

until June 30, 1907. Chancellor von Lill of indictment was returned Asheville, Special .- Another true mob overpowered the officers and took the negro. He was taken to the Congressmau Blackburg

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resontations and letter writinz"

the grand jury Wednesday.

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Tar Heel Topics.

strong, assistant scerelary of the

Spencer Merchant Found Dead.

jury charged with sending scurrilous

matter through the mails on a postal

card, appeared in open court Friday

Mr. Blackwelder is a prominent and

Items of State News.

The operators of the nine large

otton and woolen mills at Spray.

which are among the largest fac-

ories in the South, have agreed up-

A neero laborer who was working

on the new Selwyn hotel at Char-

Tuesday and was killed instantly.

thermoon. He stated that he plead

usity to writing the matter but that

Southern Cotton Association, it was

row, if less than 150 pounds. If more use one-half of it now. Cover with ed that the farmers will build facthe furrow of turn plow, then sow tories in this and other States and peas in this middle breadeast at the

telegrams were sent at once by the college authorities to parents of the

though regular, was not large and the smallness of the stalk itself now suggested that they should be planted thicker in the drill. This was done the text year with resplis so satisfactory that I continued from year to year to increase the number ut stalks and fertilizer, with which to sutain them, also to apply nitrate of soda at last plowing, and to lay by tarly sowing peas broadcast. This toethod steadily increased the yield until year before last, (1964) which corn cleven inches apart in six foot rows and \$11 worth of fertilizer to the acre. I made S3 bushels averagingto the acre, severel of my best acres making as much as 125 bushels.

last results obtained from its use as

a top dressing for oats. Still the

Last year, (1905) I followed the same method, planting the first week in April, 70 acres which had producof the year before 1000 pounds seed sotion per acre. The land sandy uptand, somewhat rolling, Seasons very aniavorable, owing to the trenaendous rains in May and the dry and extremly hot weather later on. From June 12th to July 12th, the time when it most needed moisture there was 5.8 of an inch of rainfall here; yet with 57.01, cost of fertilizer, my yield was 52 bushels per acro. Rows were six feet and corn sixteen inches in drill.

administry produce 1090 lbs, of seed conton with \$00 pounds of fertilizer, 50 bushels of corn should be made hy using 200 pounds of cotton seed neal, 200 pounds of acid phosphate. and 400 pounds of Kainit mixed or their equivalent in other fertilizer, and 125 pounds of nitrate of soda, all is be used as side application as direcied below.

On land that will make a bale and one half of cotton per acte when fervitized, a hundred bushels of corn should be produced by doubling the that \$40 pounds of nitrate of soda should be used

In each case there should be left on he hand in corn stalks, peas, vines and roots, from \$12 to \$16 worth of fertilizing material per aere, besides the great benefit to the land from so large amount of vegetable matter. The place of this in the permanent improvement of land can never be taken for commercial fertilizer, for it is absolutely impossible to make lands rich as long as they are are lacking in vegetable matter.

Land should be thoroughly and deeply broken for core, and this is the time in a system of rotation to evenen the soil. Cotton requires a more compact soil than corn, and best development, it will not produce as well on loose open land, while corn does best on hand thoroughly broken. A deep soil will not only produce more heavily than a shallow soil with good seasons, but it will stand more

well as well as more dry weather. In preparing for the corn crop, and should be broken broadest durbut the winter one fourth deeper than has been plowed before, or if much veretable matter is being turned under, it may be broken one third deep-. This is as much deepening as land will usually stand in one year and produce well, though it may be continued each year, so long as much dead vegetable matter is being turn-

ed under. It may, however, be subland in this section except wet lands was committeed near the city limits wited to any depth by following in

rate of at least one bushel to the acre and finish breaking out. In a few days side com in other

middle with same sweep, put balance of nitrate of soda in this furrow if it of nitrate of soda in this furrow of it ham, John R. Hutchins, Wilson: Pres-has been divided, cover with turn ident John S. Cunningham, Person plow, sow peas, and break out. This county; J. M. Unstead of this counhays by your crop with a good bed ty; E. G. Ragsdale, of Wake county, and plenty of dirt around your stalk. and others. This should be from June 10th to Several ideas were put forward, 20th, unless season is very late, and Some wanted to curtail acrease and corn should be hardly bunching for diversify crops. Others wanted to estassel tablish storage warehouses and hold

Lay by early. More corn is ruined by late ploying than by lack of plowing. This is when the ear is hurt. The good rains after laying by should make you a good erop of eora, and it will certainly make with much less rain than if pushed and fertilized in

the old way. The stalks thus raised are very small, and do not require any thing like the moisture even in propertion to size, that is necessary for larger sappy stalks. This may, therefore, be left much thicker in the row. This is no new process. It has long been a custom to cut back vines and trees in order to increase the yeild and Missouri. pulity to fruit, and so long as you do not hold back your corn, it will go. With this method, on land that will like mine so long went, all to stalk. Do not be discouraged by the looks of your cotton during the process of cultivation. It will vield out of all proportion to its appearance. Large talks cannot make large yields, except with extreme favorable seasons.

for they cannot stand a lack of moisture. Early applications of macounties. Those present were enthuture go to make large stalks, which siastic and a great meeting is exyou do not want, and the plant food pected in March. is all thus used up before the ear, which you do want, is made. Tall

starks, not only will not produce well themselves, but will not allow you to amount of fertilizer above, except make the peavines, so necessary to the improvement of land. Corn raised by this method should never grow over 7 1-2 feet high, and the car

should be near to the ground. I consider the final application of pany will do a construction and denitrate of soda an essential point in this ear making process. It should always be applied at last plowing and unmixed with other fertilizers. I am satified with one ear to the stalk unless a prolitic variety is planted, and leave a hundered stalks for every bushel that I expect to make I find the six foot row easies! to cultivate with out injuring the corn. For fifty bushels to the acre. I leave it sixteen inches apart: for seventy-five bushels to the acre, 12 inches apart, and for one hundred while a deep soil is essential to its bushels eight inches apart. Corn should be planted from four to six inches below the level, and laid by and vegetables; capital stock \$15,000 four to six inches above. No hoeing should be necessary, and middles may be kept clean until time to break out. by using harrow or by running out shovel furrow in center of middle and bedding on that, with one or more

rounds of turn plow I would advise only a few acres tried by this method the first year, or until you are familiar with its application. Especially is it hard, at first, to fully carry out the stunting process chere a whole crop is involved, and

this is the absolutely essential part of the process. This method I have applied or seen applied, successfully, to all kinds of

committees were appointed for the boys injured. The messages were not purpose of drafting by-laws and de- made alarming, but even while mildly vising plaus for the future. The meet- stating the ease, aroused grave appreing was addressed by Gen. J. S. Carr, hensions and the anxions fathers and C. C. Moore, Mr. Gildewell Rockingmothers have rushed to aid their loved ones. The property loss by the distruc-

tion of the buildings is estimated to be \$100,000 with 60 per cent, insur-Following is a list of missing and

in jured : Missing believed to be dead:

Henderson, Evereit, 18. of Illinois Kunkle, Winfield Scott, 15, of Ashcrops for better prices. Still others wanted to inaugurate a movement tabula. O. to raise money, establish factories on Fuller, James J., 18, of Warren, O. a large seale, and fight the great The injured:

American tobacco trust. This was the Barnes, Harry C., Cleveland, spins iead that seemed to prevail. The cominjured and leg broken from jamping mittee appointed will prepare the byfour stories; may die.

laws and devise plans for the build-Baker, Lenox W., Cleveland, intering of factories and carrying out the vally injured; immed four stories. idea that seemed to prevail. The com-Nicholson, J. Underwood, Steubengeneral idea of the factory movement ville; terribly burned about the body; seemed to be that the farmers should may die. subscribe stocks, small amounts being

Shannon, R. A., Wellsville, N. Y., taken by each farmer, and that large badly bruised from jumping. factorics should be built in this State, Thierweckster, Homer, Oak Har-

Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee and bor. O., badly burned about the arms. Bierell, A. G., Columbus, feet badly Then, with the farmers as the hurned.

source of supply and with factories of Galway, F. R. commercial master their own, they hope to get the best Adrian, Mich., internally injursk possible price for their products. may die. At the meeting in March the move-

Dorsey, W. O., Dallas, Tex., badly ment will either fall through or take | bruised : jumped three stories. some definite shape, as the committees Brown, Arthur, Cincinnatti, staappointed were enapowered to pressure | dent at old Kenyon : badly cut while

plans and devise the proper scheme, assisting in the resenc. The attendance represented several

Miners' Strike Averted.

Indianapolis, Special.-In a statement issued to the Associated Press. Items of State News. Vice President T. L. Lewis, of the United Mine workers of America, de-The secretary of State granted

charters to the General Transportaclares there will be no strike of the United Mine Workers in April, saying tion Company, at Canton; \$10,000 has been paid in with an authorized capithe operators will restore the reductal stock of \$100,000; incoporators Q. tion accepted by the miners two years

Carr. C. S. Bryant, A. Howell, S. S. ago, and perhaps more. Smith and W. T. Mayson; the com-

Cemetaries Bar Out Hoch.

veloping business: the Washington Chicago, Special .- The body of Jo-Drug Company, Washington, wholehann Hoch lay in the county more sule and retail, authorized capital at Dunning, Ill., while the undertaker stock \$100,000, with \$5,800 paid in, who had agree to inter the corpse at W. C. Rodman, R. A. Nicholson and his own expense, and the two ciergyabout 20 others stockholders; Basmen who were on the scaffold Frinight Lumber Company, at Wards day when Hoch was hanged, vainly Mill, Onslow county, incorporators J. tried to find a burial place. After S. and D. W. Basnight, local men; A. repeated efforts to secure a final rest-W. Davis, C. L. Sinnickson, A. B. ing place for the body of Hoch in one Smith and the Sinnickson-Smith Lumof the city cemeteries, the two elergyber Company, all of New Jersey; men finally despaired and the body \$12,000 subscribed in and authorized was interred in the potters' field adcapital stock of \$125,000; Graham joining the county poor farm at Dun-Canning Company, at Graham, to opning. erate an extensive cannery for fruit

Too Young to Realize His Crime.

with W. S. Vestal, J. N. McCracken and J. S. Cook as incorporators: the Pittsburg, Pa., Special .-- A coro-Shelby Wood Working Company, at ner's jury acquitted nine-year-old Shelby, with Editor Clyde R. Hoey, Harry Haas of the death of his bro-W. H. Eskridge, W. R. Newton, C. B. ther, Howard, aged 13 years of age, Blanton, D. D. Wilkins, C. J. Woodwhom he stabbed with an pocket son, and J. F. Gaffney, incorporators; knife a week ago, holding that the of an authorized capital stock of \$25,boy was too young to realize the 000 there has been subscribed \$3,100; enormity of his crime. The jury rethe Monroe Harware Company, at cemmended, however, that the javi-Monroe, with D. E. Allen of Char- nile court make an investigation into lotte, and others incorporators, was the case. granted a certificate of dissolution.

Bold Eobbery at Durham.

Ex-Speaker Henderson Dead. Durham, Special.-A bold robbery

Wilmington, Special .- It is an Dubnoue, Ia., Special-David B. nonneed from Atlantic Coast Line Henderson, formerly speaker of the headquarters that the contract for the Ferry, Clarke county, shot himself, attempt of the people of North Care-

Coast Line Shops.

will begin at the very ntmost limit. Buelow made a statement in which ot later than the 11th of April. It he said the imperial government the United States District Court. Mr. would begin at once, but contractors are causing delay by being slow in asked the Reichstag to authorize the Blackburn is charged with receiving full confession. The mob then stood making bids. There is an enormous application of the treaty rates to a fee of \$50 from W. R. Krider, of him up against a tree and shot him amount of work going on in all parts the United States, not as a right wa-I the country, and the labor probder the most favored nation interlem delays bidding by contractors. pretation, but in order that the ne-The work of construction will begin gotiations pending might still be iast beyond the Forsyth Furniture conducted to a satisfactory cud and Courbany's plant, located on the because it was in the interest of both Southern Railroad, just east of the Salem Cemetery, will extend around Happy Hill and cross the main Waucountries to avoid a tavilf war. The Chancellor said he placed a high value on good national relations beghtown read between the home of tween Germany and the United Mr. C. A. Reynolds and Spach Bros. States, which were a blessing in factory. This is said to be the most both lands, but it would deceive to expensive part of the read to conbelieve that he would buy political

struct and is estimated to cost close friendship by the sacrifice of Gerto \$30,000. The order authorizing many's economic interests. The the calling of the election to vote grounds of the government's propoupon the issuing of bends, for this sal were that a tariff war, which road, provided as follows: "Active must only be resorted to in case of work of the construction on said necessity, would damage not only road shall begin within 12 months Germany's interests, but other im from the date of said election and portant departments of industry, Alsaid road completed within three though the United States would be years from this date as prescribed injured in exports, which had grown in the petition filed before this considerably, the advantage of such a war would rest with a third country. . The Chancellor presumably meant Great Britain.

Summarizing a note from Secre tary Root to Ambassador Sternberg. Prince*von Buelow said that as soon as reciprocal relations of trade

has been granted to the United States, the President will publish a proclamation granting Germany a continuance of the advantages of Section 3 of the Dingley tarial.

Hoch Hanged.

Chicago, Special. John Hoch, con vieted wife-murderer and confessed bigamist, was hanged in the county jail Friday for poisoning his wofe Marie Welcker Hoch. He faced death with a prayer on his lips for the efficers of the law who took his life, and save for the words "goodbye." his last utterance was an as-

torious wife murderer, and his trial has developed many efforts to evade

justice. olina Case Workers' Association composed of furniture manufactur-No Tax Commission.

ers of this State and of thhree towns Richmond, Special .-- The bill of in Virginia, is being held in the Ben-Senator Thomas to create a tax com how Hotel here. There are forty manufacturers present from all furmission to make a general investiniture factory points in the two gation of conditions in the State and States. The price of furniture was recommende needed changes in the Virginia Tax Laws, was killed in the Senate after a spirited and somewhat wealthy eitizen of Catawba county bitter fight. The measure is simi- and his indictment came as a sur-

lar to the bill of Mr. Byrd, which prise. was before the House.

> Verdict for \$4,000. Grensboro, Special .- Henry Hunt-

ley, colored, was given a verdict for home by shooting herself in the head. \$1,000 against the Southern Railway She is survived by several brothers, Company in Guilford Superior Court, one of whom is C. O. Forbis, a furni- the jury having had the case under present system is 11 hours. consideration since 4 o'clock Thursdied from pneumonia here a weel: day afternoon. Huntley sued for ago. Worrying over his death was \$25,000 as damages on account of an probably responsible for her rush act. injured leg by falling off a box car.

News Items.

Elijah Mariow, of Castleman's Southern Pines, Special .- The first

The Blue and the G.ay.

ling to have a reunion of the men

scene of the crime, where he made a Reway county. It is alleged in the to death, riddling his body with bulbill that Blackburn secured a compro- lets. More than 500 shots were fired. mise for Krider "by persuasion, rep-

Dies Suddenly of Old Wound.

fore the Treasury Department and the Tampa., Fla., Special.-Captain C. commission of internal revenue. The L. Park, of the independent steamer date on which it is charged the Rep-H. B. Plant, was stricken with illresentative appeared before the Deness while bringing his boat to this partment is given as May 16, 1905. city from Manatee river and died Those in a position to know deelare Saturday. On May 4 last, Caplain that the indictment is the strongest Park was shot by Harry Bomford. piece of evidence that has been added whom he surprised in his home with to the two indictments returned by his wife and it was the opinion of the doctors that the present attack wos due to the wound he received at that time. Other physicians, however. At a conference held by Chairman hold to the belief that death was H. C. Dockery, of the State Execu- caused by acute Bright's disease and rive Committee, State Secretary T. that the wound had nothing to do B. Parker and Mr. B. Dixon Aranwith it.

New Railroad For Alabama.

decided that President Harvie Jor-Montgomery, Ala., Special .- Papers don should speak at Tarboro Thursof incorporation were filed with the day, March 1st; Goldsboro, March secretary of State by the Atlanta & 2nd, and Raleigh, March 3rd. These St. Andrew's Bay Railway Company. will be eventful days in the history The company certifies to its intenof the cotton association in this tion to build a line of railway from State, and will mark a general awak-Opelika, through the countries of Russell. Barbour. Henry and Houston Engineer Echols McBee and eigh- in Alabama and Jackson and Washcen assistants of the Scaboard Air ington counties in Florida, to Panama Line, have just completed a survey City, a new town on St. Andrew's of an extension of the Scaboard Air Bay. The capital stock of the com-Line from East Areadia to South- pany is \$1,000,000 and the certificate port, a distance of about 36 miles. shows that \$300,000 has ben paid in.

The Winslow in Bad Shape.

Spencer, Special .-- Sydney Ridson, Norfolk, Va., Special-The torpedo well-known bardware merchant of boat Winslow, of the Spanish war-Spencer, died at his home here Sat-Cardenas fame, was towed to a moorarday afternoon at the age of 36 ing at the Norfolk navy yard from years. Deceased had been ill only a sea by the naval tug Mohawk, with few days and his death was wholly her engines completely disabled. The unexpected, the body being found by Winslow left New York Tuesday for the taembers of the household. Asthsertion that he was innocent of the ma was the immediate cause of death. this station and suffered three breakdowns during the voyage and was

penalty of the law. He was the no- Fined for Violation of Postal Laws. sighted drifting down the coast by a Asheville Special-John W. Black- tug, which reported her condition to the navy yeard and the Mohawk was weider, of Catawba county, who was sent after her. indicted by the Federal Court grand

News Notes.

Geu. Ferdinand C. Latrobe was the principal speaker at the annual banquet of the Maryland Society of New York.

e did not know he was violaing the Mrs. John W. Watters, wife of a hav and he had no intention of doing New York insurance man, threw her Judge Waddell fined him \$20 three little children from a Long Island sound steamer and then jumped after them, presumably in a fit of demeutia.

Tampa Bay Forts May be Abolished.

Tampa, Fla., Special-A well authenticated report was received here that the War Department contemplates abaudoning Fort DsSoto, artillary posts located at the entrance to Tama the 19-hour day system, which pa Bay. The report has it that the will go into effect March 5. The two companies of artillery now at the forts will be transferred to Key West and Galveston. The government has expended over \$300,000 on lette, fell from the fifth story ou the posts.

Offers Virginia a Bust of Captain John Smith.

Richmond, Va., Special-Governor

Greensbore. Special.-Miss Avie Forbis, a highly respected young lady of McLeanville, committed suicide at 4 o'clock Friday atternoon at her ture dealer of this city. Her Tather

recently advanced and it is highly probable that another raise in price will be agreed upon owing to the rise in lumber and labor. Young Lady Suicides.

department this year. Case Workers Convene.

board." The order was granted March 6th and the election was held April 11th. Thus it will be seen that work of construction must begin not later than April 11th. Tar Heel Topics. The annual session this year of the North Carolina Bankers' Asso-

the session beginning on Tuesday.

will get this contract. This work

ciation will be held at Lake Toxaway and the days are June 19, 29 and 21 There is now a Farmers Institute organization in nearly every county in the State and institutes have or will be held in all the counties dur-

ing 1906. The Farmers' Institute has become thoroughly established as one of the important educational in-

stitutions of this country for the uplifting of the masses of the agricultural population. The Department of Agriculture will add a women's

Greensboro, Special .- The regular quarterly meeting of the North Car-

crime for which he paid the extreme

national House of Representatives, mammoth shops to be built at Wayand is in a critical condition. when a negro man entered the rear Benjamis Grinbert, postmaster at who fought in both armies of the Swanson has received from Judge and moist bottoms, and I am coulidied Saturday afternoon at Mercy cross, Georgia, has been awarded. hottom of turn plow furrow, provided dent it can be made of great benefit, of the home of Ed. Riley, also col-Hospital of peresis, which attacked Seventeen firms submitted bids. The Oceana, Va., is accused of taking an civil war was culminated in one of Charles Mayer a letter tendering to no more of the sub soil than has been throughout the entire South. directed, is turned up. Break with ored. After demanding something to the most satisfactory satherings that the State of Virginia a bronze bust of nine months ago. Col. Henderson be- contract is given to the Pennsylvania aged negro's pension check for Sil In the middle West, where corn is two horse plow if possible, or better gan to sink Friday alternoon, rallied Bridge Company, of Beaver Falls. It He says the negro owed him the Southern Pines ever witnessed. Gov. John Smith, "Sometime Covernor of so prolific and profitable, and where eat and not getting if, he held up with disc ploy. With the latter, cot-E. B. Glenn delivered the principal Virginia and Admiral of New Eng-Saturday morning, but in the after- is stipulated that the work must be money. unfortunately for us, so much of ours hiley's wife, secured her keys to a address of the occasion. Gen. J. S. land." The bust was modeled by ion stalk or corn stalk as large as has been produced, the stalk does not trunk, and took from the trunk \$22 noon lapsed into unconsciousness and completed by January 1, 1907, While we ever make, can be turned under Harry Wakeheld, of Norfolk, has Carr, of Durham, also occupied a con- General Baden-Powell, of the British failed rapidly until the end same. All the officials refuse to state the con- been hiecoughing constantly cince naturally grow large. As we come in money, two pocketbooks and other of his family except a son in Califor- tract price, it is known that the shops January 27, and physicians are unspecious part in the proceedings. army, the hero of Mafeking, who, it wihout having been chopped, and in South its size increases, at the ex things. The officers have been unable pea-vines it will not chop or drag. The decasion was one long to he re- | appears, is a lineal descendant of the pense of the car, until in Cuba and to bring about his arrest as yet. nia, were at the bedside. will cost not less than \$400,000. able to releive him. Virginia hero. arenahered.