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## THREE YEARS FOR KILLING DOG; SEVEN YEARS FOR MANSLAUGHTER

Mr. Chas. H. Robinson Graphically Describes People And Conditions Of Orient.

Smyrna. once the greatest church of Constan-The city of Smyrna is the greatest | tine and Justinian; the Galata Tower; shipping point for the products of the Imperial Ptomare Museum, and Asia-Minor and a carriage drive to many other historical places. The Mount Pagus gives a fine view of the Grand Bazaar, with its four miles of city and harbor. In this city was the booths for the sale of every imaginable article by people of every Orient home of "Croesus" and ever since it has been a synonym of great wealth. al country, presents a scene of great To us the place of greatest int.r. interest, It is said that more than 40 different languages are spoken in est was Caravan Bridge, which dates

back to 129 B. C. Across this bridge this Bazaar. the great caravan of camels heavily laden enter the city from the interior of Asia Minor, some of them having traveled six or seven hundred miles. They bring in some of the finest rugs made, dried fruits, olive oil, opium and many articles of Oriental manufacture.

Long train of camels were arriv-

ELIZABETH CITY, N. C. SATURDAY, MARCH 31 1906.

## Asks Questions Concerning The **Projected Canning Factory**

Can anyone tell me the real valu-fready to help them. If they refuse of a canning factory such as stock is to enlighten us, I would say we had better let the canning factory slide. being subscribed for?

I think the promoters of this fac-If there is a reasonable profit in it for the organizer, I want to put my tory should be paid and paid well, its shoulder to the wheel and help or worth a great deal of money to do the ganize it, and I will give my services work they are doing, yet, there is in free in doing so, for it will surely the minds of a great number of pe benefit Elizabeth City and its sur- ple, that this plant would not cost to exceed \$3,000, and the promoters in rounding country.

If on the other hand there is a justice to themselves, should enlightprofit of from \$3,000 to \$5,000 for the en the people as to the value and let organizers, I want to use my efforts us see if we can put our shoulder to towards stopping further subscrip- the wheel and try to influence our friends to come and help build a can-

It is not my desire to retard any ning factory. enterprise that will forward Elizabeth minds, that Elizabeth City needs a City and the surrounding country, for canning factory, and needs one bad, no one appreciates better than myself and as these gentlemen have started that to grow Elizabeth City's people the project, and have gotten a great must come together, organize and operate mills and factories.

On Sunday morning we steamed In my opinion nine-tenths of the away, first taking a run through the Elizabeth City subscribers to the can-Bosphorus, 22 miles for a look at the ning factory being organized, sub-Black Sea and back. Thus our stay scribed simply with a few to get a was of three Sabbaths-the Moslem. canning factory none are familiar Hebrew and Christian. The view of with the cost of such a canning facthe city from the ship is a charming tory and hardly care, in other words, one. The many Mosques with gracethey would be willing to almost give

that much towards any enterprise that ful minarets, palaces, and quaint ing and department with their many buildings, shining white in the sun. would so benefit Elizabeth City. drivers and attendants, making a very are bewilderingly beautiful, but the This was the view which I took of

tions.

MR. SETH HARRIS SUCCUMBED ALCOHOLIC YESTERDAY TO DISEASE FROM WHICH HE HAS SUFFERED FOR MONTHS-FUNERAL AND IN-TERMENT TODAY.

FARMER DIES

A WELL KNOWN

GUISE OF PATENT MEDICINES CANNOT BE SOLD AFTER TO-DAY-LOCAL DRUGGISTS DIS-POSED OF STOCK.

ARE NOW OVER

DAYS OF GRACE

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Mr. Seth Harris, aged 56, died yester an illness lasting several months. There is no doubt in the people's day when he breathed his last his death came as no surprise to the so-deal of interest worked up in this rerowing family at the bedside. gard, they should be given the first

> residence this afternoon at mon township.

take upon my shoulder the good of He is survived by a wife, six chil-Elizabeth City and its surrounding dren, seven brothers and sisters and ers have been working off the mediby numerous relatives living in dif- cines they know came under the head If we organize a canning factory ferent parts of the county. He is also of those prohibited, and only a few survived by a mother, who is over bottles are left. There has at all 80 years old. The 'eceased was one of the best known farmers in the section, and head, for a list of them has not been success in that vocation had placed furnished by the government. It is him in a far better financial condition known, however that Hostetter's Bitthan the average farmer. a long time before we would be able He had hosts of friends and ac- ous brands of ginger are included. It quaintances, among of whom are :esi- is now stated that Peruna, on which dents of this city, and his death is deeply regretted.

Today marks the expiration of the terday at his home near Nixonto", af- days of grace allotted by the government to the dealers in patent medi-During the past few weeks he had cines to make disposition of such conbeen confined to his bed and under coctions as contain alcohol and which the best of medical assistance his con- are held out to the public in the guise dition constantly grew worse. Yester- of remedies for nearly all diseases to which the human family is heir. Due notice was served several months ago of the ban placed on such beverages

The funeral was conducted from to the effect that their sale would afone ter a specified date be prohibited. An o'clock, Rev. P. S. C. Davis offi- extension of time was granted by the ciating. The interment took place im- department, however to permit the mediately afterwards in the Martin druggists and other dealers to sell off Pritchard burying ground, in Mt. Her- | or ship back their stock on hand, which extension ends today.

Since the first notice the local deal-

great Bazaar is said to be smaller than that of Constantinople, but to a stranger is a perfect maze and it is quite impossible to get about in without a guide. Charlie and I tried it, and refused the services of a boy who spoke a little English. He, however, followed us, and after wandering about for sometime we were glad to accept his services.

The city has 225,000 inhabitants and is decidedly an improvement on Constantinople. Its streets are cleaner and in the American and foreign sections are many fine buildings and residences. Charles Dudley Warner describes it as 'an Asiatic city with a European face. It produces nothing and exchanges everything and is the Paradise of the Turk. The house of luxury and beautiful women.'' This may be true but I cannot understand how he managel to get a look at the women, for the Mohammed women all have their faces hid with veils, and nearly all we saw with face uncovered would, have looked better if they had covered them with veils.

March 16, 1906.

## Constantinople.

The sail through the Dardanells peace and usefulness. and the sea of Marmora to the southern end of the Bosphorus, where is located the city of Constantinople, in 'icated below:

took about eight hours. We had no sooner dropped anchor opposite the Golden Horn (which divides the European city in two parts) when a tug came along side our ship bearing a floral emblem of the Shrine presented by a Noble of a Shrine in Chicago, with an invitation for party to attend Oriental Lodge, No. 788, of Masons, that night, as their lodge room co"'d not accommodate a larger number. There are 80 Masons on the ship from 28 different states, and it was agreed at a meeting to allow at least one from each state, and as I am the only one from the "Old North State," it was my good fortune to attend the meeting.

The lodge is chartered under the Grand Lodge of England and is the

animated and interesting scene. The remembrance of the filthy streets, the it and I will subscribe \$100 to any and it is worth the money and is a we are looking upon an earthly Paradise, and we bid the city farewell without a single regret.

> Note-The penalty for killing a dog friends to join not knowing the real money and is not a success, it will be is three years imprisonment-for killing a man seven years.

C. H. ROBINSON. March 4th, 1906.



The ministers of the town and sursounding country, recognizing the appalling disregard of the Sabbth day, which God has commanded us to keep holy, will on next Sunday preach on this increasing evil. They say no one can fail to see the neglect of this day, by every class, and that the time has come for every pastor and citizen who loves home and God-given privileges to join hands in a crusade against all eyil which threatens our

The following pastors will preach on the above subject at time and place

Dr. J. H. Hall, at City Road Metho- to the extent of \$5,000 of the amount dist church, at morning service. Dr. A. P. Tyer, First Methodist for the Suffolk and Carolina in this

church at evening service. Rev. W. H. Luther, Pearl Street event is coming to be freely discuss-Methodist church, at morning service. ed. If a concensus can be formed Rev. P. S. C. Davis, Salem Baptist from the opinions heard in the discus-

church, at morning service. Rev. J. B. Ferebee, Shady Grove Methodist church, at evening service. Rev. T. W. Winfield, Presbyterian will oppose the issue.

church, at evening service. Rev. Josiah Crudup, Blackwell Memorial Bapist church at 11 a. m. April 8th.

church, at morning service.

bronzed and sinister faces of most of old thing whether it pays or not, yet, success, the farmer will hereafter the people, dispels the illusion that I don't think that it should be in- feel more like putting his money in ferred and I would not wish it to be our enterprise; if on the other hand, understood that I entered it as a pay- a canning factory is organized, it is ing investment, neither do I ask my built and found to be not worth the

cost of such a plant.

I would like to ask the promoters to get the farmers to put another dolto state in this paper as age ts of th | lar in any enterprise, and no town Hastings Industrial Company, whether | can be successfully built without the such a plant and buildings as their co-operation of the farmers and towns ing and turning the plant over to our it is good.

proof that such is the case, there are people in Elizabeth City who stand

prospectus implies, can be built at a people, therefore, we must use every profit by any concern at \$7,000 giving safe-guard to see that the farmers are them \$1,400 for organizing and build- not asked to subscribe stock, unless

opportunity and at the same time

It is not very pleasant to take upon

ones self this matter, as I am doing,

but these gentlemen have the Hast-

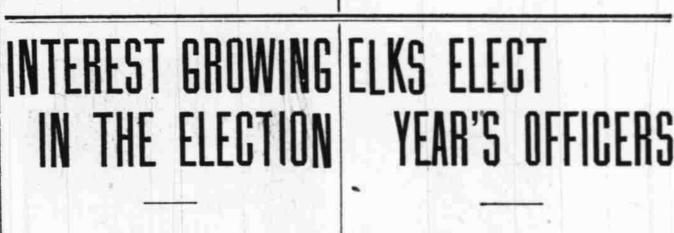
ings Industrial Company at stake.

great consideration.

country.

people. If the Hastings Industrial I am not for tearing down, but will Company is only making a reasonable ever be found one to forward and upprofit, they should be willing to so jouild every interest of Elizabeth City state, and if they give conclusive and its surrounding country.

> Yours very respectfully, A. C. HATHAWAY.



With the near approach of election MR. R. W. TURNER CHOSEN EX-

day when it will be decided whether Mr. T. G. Skinner will be reimbursed he expended in purchasing a terminal city, by the issue of city bond" that

sions, the idea is that the bond issue stands an equal chance either way. Baptist church, and also at Moyock. Some believe the people will vote to splendid home in the new Robinson Rev. W. T. Usry, Walker Memorial give Mr. Skinner the amount, and building and nearly the entire memothers refuse to think that way and bership attended to participate.

Mr. Skinner was in town again this

morning and in speaking of the elec tion substantiated the statement he made sometime ago to the effect that Rev. John F. Vines, First Baptist if the issue is defeated he will not

erect an auditorium and will forever



Mr. J. G. Harris, a farmer of this section, last a valuable horse this week. He went to Norfolk and purchased a good animal at a sale and was crossing the ferry to Portsmouth, intending to drive through the country back home, when the horse took fright and in its struggles crashed through the railing and fell overboard drowning before assistance could be given.

Mr. Harris is a man of limited means and the loss to him is great.

LITTLE WAS APPOINTED DEL- March Strong In EGATE TO THE DENVER CON-

The annual election of officers of Elizabeth City Lodge No. 856, B. P. O. Elks, was held last evening at the

The election sulted as follows: Exalted Ruler, Roscoe W. Turner. Leading Knight, D. B. Bradford. Loyal Knight, J. C. B. Ehringhaus Lecturing Knight, Dr. I. Fearing. Secretary, S. S. Richold. Treasurer, J. M. Martin. Tiler, J. M. Hill.

times been some discussion as to the

exact medicines coming under the ters, Duffy's Malt Whiskey, and vari-

there has recently been some sensa-

tional attacks made, will not be included as the manufacturers have changed the formula by adding a laxative ingredient.

The sale of all the medicines could be continued by securing government license to sell spirituous liquors, the permit costing \$36, but a druggist said this morning the license would be taken in a prohibition town as prima facie evidence that liquor was being sold

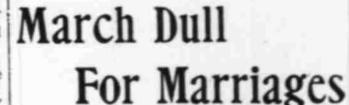
## Special Meeting **To Hear Report**

Tomorrow afternoon at 3:30 o'clock a special meeting for men has been arranged when a report of the interstate convention of the Y. M. C. A., which was held at Charleston, S. C., last week will be made by Secretary Evans.

Rev. Tyer will preside at the meeting and Mayor Leigh will give a ten minute address to men preceding the report.

The meeting will open with a son; service in charge of Mr. Kight.

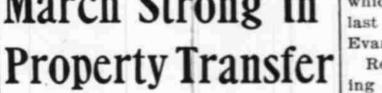
Boy's Brigade meeting will meet the second quarter will be in their



In buying and selling real estate in the city and county March held its own as compared with other months, at 2 o'clock and the new officers for in the number of transactions at any rate. At noon today the transfer rec- places.

ords at the court house revealed that 356, deeds, deeds of trust, chattle mortgages, etc., had been made during the month. The amounts ranged March Dull from \$3,000 down.

Most of the property to change



ALTED RULER, AND MR. G. R.

VENTION.

wash his hands of Elizabeth City and hands is located in the country, only one in the domain of the Sultan. Inner Guard, G. W. Twiddy. her interests. He also expressed the though some city homes have new The work was in the Entered Apprensame confidence that the bonds will Mr. George W. Little wass chosen owners. tice degree and was in every material be issued, saying the people cannot as a delegate to the Denver convenpoint the same as at home. tion, with Mr. W. M. Baxter as alterhelp seeing the justice of his request Through Store The month of March has been un-We were given a hearty welcome to be reimbursed and will vote acnate. Temple Quartette usually dull in the marriage line so and a splendid banquet at the best The trustees were elected as folcordingly. far as this city and county are conhotel in the city. One may well feel lows: T. P. Nash, for three years; Several nights ago, a negro, drunk cerned, as is shown by the records proud to belong to an order whose J. T. McCabe, for two years and Louiz **Musical Feature** or half crazy, fired his pistol into the at the court house. fractional arms encircle the world. Selig for one year. Steel Frame store of Mr. W. E. Hinton, in the up-At noon today only seventeen li-This excursion through the streets per part of the county, and has escapcenses had been recorded, and five gave us our first. impression of this For The Roof FIGHT AT SKATING RINK; city of one and a quarter million peoed all punishment. of those were to colored people. The It was at about eleven o'clock and ple and thirty thousand dogs that are month started out brisk enough, sevthe store had been closed for the Monday morning at 8 o'clock seats eral local couples being married and absolutely without owners. TRIAL IN POLICE COURT The streets are steep and poorly night. Mr. Hinton and family live 'run aways'' coming from Virginia for the Temple Male Quartette will paved. There is no system of sewer- over the store and were preparing to almost every day, but during the last be put on sale at Kight & Brights. age and these dogs are the scavengers retire when without any preface two weeks they dropped off, as Those holding season tickets can have This morning at nine o'clock them reserved at that time. and are protected by law. They seem whatever the pistol shot rang out and The steel frame work for the roof the last six or seven days no one even to roam the streets in bands all night the bullet crashed through the stor. Messrs, Lex Tunnell and Sam West The Temple Quartetle has been re- applied for a permit. of the government building is now beand to sleep all day anywhere they The shot was not repeated and as soon were arraigned before Mayor Leigh ceived enthusiastically wherever they Register of Deeds J. C. Spence, gald ing put together by the iron workers like best. The people walk around or as he could Mr. Hinton ran out to it has been one of the dullest months in the police court as the resu't of an have appeared this season and it will and good progress is being made. The altercation at the skating rink last be one of the mest quartettes ever over them. I counted 40 in one short the road and discovered that it was in this respect since he has been in block. a negro who had made the assault four walls having been completed, full night. heard in this city. office. We arrived on Friday, the Mohamo- and later, by diligent inquiry, obtainattention will be given to building the Mr. Tunnell was fined two dollars Miss Kathrine Cole as a reader has den Sabbath. The next day, the Jew- ed his name and learned that he lives and half the costs and Mr. West paid few equals and will delight her au.i-Mr. T. C. Lyon, of Greensboro, is roof. ish Sabbath, we took carriage drives here. Next day he came to town with half the costs. here on a business trip. ence. The interior work is also rapid and all day, visiting the principal sights the intention of having the negro ar-Both were skating and colli'ed, the This entertainment will close the the fire-proof partitions for the various of the city, among which I will menrested, but for some reason did not subsequent argument leading to a lit- star course at the association this Mrs. James Towe, of Chapanoke, is tion the Mosque of Sancta Sophia offices are nearing completion. carry it into effect. tle ''spat'' in which neither was hurt. | season. shopping in the city today.