

## AVIATION FLIGHTS HERE TOMORROW AND WED.

### CHECK FLASHER FROM HERE IS APPREHENDED

#### PASSES BOGUS CHECK ON LOCAL BANK OF THE CITY

#### Also Gives Check For Board Bill Which Is Returned, Has Wife and Child Here.

The following item of news is taken from the New Bern Journal of its issue of Saturday morning, June 5: "Shortly after 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon Policeman W. H. Griffin received a telephone message from Rocky Mount asking him to be on the lookout for a young white man who gave his name as W. O. Exum, who had forged a check for twenty dollars on a Washington, N. C., bank and given it to one of the hotels in Rocky Mount.

Immediately after receiving the information Policeman Griffin started out in search of the alleged forger and at the James Hotel found a man who is the party wanted. However, Exum it such is his name had assumed the name of G. T. Moore and he was registered at the local hotel.

Exum, who is apparently about twenty-eight years of age says that he is a barber by trade and was visiting relatives in Rocky Mount when he imbibed too freely of intoxicants and gave the bad check while he was under the influence of whiskey. "The man was placed in the county jail for safe keeping until the

Rocky Mount authorities, who have been notified of his arrest, arrive in the city to take him in charge. The discovery and apprehension of the alleged law breaker in less than half an hour by Policeman Griffin is considered to be an excellent piece of detective work on his part."

Mr. Exum came here and entered the employ of the Palace Barber Shop from February last. Resigning his position he entered the Sewing Machine business. Leaving his wife and child at the Dudley boarding house he left for his territory and was doing a good business until last week when he gave a check on a bank at Rocky Mount, receiving the cash for same at the First National Bank this city, for \$20. After receiving his money he went to New Bern and was subsequently located at the James Hotel under the name of G. T. Moore. He was arrested and carried to Rocky Mount where his case will be heard today in that town.

Exum in settlement of his board bill, with Mrs. Dudley, gave her a check of \$27.50 on the bank of La Grange. This check has been protested. Mrs. Exum and child are now at the boarding house of Mrs. Dudley where she is receiving the sympathy of her friends in her great misfortune.

Exum passed his bogus check on the Hotel Bland at Rocky Mount. During his residence here he was looked upon as a man of high character. Mrs. Exum and child have gained a large circle of friends who deprecate the loss of her husband.

### WHY I DESIRED TO GO TO THE LEGISLATURE

Repeatedly has the question been asked of me why I wanted to go to the Legislature and who was backing my candidacy.

Since I have no ulterior motives in going before the people asking for election to this high office and knowing that the people are entitled to know why I am seeking their trust I shall give the only reason I have for aspiring to the position.

As those who know me well are aware my educational opportunities were limited to a country school. I never attended a high school nor a college, except to take a business course, and the occupation in which I am now engaged requires much thought and to be a successful newspaper man a person should have a good education, a better one than is required in most other occupations. I therefore felt that from an educational standpoint one session in the Legislature would be worth more to me than any other sacrifice I could make. It would enable me to familiarize myself with the workings of the legislative branch of our State Government and I could the better impart this information to the public whose servant I am in my present work.

I am seeking the nomination after due deliberation and consideration. No one came to me and requested that I be a candidate. I am asking for election of my own volition, and if nominated and elected I shall be the servant of no one except the whole people.

I realized that I would have to fight the entire Democratic machine (not

the organization) but this is not the first time I have fought the machine, therefore am not dismayed at what appears to some to be a herculean task. The people of Beaufort county are willing to be governed by organizations but not by bosses, for that reason I am willing to leave my candidacy in the hands of the people. I have neither the money nor time to make a canvass in my behalf such as will be made against me, but I believe that those who want to see fair play and a square deal to every man will shake off the manacles of machine and boss ridden politics and cast their votes for me in the primary.

Before the date of the primaries I will disclose to the people of the county some of the things which the machine proposes to put through the next Legislature and they know that they will be unable to do so should I succeed in my campaign. They will therefore fight to the death. It's one man against the whole machine. "Oh, where, oh, where stand?"

JAMES L. MAYO

Let's build in Washington Park.

PURCHASES GROCERY

Mr. D. T. Sawyer, who has been conducting a grocery business in the Brown building on West Main street, the building of which was partially destroyed by fire several weeks ago, has sold his interest to Mr. J. E. Swanner. Mr. Swanner expects to continue the business at the present stand.

### DR. RODMAN LEAVES FOR RALEIGH, N. C.

Dr. John C. Rodman left this morning for Raleigh, N. C., where he goes as one of the members of the North Carolina Medical Examining Board which convenes in the capital city tomorrow and will be in session for the next few days. Dr. Rodman is the examiner on surgery. For the past six years he has been a member of the board and with his colleagues retires at the meeting of the North Carolina Medical Society next week at which time their successors will be named. Dr. Rodman was the first president of the examining board when they were elected. Mrs. Rodman and children accompanied Dr. Rodman as far as Wilson, N. C., where they expect to be the guests of relatives and friends.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for re-nomination for the office of Register of Deeds of Beaufort county, and in doing so I wish to thank my many friends throughout the county for the hearty support which they have given me in the past, and ask them all to attend the primaries on Friday, June 26, and assist me to again secure the nomination.

Respectfully,  
G. RUMLEY.

### SERIES OF MEETINGS AT PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH CLOSED LAST NIGHT

#### JNO. THOMAS HAS HIS EYE INJURED

Mrs. C. C. Thomas of this city has received the following clipping from her son, Mr. John Thomas, who is now a resident of Sanford, Fla. The item is taken from the Sanford Reflector and explains itself. It will be read with regret by the readers of this paper. It says:

John Thomas has returned from Jacksonville where he went for treatment last week. He had the misfortune to receive an injury to one of his eyes while working in the A. C. L. machine shops and a piece of steel had become imbedded in the eye ball. It seemed for a time that he would lose the sight but luckily the eye was not badly injured and will be all right in a few weeks. John's many friends here will be glad to learn that he will soon be all right again.

#### GREAT SERVICE WAS HELD BY THE EVANGELIST

Many Made a Confession. Church Was Packed. To Its Utmost. Music One Of The Features. Great Good Has Been Accomplished.

Evangelist F. H. Wright and his singer Mr. Good closed their engagement in Washington last night. This morning they left via the Atlantic Coast Line for Lancaster, Texas, where they are to begin a series of meetings immediately after their arrival. The closing service was one of the greatest and most inspiring of the entire series. Evangelist Wright seemed to be full of the Holy Ghost both in speech and song and the consequence was that he delivered one of the greatest sermons ever heard here. A great blessing has singer, Mr. Good gave the gospel in song as it has never before been heard here. A great blessing has been the outcome of the meetings here. The departure of Mr. Wright and Mr. Good is to be regretted and a warm and cordial welcome is theirs whenever they wish to return. This paper commends them to all Christian people wherever their lot is cast. The meeting which has been in progress for nearly three weeks came to a happy close at the First Presbyterian Church last night. The audience taxed the seating capacity of the stately old edifice to the limit. The service was one of profound interest and spiritual power. Not for years has Washington been blessed with a revival meeting which has so enlivened the hearts of all, so quickened the lives of Christians, or led a larger number to profess their faith in the Divine Redeemer. The sermons at both services yesterday were among the very best Mr. Wright delivered during the entire meeting and the music was of the same superior quality. Several pieces were rendered by request and greatly enjoyed by the congregation. Eight members were received into the church at the morning service and publicly welcomed to the goodly fellowship of the saints. At the night service a number of people accepted the Savior and quite a good many gave in their names for church membership. It is impossible to estimate the good accomplished in such a meeting, or to tabulate the results—eternity alone will tell the story of lives reformed and souls saved. Multitudes of Christian people reconsecrated themselves to the service of the Lord, with a determination to live more holy and useful lives—over forty professed their faith in Christ for the first time, and at least twenty-five have given in their names for membership in the various churches. The meeting was conducted on broad Christian lines and has benefitted all the churches and in fact the entire community. Twelve have been received into the Presbyterian Church and others will join next Sunday morning. We believe that the fruit of the labors of these faithful servants of the Lord will remain for years to come. The free will offering at the close of the service was a very liberal one and is an evidence of the people's appreciation of the fine work done by Mr. Wright and Mr. Good. About \$300 was received for the evangelist and \$100 for his singer. These earnest and talented men have won a warm place for themselves in the hearts of our people and their memories will be cherished forever. They left for their respective homes this morning, carrying with them the good will and prayers of a grateful people.

### LEAVE FOR NORFOLK FOR THE SUMMER

Mr. J. A. Tucker, who is manager of the Hotel Louise, is also manager of the Virginia Bay Hotel, at Ocean View. This hotel expects to open on June 15th. Mr. Tucker left last night for the purpose of making the necessary arrangements for the opening. Mr. H. C. VanNortwick, night clerk of the Louise here, will be clerk of the Virginia Bay and Mr. John Carter, son of M. D. M. Carter, will be one of the assistants. While Mr. Tucker is away from the Louise, Mr. Thomas Blow, will be manager and the day clerk will be Mr. T. H. Hodges.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

In 1906 the call came from the country and the city for me to run for the Legislature. For some time I refused for the reason that I was not in position to make the sacrifice, but the insistence was so persistent that I yielded. At that time I told the public that my only ambition was to serve the people, to the best of my ability.

Now the same or even more persistent call has come to me again. For some time I did not consider it. I am not able to make the sacrifice, and yet the people from the country and the city have for some time so urged me that I do not know how to refuse, so I have agreed to make the sacrifice if the people want me and I now ask for the Democratic nomination for the Legislature. If I kept my promise when I represented you before and you are willing to accept the same promise again, I ask your support at the primary on the 26th instant, and if nominated and elected I will exercise all my ability to what I consider in my best judgment to be to the best interest of the whole people in both county and state matters.

Respectfully,  
W. K. JACOBSON.

ANNOUNCEMENT.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-nomination for Clerk of the Superior Court of Beaufort county, and ask all my friends to attend the primaries on Friday, June 26, and give me their support.

Thanking my friends for their support in the past and asking a continuance of same, I am,  
Very respectfully,  
GEO. A. PAUL.

### ENTHUSIASM PREVAILS FOR CHAUTAQUA WEEK HERE

#### Lot Secured For The Attraction and Mammoth Tent Another Representative Here Today.

Plans are rapidly shaping for Chautauqua, which will open here on June 22nd and continue throughout that week. People are becoming more and more enthusiastic about it as the time draws near, realizing that it promises to be the greatest event that Washington has ever been favored with.

Miss McCloskey is in the city today conferring with the several committees. The lot has been secured for the erection of the mammoth tent.

Miss Estelle Davis, who will be in charge of the Junior Chautauqua, has appointed her committee of assistants and they have all accepted. This committee is composed of the following: Miss Mary Blount, Mrs. W. R. Bright, Misses Mollie Mayo, Annie Cox, Annie Jarvis, Margaret Jarvis and Lucretia Hughes.

The automobile party under the direction of W. H. Ellison will visit nearby towns: Greenville, Chocowinity, Grimesland, Pactolus, Robesonville, Williamston, Jamesville, Plymouth, Pinetown, Bath, Yeatesville, Hunters Bridge, Belhaven, Aurora, Edward, Bonneton, and other points. The automobiles will go in groups of two or three, carrying Washington Chautauqua Boosters who will advertise the "Seven Joyous Days" to our neighbors and give them an opportunity to share this great festival.

The Ticket Committee has its plans well laid and are ready to begin work on notice from the Chairman. The city has been divided into five districts with a sub-chairman in each district. Mrs. D. M. Carter has charge of the first district, Mrs. F. H. Rollins the second, Miss Inna Myers, the third, Miss Lizzie Hill the fourth and Miss Lena Windley the fifth. These ladies will be assisted by the committees who will do the actual advertising and selling of tickets from house to house. The day on which the campaign is to start will be announced shortly and tickets will not be placed on sale until then. The young ladies will call at the homes, not at the stores and business houses. It is hoped that the business men will appreciate this consideration and arrange at home to the number of tickets desired.

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### METHODISTS JOIN THEIR NEIGHBORS

On account of the closing meeting of the series of services which have been in progress at the First Presbyterian Church for the past two weeks, conducted by Evangelist Wright, there were no services at the First Methodist Church last night, that congregation deciding to worship with their neighboring church. In consequence the auditorium was taxed to its utmost.

The meeting was a great one and thoroughly enjoyed. It proved to be one of the best of the series.

### TEEZY WEEZY NEW THEATRE FOR TONIGHT

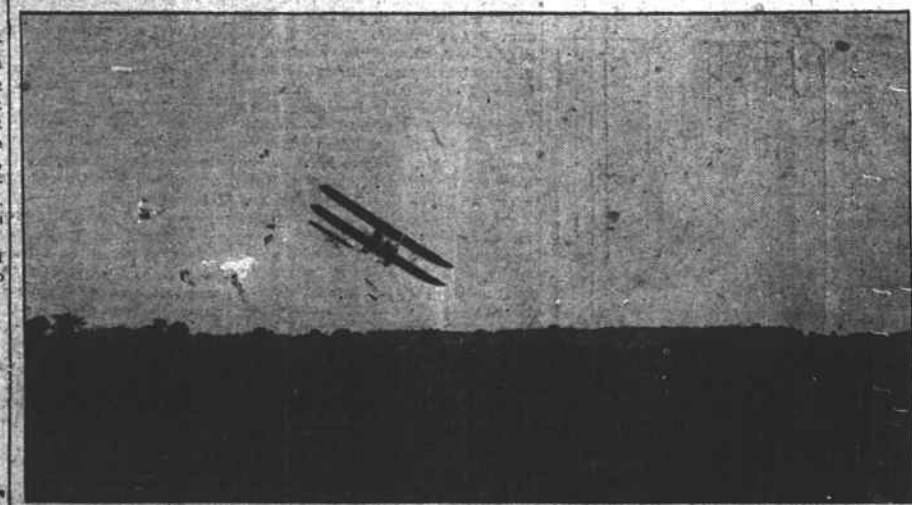
The New Theater opens tonight for the entire week with the "Kennedy-Vincent Musical Comedy Company." Tonight's bill will be "Teazy Weazy," a comedy that is full of laughs and good singing and dancing. This troupe comes here recommended as the best on the road. There are six girls, and they are all good looking too. There are also three men. Everyone is an artist in the comedy line of great ability. There will be a change of program each and every night. On Thursday night the house will put on another amateur night, so everyone that wants to take part can prepare themselves for the occasion. As usual there will be good pictures before each vaudeville performance.

FOR TEXAS.

Evangelist Wright and his singer Mr. Good, left this morning via the Atlantic Coast Line for Lancaster, Texas, where they are billed to begin a series of meetings.

### EXHIBITIONS AT WASHINGTON PARK START PROMPTLY AT TWO O'CLOCK EACH DAY

Aeroplanes, Manager J. S. Berger, and Aviators Arrived This Morning. All In Readiness For Exhibitions. Passengers Will Be Carried in Flights.



### AVIATOR EUGENE HETH IN HIS AEROPLANE

Tomorrow means a gala day in Washington—a great occasion for the people of Beaufort county—something yet unseen by residents of counties contiguous to good old Beaufort. You have, of course, heard of folk riding in the air, read about it, thought about it, but as the old negro once said, "I have heard of sech, my mother told me of sech, but God knows I never saw sech until today." Uncle Josh meant to say tomorrow at Washington Park, when the J. S. Berger Aviation Company will give exhibitions with their Wright carrying passenger aeroplane.

The exhibitions will be from two to six Tuesday and Wednesday. Trains on both the Washington and Vandemere and Norfolk Southern to Belhaven are to be held later than their regular schedule time in order to give the citizens along these respective roads an opportunity to see something that is without doubt the greatest invention of the twentieth century.

At the Home Coming Week Celebration at New Bern week before last the Aeroplane flights proved to be the main attraction of the entire stunt. Every day in which the aeroplane soared in the atmosphere it was witnessed by enthusiastic thousands. Not only did Mr. Heth, the aviator, seek the clouds for his praise but he willingly carried passengers all of whom after alighting again on terra firma were simply delighted.

The greatest event in the history of Washington is the opportunity of every one tomorrow and Wednesday at Washington Park. The price of admission will be, adults 50c, children under 12 years 25c. Did you ever see an aeroplane in the air—you have read about it doubtless and heard others tell the story. The chance is at your door tomorrow and Wednesday and if you don't take advantage of it then you have no one to blame but yourself. The time has come when if we must see things we must be up and doing

and not depend upon others. Tomorrow is the time—Washington Park is the place. A golden opportunity is open to all—will you go—you ought to.

Crowds are expected from all sections of Beaufort county. The aeroplane and apparatus arrived in Washington this morning and also Manager J. S. Berger and Aviator Eugene Heth. The aeroplane was unloaded this afternoon and is now being put in perfect shape for tomorrow's flights at the Park.

The passing of this novel machine through the streets caused considerable commotion en route from the railroad station to the Park.

All wishing to take passage will confer with the manager on the aviation grounds tomorrow or Wednesday.

Machine will not fly towards city but in opposite direction. It will be necessary to be on the grounds to see the flights properly and especially to see the fancy stunts by the aviator.

Proof of insanity. A Pittsburgh boarder is beaten up by his landlady, armed with a fistful, because he demanded prunes for breakfast. Well, how would one expect a woman to deal with an insane man?—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Daily Thought. Read the best books first of all, else you won't have time at all to read them.—Thoreau.