor of the Baptist church tomorrow. Since he accepted the call extended him by this church the members have been anxiously awaiting his arrival. Washington will be fortunate in having one of the most forgetful preachers in the State. His subject for the morning sermon will be, "God's Inheritance in His Saints." The evening topic will be soul-stirring. Strangers and visitors will receive a cordial welcome.

## Here's a Job for Some Man

### MUST BE CONNOISSEUR OF GOOD WHISKEY, SHORT HOURS AND STIMULATING WORK.

Raleigh, June 23.—A pleasant job with short hours and stimulating work may be had by some connoisseur in subjects alcoholic by applying to the commissioners of Raleigh. These splendid gentlemen, probably realizing the long drought ahead with the parch and seizure machinery at work, have reached the conclusion after mature deliberation and consideration of the subject, that no more good liquor shall be poured out, to waste its fragrance in sewer pipes or gutters. From this day on the contraband joy juice shall be passed on to the public charities, to be issued to the needy by them. Charity officials are preparing for a rushing business.

Nobody was named in the ordinance as a referee to decide between the good and bad booze and it is not known as yet how the distinction will be made. One suggestion has been made to the commissioners, however, and that is that all the liquor is good, but some of it is a trifle better. Several applications have been received from those who are willing to serve their country, but the commissioners will disregard political and other affiliations in making this appointment and the lucky man will win out on merit. Real connoisseurs please step forward.

## AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Sunday school will be held at 10 a. m. and preaching at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m. Rev. R. V. Hogo, pastor, will fill the pulpit at both services.

## BOXER HAS A ROMANCE.

Pittsburg, Pa., June 23.—A romance growing out of a Christmas party at young North Riders culminated in the marriage here today of Carolyn Leona Bender and Raymond Kenny, better known as Young Kenny, the featherweight boxer. The bride is an actress.

## GOLDSBORO IS UNABLE TO PLAY HERE

### GAMES WITH WASHINGTON TEAM HAVE BEEN CANCELLED.

## OTHER TEAM TO BE BOOKED

### MANAGER WESTON WILL ARRANGE FOR ANOTHER TEAM TO PLAY HERE ON TUESDAY, WEDNESDAY AND THURSDAY OF NEXT WEEK.

Manager Guy Weston received word from the manager of the Goldsboro team, that the latter team would be unable to play here on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week, as was announced in the Daily News, Wednesday. Mr. Weston has written to several other teams, in the endeavor to arrange games for the above dates, and he is confident that he will succeed in booking a team.

## ST. PETER'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH.

Morning service at 10 a. m., sermon by the rector, Rev. Nathaniel Harding. Prayer service at 6:30 p. m. and Sunday school at 3 p. m.

## TO HOLD PICNIC THURS.

## AT WASHINGTON PARK

### CHRISTIAN SUNDAY SCHOOL WILL HOLD ANNUAL OUTING NEXT FRIDAY.

The annual picnic of the Christian Church will be held on the Fourth of July. The outing will be held at Washington Park. Arrangements have been made for an enjoyable day and it is expected that a large number will attend the picnic.

## NEWS FROM SMALL.

We are having severe thunder storms and very fine rains lately and our crops are looking fine. Corn is very good and cotton is coming along nicely.

Our merchants are doing a fine business now and if you want cold drinks you can get them in Small.

Hugh Bennett, who has been quite sick lately, is improving.

Misses Lucie and Mabel Gaeking have both been on the sick list, but are better now.

W. C. Tuten, one of our prominent men, was on our streets the other day. He says crops are doing well considering the season.

We are sorry to lose our neighbors, Mr. and Mrs. Will Lee, who have recently moved to Riverdale, N. C. We sincerely hope they will like their new home.

Joan Hardy, who has recently been sick with typhoid fever, is convalescent.

The Rev. Mr. Crosby of Aurora Episcopal church intends to hold services at C. B. Hall of Small, Sunday night, June 29.

Miss Laura Howe of Small entertained a few of her friends at her home Wednesday, June 25. Quilting was the order of the day and refreshments were served. All thoroughly enjoyed the day.

The Small Cornet Band have an invitation to play for a picnic at Pamlico, Pamlico county, July 4th.

Mrs. E. D. Rows and daughter, Fanny, have been spending the last two weeks with friends and relatives in Pamlico County.

Butler Prescott of Prescott is very often seen at Small of late.

A. J. Armstrong and A. S. Mann of Elizabeth City were in the city yesterday on business.

S. Jackson, son of Mrs. Daniels, Mrs. Henry W. Bagley, her sister-in-law, and the Misses Bagley, her sisters, assisted in the entertainment of the guests, who numbered about 800, all of whom were North Carolinians, resident at Washington.

## WATTS DEJECTED COLLECTOR FOR WESTERN DISTRICT

### TELEGRAM RECEIVED BY J. F. TAYLOR YESTERDAY.

## STRONG FIGHT AGAINST HIM

A. D. Watts was appointed yesterday to the position of collector for the Western District of North Carolina.

J. F. Taylor is in the receipt of the following telegram from Mr. Watts: "Have been appointed and confirmed today."

## A. D. WATTS.

It will be recalled that there has been a unusually strong fight made to defeat Col. Watts by Representative Justice and others who opposed Senator Blinn's.

## CHRISTIAN WORKERS' MEETING.

Portland, Ore., June 23.—With the sky as the only canopy, the biggest meeting of the World's Christian Association conference in session here takes place tomorrow afternoon in the Natural Amphitheatre, which comprises the field of the Multnomah Amateur Athletic Club. More than 12,000 delegates and 25,000 visitors of every nationality are attending the conference.

"The Family Marriage and Divorce," will come in for an important part of the discussion by world-famous speakers.

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## To Hold Debate Thurs. July 3D

### KING PETER TO ABDICATE.

Geneva, June 23.—Preparations have been made for the early arrival here of King Peter of Serbia who, it is reported will abdicate the throne in favor of his son, owing to failing health brought on by anxiety over the war. King Peter will be sixty-nine years old tomorrow. He lived here before the assassination of King Alexander and Queen Draga, and Geneva has sent a commission to congratulate him on his birthday.

## SECOND DEBATE WILL BE HELD ON EVENING OF ABOVE DATE.

## INTERESTING DISCUSSION

DEBATERS WILL ARGUE QUESTION WHETHER CAPITAL PUNISHMENT SHOULD BE ABOLISHED IN NORTH CAROLINA.

Another debate will be held at the Christian church, Thursday evening, July 3rd. The debate will commence at 8:30. The query for the debate will be: Resolved, That Capital Punishment Should Be Abolished in North Carolina.

The affirmative side will be taken by Reid Mitchell and Hubert Ellis; the negative, by Wilford Whitley and Weed Davis. These are the same young men who participated in the last debate, which was held at the church.

They have prepared for a good argument and an interesting evening is assured to all those who attend the debate next Thursday. The officers are J. R. Reeves, president, and William Ellis, secretary.

Miss Annie Springer of South Creek visited friends here yesterday.

## FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

There will be divine services tomorrow at 11 a. m. and 3 p. m., conducted by the pastor, Rev. H. B. Searight.

Sunday school at 9:45. C. M. Brown, Jr., superintendent.

The subject of the sermon in the morning, "The New Commandment"; of the evening sermon, "Sin and Retribution." Good music. A cordial welcome awaits all visitors and strangers who will worship with us.

"I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."

## GUN CLUB ARRANGES FOR SHOOT

### LARGE NUMBER EXPECTED TO PARTICIPATE IN EVENTS.

## WILL BE FIVE EVENTS

### ABOUT THIRTY MEN EXPECTED TO TAKE PART IN EACH EVENT. SHOOTING WILL START AT ONE O'CLOCK.

It is expected that a large number of local gentlemen will come out and participate in the shoot, which is to be held by the Washington Gun Club on the afternoon of the Fourth. There will be five events and about thirty men will shoot in each event. Arrangements have been made for the handling of a large crowd and everyone can be assured of a pleasant and interesting afternoon.

On account of the shoot on this day, there will be no shoot at the club grounds next Thursday.

## FIRST METHODIST CHURCH SUNDAY SERVICES.

At 9:45 a. m., Sunday school, E. W. Nixon, superintendent.

At 11 a. m., sermon. Subject, Life With Wings.

At 4 p. m., sermon to young people. Subject, Lessons from Rich Young Ruler.

At 8 p. m., sermon. Subject, Story of Lot and Sodom.

Rev. J. A. Dalley will do the preaching.

Seats free. All welcome. "I was glad when they said unto me, let us go into the house of the Lord."—Psa. 122:1.

Sam Grist of Chocomaity was in the city for a few hours yesterday.

## Barns Destroyed By Lightning

### Belonged to A. C. Hathaway at Washington Park. Jesse Phelps Injured at Fire.

## Johnson Under \$500 Bail

## COMMISSIONER RUSS BOUND HIM OVER TO OCTOBER TERM OF UNITED STATES COURT

Yesterday Richard Johnson of Bryan was given a preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner H. W. Russ, for having in his possession an unregistered still and 15 or 16 gallons of molasses rum. After hearing the testimony the commissioner bound Johnson over to the fall term of the Federal Court to be held here during October. Bond was fixed at \$300.

## TWO STRONG SERMONS.

Rev. J. A. Dalley, evangelist-pastor, preached two very strong, helpful sermons at the usual hours yesterday, the eleventh and twelfth since his arrival last Saturday. Much is being said in commendation of this good man's work in our midst.

In the first service real freedom was discussed and impressed at length. John 8:32-36 being used. "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free. If the Son therefore shall make you free, ye shall be free indeed."

There was much in this discourse to stimulate thought and to inspire endeavor after the higher life. In the evening an attentive hearing was accorded one of the plaintiff, most searching sermons of the series, the incident of the Samaritan woman being its basis. As the earnest speaker described her life of shame and sin, he also pictured possible condition in Washington. The Holy Spirit honored the burning message, and there were indications of convicting power. No services today.

Former President Taft leaves New Haven, Conn., for his summer home at Murray Bay, Canada.

Lee Hoyt, charged with the murder of his father, goes to trial at Chillicothe, Ohio, today.

William Williams, U. S. Commissioner of Immigration at New York, retires.

Catholic Educational Association meets at New Orleans, La.

## JACK JOHNSON SKIPPED TO CANADA

### HIS FRIENDS SAY THAT HE WILL NEVER RETURN TO UNITED STATES.

## MAY LIVE IN FRANCE

Chicago, June 23.—The Federal authorities are taking steps to have Jack Johnson, who was convicted of white slavery, deported from Montreal, Canada, where he fled.

Johnson had been released on bond when he skipped to Canada.

The authorities fear he will flee to Europe.

May Go to France to Live.

Montreal, Canada, June 23.—Jack Johnson, according to his friends, will never return to the United States. They say he will go to France in a few days to stay permanently.

## "Swat the Fly" in Raleigh

Raleigh, June 23.—The commissioners of Raleigh have adopted an ordinance directed at the common house fly. It is a stringent measure carrying out the suggestions of the board of health and complying with the wishes of Commissioner of Public Safety O. G. King, who has set himself to the task of reducing the death rate of Raleigh. It is believed that the enforcement of this law will reduce the fly population of the Capital City to a minimum.

## Two Barns Destroyed

Two barns, belonging to A. C. Hathaway at Washington Park, were struck by lightning yesterday afternoon and completely destroyed by fire.

Mr. Hathaway and a colored boy were standing in the doorway of one of the barns when the lightning struck. Both were dazed for a couple of minutes and when they rushed outside, they saw that one of the barns was ablaze. The flames spread rapidly and soon the other barn caught fire. A crowd of men from the Pamlico Cooperative Company and Kukier's mill ran to the fire and endeavored to assist in putting out the flames. The blaze, however, had gained too much headway and their efforts were futile. Twenty tons of hay were in the barn besides a bag and a quantity of tools.

Jesse Phelps, who was among those who tried to save the building, met with a painful accident. One of the window sashes in the upper story fell out and struck him on the left arm, inflicting a deep cut. He was treated by Dr. Joshua Taylor.

## THE COMING WEEK DAY BY DAY.

New York, June 23.—The following events are scheduled to take place during the coming week:

**Monday**—Status of Zachariah Chandler, twice Senator, from Michigan and Secretary of Interior under President Grant will be unveiled in the capitol. Illinois legislature adjourns sine die.

**Tuesday**—World Congress on Opium opens at The Hague, with every country represented except Turkey. Moving picture weekly devoted to Texas enterprises begins publication at San Antonio.

**Wednesday**—Beginning of celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of Battle of Gettysburg, Pa., at Gettysburg.

**Thursday**—C. O. D. feature of parcels post goes into operation today. Wireless telegraphy treaty between the United States and several other nations becomes effective.

**Friday**—National celebration of anniversary of the Declaration of Independence.

**Saturday**—National Education Association meets at Salt Lake City, Utah.

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**TO WATCH SUFFRAGETTES.** Berlin, June 23.—The police officials here have received notice to put a special guard on duty at the races tomorrow for the German Grand Prix, because of threats of the suffragettes to interfere with the running as they did at two of the great Eng-Kugler's mill ran to the fire and en-

**1796**—Battle of Renchen; Moreau victorious over the Austrians.

**1815**—Prussians under Blucher, defeated the French at Villers Coterets.

**1855**—Battle of Rivas, in Central America.

**1892**—Battleship Texas launched at Norfolk, Va.

**1895**—The bond syndicate complete the transfer of gold to the United States treasury; gold balance \$107,553,774; cash balance \$192,620,423, reported.

**1912**—Gen. Estenos, leader of the Cuban rebels, was killed in the battle ending the Cuban Negro rebellion.