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THE WEATHER—Generally fair to light. Moderate easterly winds

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THIEVES BROKE INTO STORE AND HOME LAST NIGHT

ENTERED McKEEL-RICHARDSON STORE AND THE HARDY RESIDENCE.

NOT BEEN CAUGHT

Stole a Number of Articles from Hardware Store and Were in the Act of Breaking into Hardy Home When Residents Notified Police.

Thieves last night entered the store of the McKeel-Richardson Hardware Company, stole several articles, and then proceeded to break into the Hardy residence at the foot of Bonner street.

They made their entrance into the hardware store without being discovered and after taking what they wanted, they went down to the Hardy house. They tried to break in through the basement, but were heard by some of the residents, who immediately telephoned the police.

It is not believed that they were successful in stealing anything out of the Hardy residence, but they took a number of articles from the hardware store, among which were a pistol, some cartridges, two razors, a raincoat, a sweater and a pocket knife.

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WAR VETERAN LOCATES OLD FIGHTING GROUND

Locates Tree Behind Which He Fought 52 Years Ago. Also Finds Bullet That Was Fired at Him.

(By Eastern Press)

Kingston, Sept. 23.—To gaze upon the spot where he fought for his country, after being away from that place for 52 years, was the experience of George Thomas Allen, a Confederate veteran, here today.

Mr. Allen, who is still in the best of health and who resides in Nash county, arrived here yesterday to visit relatives. Last night, in the company of two or three other veterans, who had come to talk with him over old times, the conversation naturally drifted to the incidents of the great war.

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"By the way," he added reflectively, "I wonder if that tree is still standing. I remember it was a cypress tree and forked about ten feet from the ground. I've a good mind to go down to the river tomorrow and see if it is still there."

BIG CIRCUS IS COMING TO WASHINGTON

BIGGEST DAY OF THE YEAR FOR WASHINGTON. MANY VISITORS EXPECTED.

HERE OCTOBER 26

Coming Here Direct from Raleigh. Washington Will Be Only City in This Section of the State at which Circus Will Show.

Elephants, peanuts, pop corn, pink lemonade, clowns, dare-devil trap-artist, dainty equestriennes and hundreds of other attractions will be in evidence in Washington on October 26th.

This will be "Circus Day" in Washington. The biggest three-ring circus in business today is coming and will show here on the afternoon and night of the 26th. Big street parades will be held, all kinds of side-shows will be seen. Animals of all kinds and from all countries will be on exhibition.

The news of the coming of the circus was received from the Norfolk Southern railroad this morning. The attraction will come here from Raleigh, travelling in a long special train. After stopping at Washington, it is understood that they will proceed directly to Norfolk.

EYE KNOCKED FROM SOCKET WITH HOE

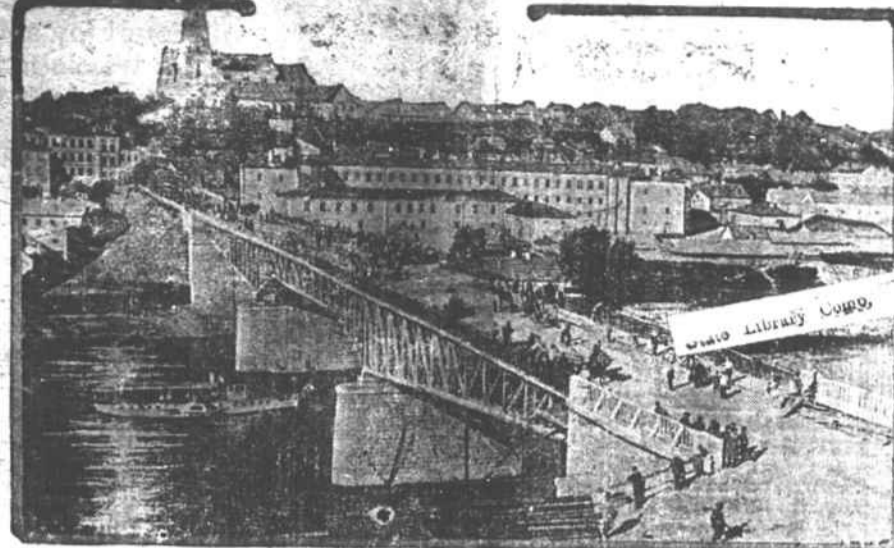
Bert Redding, Negro, Deals Wife a Terrible Blow—Is Jailed.

(By Eastern Press)
New Bern, Sept. 23.—Late yesterday afternoon Bert Redding, a notoriously bad negro, made an attack on his wife, Laura, with a hoe and during the encounter he struck her such a severe blow over one of her eyes with a hoehead that the optic was torn from its socket.

Redding, immediately after the murderous attack, sought to escape but was rounded up and taken into custody and later placed in the county jail.

The injured woman is receiving treatment at Fairview Hospital and is in a serious condition.

ANOTHER RUSSIAN STRONGHOLD CAPTURED



View of Grodno, just captured by the German forces. It was the last Russian stronghold on the Kovno-Brest Litovsk defense line to give in to the invaders.

Washington Market Offers As Good Prices as Any For Good Grade of Tobacco

To the Farmers of Beaufort County:

While there are many of you who seem to realize the true existing conditions with regard to the local tobacco market, there appear to be some who persist in thinking that they can get better prices for their crop elsewhere and who are hauling their crop to Greenville and other markets, in the hope of securing better prices.

The action on the part of this latter class, is not in keeping with the good, sound business judgment that has always been displayed by the farmers of Beaufort county. They not only lose both time and money through their transaction, but they hurt the local market, they hurt the county, the city and they hurt themselves.

The same companies are represented on the Washington market as on the Greenville market. Why then, should it be thought that the latter will offer better prices for your tobacco than the market in this city? There is absolutely no

reason for believing that.

You come to Washington for your food and your supplies and you sell your vegetables, eggs and produce here. You do not haul these articles to Greenville, you realize the foolishness of such a procedure. It is just as foolish to haul your tobacco to another city and take the business away from the local market.

The warehousemen in Washington realize that they must push your tobacco for all that it is worth in order to keep up the local market. And they are doing it. They have a personal interest in every load that is brought to this city. The warehousemen in other cities, knowing where you are from, will probably do their best to boost the price a little in order to induce you to bring future loads there and to tell your neighbors about your transaction. You can't blame them; it's good business.

We wish to repeat, however, that your tobacco will bring just as good prices right here in Washington as

it will anywhere else in the State. You can't get away from that fact, no matter what arguments are offered.

A large part of the tobacco sent to Greenville is probably carried there through force of habit. The local market is a comparatively new one, while the Greenville market has been established for a considerable length of time. As a result, those farmers who carry their tobacco out of the county do so because they are afraid to change.

But you have absolutely nothing to fear. Your interests will be better looked after here at home than in some other county. Why not take the trouble to investigate? Why not bring a trial load here and find out how it sells? Why not ask your neighbors, who bring their tobacco to the Washington market, what they think of it?

And, in conclusion, we again wish to impress that important fact on your mind—you get as good, if not better prices for your tobacco here in Washington, as you will anywhere else in the State.

COURT GRANTS A NEW TRIAL

Case of Morton vs. Light & Water Company is to be Tried Again. Decisions Handed Down in Other Cases.

The Supreme court yesterday, in the case of Morton vs. Washington Light & Water company, granted a new trial to the plaintiff. The case will be tried before the Superior court in Beaufort county.

Mecara Morton, who, at the last trial, were allowed approximately \$1,500 for damage due to their property when an insufficient supply of water was obtainable, appealed the case to the Supreme court.

A new trial was also granted by the Supreme court yesterday in the case of Fowle vs. Warren, of this city.

The court found no error in the case of Elliott vs. Railroad and Lumber Company.

The case of Cutler vs. Cutler was affirmed.

AT THE BELLMO

TONIGHT—8c and 10c—TONIGHT
The 221st Episode of the "MILLION DOLLAR MYSTERY" The Documents in the Treasure Box The Seizure of the Russian Agent.
Keystone Comedy
"When Ambrose Dared Walrus"
Special Production in 2 Acts
"THE ARROW MAIDEN"
Don't Fail to See These Shows

BUSINESS IMPROVES THROUGHOUT CO.

Federal Advisory Council Meets in Washington City.

Washington, Sept. 23.—Business conditions throughout the country are showing improvement and trade generally is picking up, according to members of the federal advisory council which held its regular quarterly session today with the federal reserve board.

Although several members of the council did not attend the session, virtually every section of the country was represented. The discussion of conditions was brief but the opinions expressed were identical in tenor that improvement is apparent. The council did not take up the credit loan by American bankers to the allies.

CORRECT IMPRESSION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

Williamston, N. C., September 22, 1915.
Editor Washington Daily News, Washington, N. C.

Having seen an article in your issue of September 11, concerning the Woman's Club of Williamston, we wish to submit the following to your attention.

This Woman's Club is of very recent organization, having for its object the betterment of our town. As yet only one department of work has been planned, that of sanitary improvements.

Our reason for writing this letter is to correct the impression which you evidently received through reading an article written in The Williamston Enterprise of September 10 as we cannot claim to be the club mentioned in that paper.

Yours very truly,
The Woman's Club of Williamston, Mrs. W. H. Harrell, President.

WILSON FAVORS EXTRA SESSION

Should Senate Be Called into Extra Session, It Will Be About October 15th.

Washington, Sept. 23.—President Wilson is inclined to favor an extra session of the senate to be called some time next month to consider the Colombian and Nicaraguan treaties and some form of closure in the senate.

The President's attitude was made known at the White House this afternoon after he had talked with Senator F. J. Stone, of Missouri, chairman of the senate foreign relations committee, and other influential statesmen. Should the President decide to call the senate into extra session he would probably set the date for October 15 or thereabouts.

LIST OF LETTERS

Remaining uncalled for in this office for the week ending

Washington, N. C., Sept. 18, 1915.

MEN—
Miller Cardwell, R. E. Curran, Gardley Bushus, Isaac Kinsey, Shurard Martin, W. J. Moore, Hannis Lee Reese, E. W. Staton, Clarence Salisbury, Mr. Sues, Jas. A. Wheatley.

WOMEN—
Miss Elvy Grass, Miss Hester Kenyon, Mrs. Helen Little, Miss Ruth Loftins, Mrs. Oliver Murphy, Miss Thelma Reynolds, Miss Patay Williams, Mrs. Mackdollar Whiters.

These letters will be sent to the dead letter office October 4th, 1915, if not delivered before. In calling for the above, please say "Advertised" giving date of Nat. N. HENRY MOORE, P. M.

EVANGELIST CONDEMNS THE LOVE OF EASE AND MONEY

LARGE AUDIENCE SEES "BARBARA"

Acting Was Excellent But in the Minds of the Audience There Were Weak Spots in the Plot.

"The Winning of Barbara Worth" which was shown at the Near Theatre last night more than lived up to expectations and made a most favorable impression on the large audience present. The characters were excellent in their parts and there was not a weak point in the play.

IS PASSION OF TODAY

PREACHED STRONG SERMON ON "THE MAN WHOM GOD CALLED A FOOL."

MANY PRESENT

Last night's congregation was the largest of the week. Evangelist is making great impression and interest is increasing in revival.

"The man whom God called a fool" was the text of a strong sermon delivered by Evangelist Loftin last night at the Baptist church.

And God called him a fool. "Thou fool" are the exact words He used in rebuking the man in these modern times, if there is anything that a man dislikes, it is to be called a fool.

HIGHER INTEREST IS DUE TO WAR

Senator Burton Gives Views on What Effect the War Has on Rates of Interest.

Denver, Col., Sept. 23.—Higher average of rates of interest in the United States, will be one of the inevitable results of the European war in the opinion of United States Senator Theodore Burton of Ohio, principal speaker at the annual banquet of the Investment Bankers association of America here last night.

Senator Burton said the following results may be expected from the present war:

"An enormous decrease in capital available for investment.
"Temporary shrinkage in the aggregate volume of commercial and industrial activities.
"Higher rates of interest and a greater degree of discrimination on the part of the investing public.
"Interest on high grade bonds possibly will decline.
"Certain classes of domestic enterprises, including the building of electric railways and possibly the building of steam railroads will experience a material decline."

MANY FATHERS DIE OF TUBERCULOSIS IN STATE

Of Twenty-five Orphan Children, Thirteen had Tubercular Parents.

Raleigh, Sept. 23.—Of twenty-five children recently admitted to the Odd Fellows' Orphan Home a "cold-blood" it was found that of the fathers of the twenty-five children admitted thirteen died of tuberculosis. The application blanks which all for the cause of death of the fathers, for no child is admitted to the institution whose father is living, revealed this noticeable fact.

But the above facts do not close the story. It has developed that those little children are falling victims to the same disease. One of the children has been sent to the State Sanatorium for the Treatment of Tuberculosis while applications have been made for two more. Unclassified provision can be made whereby these two children may be given treatment, they will have to be sent away with no alternative but to die.

Here, it seems, is the county's opportunity. The last General Assembly passed an act whereby a county or a town may pay the cost of treatment at the State Sanatorium—one dollar a day—of any indigent tubercular patient residing in that county or town. No more appealing or deserving case could call upon the county for aid than that of a child coming down with tuberculosis.

It was a business and social success; why then a fool? But my friends, listen: there are many business and social successes in this world today, who are utter failures and who are fools in the sight of God. We should get it fixed in our minds, and get it fixed firmly that money or social position cannot open the gates of Heaven for us.

"The man in the parable" reasoned just like an animal. He wanted to get his wealth in comfort and enjoy it by himself. If I may digress a moment, I wish to say that it was ease and money that the people of this world today are after. It is not their salvation—that is mere a minor incident. The passion of the hour is MONEY, because money is all that will give ease.

"I have married many couples in my time and I have buried as many as probably any other minister in his section of the State. And every time I marry two young persons, it is not questions of the man's character or business that I hear, but 'how much is he worth?' 'Is he well fixed?' And when the poor soul dies, the same question is asked: 'How much did he leave?'"

"And, getting back to the parable, do you notice the number of times the man mentions the 'I' in his talk. It is 'I will do this' and 'I will do that.' He is egotistical, another reason for calling him a fool. He thinks the world revolves around him. He never took God into consideration.

"The Lord also called him a fool because he thought he could feed his soul on potatoes, corn, peas, or whatever else he raised. Friends, you cannot feed your soul on material things, things that decay. God alone can give you nourishment. He alone can comfort your soul. You cannot find the true comfort in the things of this earth.

"And the man reasoned as if his soul was his own, with which he could do as he pleased. But God gave you that soul, my friends, and God will take it from you again. And He wants that soul to be as clean and pure when it is returned to Him as it was when He gave it to you. Won't you listen to His word? Won't you give heed to the warnings? Won't you confess your faith in Him?"