

# The Caucasian

AND RALEIGH ENTERPRISE.

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## Local Matters

The special school bond election was carried in Raleigh Tuesday by a good majority.

Mr. G. Lyle Jones, of Franklin, Macon County, has been appointed to the position of law clerk in Attorney-General Bickett's office.

Articles of incorporation for a big cotton mill at Marion were filed with the Secretary of State Tuesday. The authorized capital stock is \$500,000.

Sam Carleton, a negro from Irredell, serving a sentence of six years for barn burning, escaped from the convict camp at Selma on the night of the 13th.

News was received in Raleigh yesterday of the death of Capt. C. J. Irredell at Norfolk, Va. He was a son of Governor Irredell, and was born and reared in Raleigh.

There were several drunks before the Police Justice Tuesday. Raleigh seems to be reaping revenue from the liquor traffic, notwithstanding she has no saloons nor a dispensary.

Mr. C. E. Watson, a guard at the penitentiary, died Tuesday from a stroke of apoplexy. He was a native of Chapel Hill, but for several years had lived at Kipling, Harnett County, where his remains were shipped for burial.

There was a shooting affair in the southern part of Raleigh Sunday night, and as a result, John Jones, colored, is in the hospital with a pistol ball in his hip. A negro by the name of Tom Rollins did the shooting. Jones was drunk and got into a quarrel with Rollins.

Wake Superior Court convenes in Raleigh next Monday. The case in which most interest is manifested is that of Earl Cotton, Tim Holderfield and Red Hopkins, who will be placed on trial next week for the murder of Dr. W. E. Smith, of Richmond, Va., at the rock quarry in Raleigh last November.

Fred Miller, a young white man of this city, was arrested Tuesday night on the charge of assault and robbery. It is charged that he got Gordon N. Morgan drunk and robbed him. Miller was arrested some time ago charged with connection with the Smith murder mystery but was afterwards released for want of sufficient evidence. A \$500 bond was required of Miller yesterday. This he was unable to give and was placed in jail.

### Governor Kitchin Grants Pardons to Five.

Governor Kitchin Saturday granted pardons in the following cases:

D. B. Pennington, of Wayne County, convicted at August term for retailing liquor.

Shiz McConney, who was serving a term on the roads of McDowell for an assault.

Bob Medlin, of Union County, who was serving a twelve months' sentence for manslaughter.

Willie Colston, of Tyrrell County, who was serving a term on the roads for forcible trespass.

Rufus A. Hagins, of Union County, who was serving a term in the penitentiary for barn burning.

### STATE NEWS IN BRIEF.

Some Short Items of Interest From All Over the State.

An unknown negro was killed at a lumber camp near Vanceboro last Wednesday afternoon.

Hicks Capehart, a lineman at Asheville, fell from a telegraph pole Monday and was killed instantly.

A Durham child, Thomas McAbee, swallowed a peanut Sunday and died before a physician could reach him.

Matthews Ferris, a negro truckman at Fayetteville, died Sunday afternoon fifteen minutes after drinking a bottle of blind tiger whiskey.

Duffy White shot and probably fatally wounded John Morgan, a negro, Saturday night at a dance they were attending near Dover Lenoir County.

Pierre W. Danforth, a young man of New York, attempted suicide at Wadesboro Monday morning by drinking wood alcohol. A physician reached him in time to save his life.

Ben Boykin and Bug Williams, of Old Fields Township, Wilson County, engaged in a difficulty Saturday night, and Boykin shot Williams, the ball entering just above the eye. Williams is still alive.

The name of the Rowan Rifles, Company B, North Carolina State Guard, has been changed to the Ramsey Artillery, in honor of the late Capt. John A. Ramsey, of Salisbury, a well-known Confederate veteran.

Howard Dunlap was killed at Mayodan Friday night by jumping from a moving train on the Norfolk and Western Railroad. The unfortunate man, who was intoxicated, missed his landing place and his head struck a steel rail.

Harvey Nester, who shot and killed William Johnson at a saw-mill in Surry County, was captured in Tennessee, and at a preliminary hearing before a Winston-Salem magistrate, was released on \$3,000 bond. He was to have been married the day following the shooting, and was returning from a distillery, where he purchased some whiskey, when he got into an argument with Johnson.

## SAVES FORTUNE FOR FARMERS.

Rural Free Delivery Worth \$117 Yearly to Each Patron—Investigation Reveals That Value of Farm Hands is Enhanced by the Mail Service.

Washington Times.] While much has been said and written of the benefits—material, social, and otherwise—that have accrued to farmers by the introduction of the rural delivery mail system, only casual mention has been made of the money values of the material benefits, and, indeed, the Department has never made any computation of such values.

The inconceivably enormous sum represented by but one of the elements comprising the material benefits conferred by rural delivery may be conjectured from the computation contained in a statement submitted to the Postoffice Department by J. H. McClintock, postmaster at Phoenix, Arizona.

There are four rural routes out of Phoenix which traverse the rich Salt River Valley of Arizona, and Mr. McClintock says that, at a valuation of \$4 per day for a farmer's time and team, the time consumed by a farmer coming to town once a week for his mail, and sending half a day for that purpose, and spending each trip 25 cents for cigars and other trifles, represents a loss of \$2.25 each trip, or annual loss of \$117. Upon this basis Postmaster McClintock considers that there is an annual saving of \$101,790 to the 870 farmers who are served by rural delivery from his office.

Assistant Postmaster General DeGaw says he believes that Postmaster McClintock's estimate represents a conservative average saving to each head of family served by rural delivery, and that if applied to the 4,000,000 heads of families now being served in the United States would represent an annual saving to them of about \$468,000,000.

There are other savings and material benefits resulting from the establishment of rural delivery, to which brief reference may be made.

It is shown by reports which have been received at the Postoffice Department that since the introduction of rural delivery the value of farms on rural routes has increased in some instances as much as 45 per cent, and that the average increase in such farm values has been 25 per cent.

A good portion of this increased value has been directly attributable to rural delivery, and represents another enormous sum of money. Furthermore, by reason of the fact that patrons of rural delivery now receive daily market reports, and newspaper advertising bargains in commodities, they are enabled to get the highest market prices for their farm products and pay the lowest prices for the necessities which they require. The gain and saving thus effected must be very large, and the total amount of the money value of the material benefits conferred on patrons of rural delivery embraces an amount of such vast proportions as to be wholly beyond comprehension.

A member of the House of Representatives, who has made a study of the benefits derived by farmers through the agency of rural delivery has submitted figures to show that in his opinion the increase in realty values due to that service aggregates at least \$750,000,000.

### Nippers and Grippers.

The British Weekly finds an editorial text in an epigram by Pringle Dale: "The people of the world are divided into two classes—those who grip life and those who nip life." The characterization is photographic. The difference between thoroughness and superficiality, earnestness and frivolity, decision and hesitancy, steadfastness and vacillation, efficiency and incapacity, industry and dawdling—in fact, the whole hemispheric contrast between success and failure—is measured between those two shrewdly picked Saxon words, "grip" and "nip."—The Interior.

### For Consular Service.

A special from Washington to the Raleigh Times yesterday afternoon says:

"T. Elwood Cox, Republican candidate for Governor of North Carolina in the last election, is a candidate for a position in the diplomatic or consular service of the United States. Although a Republican, Mr. Cox has the backing of the Democrats in Congress. His name was placed before the President to-day by Senator Overman and Representative Small."

### It Saved His Leg.

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### New Collector of Customs at Charleston.

Washington, March 16.—Edward Durant, Jr., was to-day nominated by the President to be Collector of Customs at Charleston, S. C.

Josiah (to newly wedded neighbor)—I wish you long, happy lives; and I see no reason since you have had experience, why you and Mariah cannot pull together as steady and happy and successfully as a team of horses. Obedience—No doubt we could if there was only one tongue between us.—Judge.

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## ABLE SPEECH BY HON. R. L. HAYMORE

His Speech for Local Self-Government in Surry Was Full of Oratory and Argument.

When the subject came up in the House of Representatives on the 10th of February on the minority report from the Committee on Education of the bill to elect the board of education of Surry County by the people, the Hon. R. L. Haymore, of Surry, championed the minority report, and his speech was not only excellent from a standpoint of oratory, but was replete with facts. Mr. Haymore began his remarks by showing that it was the best interest of the school children of the county to elect the board that while 60 per cent of the children in rural districts attended school 40 per cent of them did not attend at all. At this point Mr. Connor, of Wilson, asked Mr. Haymore, sarcastically, if he knew that Surry was receiving more money from the State for education than she paid into the State for that purpose. Mr. Haymore's reply was a withering rebuke to Mr. Connor's inquiry. Mr. Haymore then proceeded to eulogize Surry, giving a description from her earliest date up to the present, reciting that she was of a stock of the patriots herself, the daughter of Rowan, the land first intended for man, that when she arrived at the age of maturity she threw her skirts westward into the State of Tennessee, the land now of the Carmacks and the free. She was the mother of Wilkes, Ashe, Watauga, Yadkin, Forsythe and Stokes, all of which was of the stock of the original blood.

He stated that the county officials of Surry have been honest, capable and efficient. At this point Mr. Doughton, of Alleghany, inquired of Mr. Haymore, if he didn't know that a Republican sheriff of his county had been defeated on account of charges made against him. Mr. Haymore answered it was not, and then inquired of Mr. Doughton if it was not charges brought against the Democratic candidate for Congress in the Fifth District that defeated him in the last election. Mr. Doughton did not answer, and the House cheered. Mr. Greene, of Currituck, asked Mr. Haymore if there were any charges against the present board of education. Mr. Haymore replied no, except that they were partisan and would lose their jobs if they were not strong partisans. He then proceeded to show the tendency to create friction between the people and the board of education on account of political discord, that this to some extent prevented the children from attending school and obtaining an education that the people could make indelible for non-performance of demands made on them by the Democratic board of appointees, which was unjust. He then proceeded to denounce the policy of disregarding the popular will and the rights of local self-government, recalling incidents in which the dominant party had obtained their present power of appointees from the Constitution adopted in 1875, by the aid of the Republican voters in Western North Carolina. He said that appeals were made to the west to vote for the new constitution to save the east from their condition by popular vote, that the west aided them in this with the promise that the right of local self-government should ever be sustained in the State. That again in 1900 another appeal was made to the west to help the east to adopt another amendment to the constitution, when it became necessary for the west to suffer more than any other part of the State. It resulted in its effect against the interest of the west in that more of her white citizens were disfranchised; that it was the effect of this new amendment to the constitution that put the now dominant party in power. That without the aid of the west the constitution never could have been amended. That no appeal had ever been made by the east that had not been granted, that now if was nothing short of ingratitude to refuse local self-government to the people of the State. He cited as a further indication of ingratitude that many of the western Democratic counties had been allowed to elect their boards of education, while the same right had been denied the Republican counties.

He then proceeded to recount in interesting detail the many acts of patriotic valor of Surry, Wilkes, Watauga, and other western counties, in securing our national freedom. When the time allotted for discussion had expired, his time was extended by unanimous consent of the House, and through the entire time of the speech the House, the lobbies and the galleries were filled, and he was frequently applauded. He was congratulated even by partisan Democrats who felt they were party bound to vote against the bill.

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## BILKINS IN NEW YORK.

(Continued From First Page.)

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"Yes, yes, I know," said the proprietor. "Some of them North Carolina merchants come up here. They look like deacons in the church, an' I guess they air—at home. But when they land in New York they a-always manage ter hev a bad cold or something, an' they come eround an' call fer a hot Scotch or some Irish whiskey. I kin tell 'em as far as I kin see them. When a man from Virginia or Maryland comes in here he walks up to the bar an' sez: 'Barkeeper, give me a toddy, or give me a drink that hex claws on hit.' But when them North Carolina fellers come in they come a-limpin' or coughin' or a-sneezin', an' they say: 'Mr. Barkeeper, hev you any whiskey suitable fer medical purposes? I came up on the boat last night an' the porter lettin' a window open an' I caught the worst cold I ever had in my life. Give me just a small drink ov your best corn licker, something verry mild, please.' Havin' bin in the business fer twenty years, I know just what ter do. I set out a bottle ov white corn licker an' a glass that will hold a half pint, an' then I git busy cleanin' up behind the bar. In erbout twenty minits my North Carolina customer begins ter think that life iz worth livin', an' he sez: 'Mr. Barkeeper, that wuz fine whiskey; I feel much relieved a-ready.' Then he throws down 50 cents, an' sez: 'Keep the change.' He goes out steppin' high, with hiz head thrown back like he wuz lookin' at the stars. In an hour, or less time, he comes back. 'Mr. Barkeeper,' sez he, 'that wuz real licker, an' I want er git five gallons ov hit ter carry home with me fer medical purposes when I start. Give me another small drink ov hit.' I know me job, so I sets out the same bottle an' go on with me work. He takes hiz medicine an' goes er-way. Late in the afternoon he comes in ergin with a yarn erbout New York being a great town an' sez he hex decided ter stay here an' open a bank or start a big store. I jist set out the same bottle an' go on with me work. I know me business."

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North Carolina—Wake County.

In the Superior Court—March Term, 1909.

Rena Evans vs. Wilks Evans.

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W. M. RUSS,

Clerk of Wake Superior Court.

J. C. L. HARRIS,

Attorney of the Plaintiff.

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Raleigh, N. C., Feb. 26, 1909.

## PUBLICATION OF SUMMONS.

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