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The Contest Waxing Warmer Every Day

Miss Mary Stout Still in the Lead—Miss Swanna Patterson Takes Second Place—The Enthusiasm Growing.

Burlington.	
Miss Swannie Patterson,	1,900
Myrtle Isley,	1,700
Lois A. Workman,	1,050
Myrtle Tate,	425
Flossie Burke,	200
Callie Boland,	100
Daca Davis,	100
Emma Overman R. 1,	200
Ollie Ector, Route 2,	200
Annie Matlock, R. 2,	200
Mattie Pennington, R. 2,	100
Rosa Crouse, Route 4,	100
Fannie Belle Stanford Route 9,	100

Snow Camp.	
Miss Mary Stout,	2,425
Spring Graded School,	300
Sylvan Graded School,	200

Mebane.	
Miss Grace Amick,	200
Essie Dodson,	100

The Graham Postmastership.

The long drawn out fight over the postmastership at Graham has been settled at last. Mr. Heenan Hughes a prominent citizen of that place was appointed several weeks ago, and the appointment was confirmed by the United States Senate last week, and Mr. Hughes will take charge of the office as soon as his bond is accepted and the commission issued. Mr. Hughes is one of the county's progressive young business men, and is a power to be reckoned with in the councils of his party.

Mr. W. H. Holt, the retiring postmaster has held the office for about 14 years and made our sister city an efficient official. He made a valiant fight for re-appointment. He is a good citizen and a high toned gentleman. The fight for the office was a hard fought battle, while it was a battle royal, yet so far as we know it was a friendly one, in fact we might say it was a family affair. Mr. Hughes, the newly appointed postmaster is a son-in-law of Mr. Holt, the retiring postmaster.

Death of Mrs. Burton.

Mrs. Thomas Burton of near Hightower Caswell County died Monday at St. Leo's Hospital after an operation for tumor. The remains were brought here yesterday evening for burial.

Mrs. Burton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Moses B. Trolling of Newton and a cousin of our townsman H. W. Trolinger.

Mr. Burton is a very prominent farmer of Caswell county and has hosts of friends. Those who arrived here Tuesday evening to attend the funeral were Mrs. Moses B. Trolling of Newton and daughter Miss Mozelle of old Fort and grandson Spencer of Salisbury and grandson of Newton and Miss Fry of Catawba. We extend sympathy to the husband and bereaved relatives.

Both Ankles Broken.

Gus Blaylock an employee of the Burlington Coffin Company, was badly hurt Thursday evening by the falling of a heavily loaded elevator on which Mr. Blaylock was on. Both ankles were broken and a severe nervous shock was the result of the fall. Mr. Blaylock has been a faithful employee of this company for 13 years or more. He had the misfortune of getting one of his hands injured in the burnishing machine once before. We trust his recovery will only be a question of time.

THE UNIVERSITY LETTER ENUMERATORS' RATES OF PAY

Nathaniel J. Cartmell, the University of North Carolina Track Team Coach has just broken the world's record in the 220 yard dash at Liverpool, England. Three States claim Cartmell, Kentucky, North Carolina and Pennsylvania. He was born in Louisville, Ky., reared in Asheville, N. C., and educated at the University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia. Cartmell won the amateur furlong Championship of America and represented America with signal success at the Olympic Games in London. He remained in England to meet all comers and soon won the amateur furlong championship of the world. Postle, a professional, in the meantime had defeated all opponents in Australia; had maintained his supremacy at the 220 in South Africa, and had made a clean sweep of Great Britain. Postle held the world's professional title; Cartmell, the world's amateur title. Cartmell challenged Postle who forthwith accepted. The international rivalry for an undisputed world's title went into severe training with the result that Cartmell unheralded by the press and with odds against him defeated the mighty Postle and today holds the dual title of the amateur and professional championships of the world. His time for the furlong on a heavy track amid falling snow was twenty-one and one-half seconds which is one-half second less than the world's record. In a letter to Prof. E. K. Graham Cartmell says that he will sail from Liverpool January 19 for Philadelphia and that after a sojourn with his old friend trainer, Mike Murphy, of the University of Pennsylvania, will report for duty at Chapel Hill March the first. Cartmell left North Carolina a youthful bicycle champion; he returns to his adopted state the fastest runner alive at the close of a series of the most remarkable athletic achievements of this generation.

The Ladies Sewing Club met with Mrs. W. H. Anderson last week. Delicious refreshments were served, and a delightful afternoon was spent. Mrs. Anderson is a charming hostess, and the members of the club are always glad to meet with her. Miss Blanche Bradshaw, who has been visiting her sister Mrs. J. C. Morris left Sunday for Gibsonville where she is visiting her sister Mrs. Jennings. Rev. Vickers preached to a large audience Sunday, he is a growing young man. There will be preaching at the M. P. Church next Sunday every one invited. R. G. Crawford of Orange co. brought his little boy here some days ago to be operated on by Dr. McPherson and by Dr. Walker of Graham. He is doing well at present, the trouble is below the knee. We hope the boy will get over it and let the parents have rest and pleasure. Warrar Chaffel and wife of Union City, Pa., are visiting their son-in-law and daughter Mrs. H. L. Richard, they will spend the remainder of the winter here, they seem to be well pleased with our town, and country we hope for them a pleasant stay in our midst. We always love for good people to visit us and shed a ray of good influence over us. The mills running four days in the week makes trade a little dull but we look for brighter days soon. The Sunday School seems to be well attended, and a hopeful outlook for good.

The appearance of the new comet is the topic with a great many, but owing to the cloudy weather it hasn't been seen clear. Of the nine papers presented before a recent meeting of the North Carolina Section of the American Chemical Society, eight were read by professors and Alumni of the University. The special brief course in pharmacy for men of three years experience will considerably increase the spring enrollment in the Pharmacy School. This course begins February the first. Dr. Chas. H. Herty addressed the farmers of Georgia last week at the University of Georgia on "The Conservation of the Turpentine Forest". Dr. Herty has made a life study of turpentine; invented the Herty Cup which revolutionized the turpentine industry in the South; and worked for several years under Gifford Pinchot, the deposed chief of forest conservation. The Special brief course in pharmacy for men of three years experience will considerably increase the spring enrollment in the Pharmacy School. This course begins February the first.

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Mrs. Heenan Hughes Entertains. One of the grandest social events of the season was given Saturday night by Mrs. Heenan Hughes at their beautiful residence at Graham to commemorate the 40th birthday of her husband. A large number of relatives and friends were present who enjoyed an evening of real pleasure. But no part of the occasion was enjoyed so much as when the guests were ushered into the dining room which was the scene of one of the grandest oyster stews imaginable. All present partook and partook until they could partake no more. At the parting hour each one of the guests wished Mr. Hughes to live, at least, three score and ten and that Mrs. Hughes would celebrate each anniversary as she had his fortieth.

Resolutions of Respect. Where as in the providence of Almighty God, our kind Heavenly Father, our beloved brother and co-laborer, Mr. Emmett Tate was called from earth to eternity. Resolved: That we humbly bow to the will of Him who always deals gently and mercifully with his children. Resolved second: That we extend to the bereaved family our sincere sympathy in this dark hour. Resolved Third: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family and to our city papers for publication. J. D. ANDREW | Com. North W. R. ROSS | State Council W. J. HORNE, | clil No. 34. Jr. O. U. A. M. LOST—Ten or twelve week old pig, black and red spotted. Liberal reward if returned to C. B. Greeson, Burlington, N. C.

Census Director Durand Establishes a Classification of the Compensation of Census Takers.

Washington, Jan 22nd.—The varying wage scales in different parts of the country and the differences in the nature and extent of the local difficulties confronting the enumerators in the larger geographical divisions of the United States have influenced and guided United States Census Director Durand in the adoption of a classification of enumerators' rates of compensation, within the limits prescribed by the United States Census law enacted Congress.

The different classes of rates will be so applied that in general the average enumerator will earn substantially the same actual amount in one district as in another, even though the population may be much scarcer in one than in the other, with other conditions also different. Regard is paid to the fact that prevailing wages and salaries are higher in some parts of the country than in others, but, aside from this, the Director's aim is to adjust the rates so as to make the earnings of enumerators substantially uniform. Where the per capita rates would not give sufficient pay, the per diem rates are prescribed. The rates in general will be so adjusted as to give a slightly higher average amount to the enumerators than they received in 1900.

Per diem rates of pay will be paid to the census enumerator in the sparsely settled rural districts of Arizona, California, Colorado, Idaho, Montana, Texas, Utah, Washington and Wyoming. The rate will range from \$5 to \$6 per day for the enumeration of the rural areas outside of cities and towns; Six dollars is the highest rate authorized by law. The Director realizes that in many districts of the far West it will be impossible to secure competent men to act as enumerators at a rate of compensation less than that being paid for ordinary classes of work in the same area. Where enumerators in such districts paid only on the per capita basis, their compensation would be unreasonably low.

The enumerator in the thinly inhabited country sections of North Dakota, Nebraska, and Kansas also will be compensated on a per diem basis. Certain difficult or sparsely settled enumeration districts in other states will be included among those to which the per diem rates will apply, as the conditions of the enumeration will be such that an enumerator could not make fair earnings at any of the per capita rates established. This announcement was made by Census Director Durand to-day, in order to counteract the deterrent effect upon applications for enumerators' places in the far West and Southwest states of the widely circulated and erroneous statement that per capita rates of pay to be given in the sparsely populated regions named.

THE CLASSIFICATION OF RATES. In this connection the Director has issued to the census supervisors a detailed statement of the classification of rates adopted for the compensation of enumerators in the Thirtieth Census, commencing April 15 next. There are three general rates—the per capita, the mixed, and the per diem. The first and second general rates have subdivisions each. The per diem rates range from \$3 to \$5.50, \$4, \$4.50, \$5, \$5.50, \$6, are to be paid for a day of eight hours work. For enumerators on the per capita basis which will be that most widely used, the pay for each inhabitant is: Class A, 2 cents; class B, 2 1-2 cents; class C, 3 cents; class D, 3 1-2 cents; and class E, 4 cents. Such enumerators will also be paid for each farm as follows: Class A, 20 cents; class B, 22 1-2 cents; class C, 25 cents; class D, 27 1-2 cents; and class E, 30 cents.

OUR RICHMOND LETTER THE SWANNANOA CLUB

Richmond, Va., January 24.—As state-wide prohibition prevails in the "Old North State" it may be of some interest to note the progress that temperance is making in the "Old Dominion." From a report made by the secretary of the Anti-Saloon League of Virginia, which has just met in convention in this city the following facts are learned.

Counties with license,	29
Incorporated towns without saloons,	141
Incorporated towns with saloons,	10
Incorporated towns with dispensaries,	10
Incorporated cities without saloons,	10
Incorporated cities with saloons,	19
Number of saloons in counties,	121
Number of saloons in cities,	550
Number of saloons in state,	671
Grand total of liquor license of all kinds,	857

As there were approximately 2,900 licenses in 1900, this is a gain of upward of 2,000 in nine years.

The population of Virginia is about 2,100,000, says the report, and of these 1,500,000 live in dry territory. In local option elections of the last five years the wet majorities will not total 1,000 votes, asserted Mr. McAlister.

When it is recalled that there is even one hundred counties in the state it will occur to the reader that the rural districts are inclined to a dryness equal to the proverbial "powder horn." The General Assembly, which is now in session is wrestling with the problem of submitting the question of state wide prohibition to the voters of the state. The Anti-Saloon League is working with might and main for the passage of such an act, but with slim prospects for success, for the Liquor Dealers Association is not asleep and the liquor influence in the state of Virginia is a power to be reckoned with. The legislature also has before it a bill making the playing of football a misdemeanor, punishable by fine and imprisonment. Great preparation is being made for the inauguration of Governor-elect William Hodges Mann into office, which event will occur on the first day of February next.

The enactment of a somewhat curiopus law is being discussed in the state legislature—to wit a law to prevent Republicans from voting in Democratic primary elections. The offering of this bill discloses the fine Italian hand of the Democratic machine, which desires to tighten its grip on the party, and through the party upon the people. Card of Thanks. We desire to thank our many patrons and the public in general for their liberal patronage and courteous treatment given us during the past year. We solicit your patronage in the future and will endeavor to please you as in the past. Hoping you prosperity during 1910. We are, Yours to please Coble-Bradshaw, Company.

These rates are in each case 5 cents or more higher than those paid in 1900, when the range was from 15 to 20 cents. For each establishment of productive industry try the rate for each class is 30 cents. For each barn and inclosure containing live stock, not on farms, the pay is 10 for each class. Under the mixed rate, which is a combination of the per capita and the per diem, there are five subclasses alphabetically arranged, and the per diem is: Class F, \$1; G, 1.25; H, \$1.50; I, \$1.75; and J, \$2. For each inhabitant the pay is: Class F, 2 cents; G, 2 1-2 cents; H, 2 1-2 cents; I, 2 1-2 cents; and J, 3 cents. For each farm: Class F, 15 cents; G, 17 1-2 cents; H, 17 1-2 cents; I and J, 20 cents each. For each establishment of productive industry the rate is 20 cents for each class.

The Swannanoa Club held an enthusiastic meeting last night and elected 26 men to membership. The Club is growing in popularity and membership and the promoters are enthusiastic over its prospects. The following new membership at last night's meeting: Messrs A. D. Pate, J. D. Whitted Lee Lutterloah, W. D. Wright W. E. Story, Geo. Sharpe, Date Jones, Walter Jones, J. M. Hayes, T. L. Hayes, Walter Cates, A. E. Hobgood, W. G. Bridges, Dr. R. M. Stockard, Carey Isley, Odus Pickard, L. B. Harnaday, C. J. Boland, J. W. Montgomery, C. C. Cates, D. H. White, Dr. W. A. Stroud, J. C. Squires, R. O. Browning, L. D. Moore, Ben Ferrington. The Club will meet again next Tuesday night and every member is urgently requested to attend.

R. F. D. No. 5. Everything is quiet on No. 5. Bad colds have been very prevalent and those who have not had them have not had the latest. R. T. Hester received the sad summons to come home, last Sunday that his father was dying. We extend to him our deepest sympathy.

Ralph Rogers is at home from Raleigh Business College. We expect to lose Ralph now as he has prepared himself for other fields, and while we feel loath to give him up, yet we wish him very much success in whatever he finds to do. Miss Mamie Anderson spent a few days with her parents last week. We hear that she was nursing a sore arm, caused from vaccination. Several young people visited Miss Cornelia Allen last Sunday, p. m.

Mrs. J. R. Aldridge visited Mrs. Tom Albright at Graham last Saturday. Mrs. Kate Wyatt who has been right sick with a cold is slightly improved. L. M. Johnston and Mrs. J. W. Johnston were pleasant visitors at the home of R. G. Aldridge, last Sunday. Henry Roney, was a pleasant visitor at James Anderson's last Sunday p. m.

Eugene Anderson and family visited at the home of R. G. Aldridge last week. Mr. and Mrs. Lou Patton entertained quite a number of their young friends last Wednesday night by giving them an old time dance. Think we voice the sentiment of the entire crowd when we say it was very greatly enjoyed. Wm. Boone has been on the sick list several days hope he will be out soon. D. M. Lindsay is again a patron of No. 5, there is no place like home.

Miss Etta Long, of Mebane Route No. 1, visited her sister Miss Ava on No. 5, at Mr. T. W. Brights. The Patrons of No. 5, on the road from Hope Dale to Haw River gave the lumber for a bridge over Boyds Creek 31 ft. long, and our clever Supt. of Public Roads, W. N. Thompson has built a bridge the public is proud of in fact he is the best supt. the county has ever had. We don't say much about our birthday but our Route was 5 years old last November. We have got a very good Route some hills and bad roads but our patrons are second to none as the best. We are making a special effort to get our patrons to buy envelopes and stationary the envelopes are much better and are always ready and we won't have to grab their brownies out of the boxes. Our good friend No. 7, has a great deal to say about red noses if one qt. of wine turned my nose the color of his I would get some surgeon to amputate that awful growth on the front side of my head. It reminds us of an over ripe cucumber. 1 large black mare and 1 bay horse for sale. C. B. Ellis, Burlington, N. C.