

The Times Covers Concord and Cabarrus Like the Dew.

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Table with 2 columns: RESOURCES and LIABILITIES. Includes items like Loans and Discounts, Capital Stock, and Deposits.

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THE APPALACHIAN RESERVE.

Baltimore Sun.

President Roosevelt's invitation to the Governors of the States to meet in conference at the White House in May to consider the problem of conserving the natural resources of the country—primarily the forests—is of special interest to the people of the Appalachian States. In these States the forests, which determine the volume of the streams and their water power, require speedy attention.

CLEAN LIVING AND CLEAN SPEAKING.

News and Observer.

The day when a public man could win favor on the stump by vulgar anecdotes has forever passed. Men who cannot control their own appetites are not suitable for public office and the people are demanding temperate men in every place of trust.

NEGROES URGED TO FIGHT.

Washington Post.

It is claimed that 30,000 negroes will become eligible to vote in North Carolina this year. The matter of determining whether the section of the constitution chosen has been properly explained is left to the registrar in a general election, but in the party primaries or convention the negro will take his old place and will demand that he be given the right to participate, and this, it is contended, cannot be denied him.

MANY PREACH PROHIBITION.

Washington Dispatch, Wash.

This was "field day" in Washington for the temperance movement. National temperance organizations of the country combined with the local organizations, and throughout the city there were sermons and addresses on prohibition. This afternoon at 20 or more churches prohibition was preached by ministers and temperance orators.

S.S.S. CURES SKIN DISEASES

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Set People by the Ears.

The Asheville Gazette-News speaks in humorous vein of the much talk about former Congressman Linney to the Appalachian forest reserve bill. It says that "it has been related that former Congressman Romulus Z. Linney, of Alexander county, has been telling the people by the ears in the Eighth district, telling them the direful things that would happen to them if the Appalachian forest reserve bill should be enacted into law.

Tired of Seeing Jo. Cannon Slobbered Over.

Statesville Landmark. A year or so ago the Observer printed in its columns a much talk about "Uncle Jo," and the slobbering over the old fraud indulged in by many North Carolina newspapers. And yet the North Carolina newspapers and the Washington correspondents continued to slobber over him, almost daily, in complimentary terms and to mention over and over again the fact that he was born in North Carolina. The latter fact is true but the Landmark regrets it and wants the country to forget it as soon as possible.

An Accurate Analysis.

Monroe Equivocal. A hazer who goes to the room of a student and inflicts injuries upon him should be punished exactly as he would be if he were to go out and enter the home of a citizen and inflict punishment on the members of the household. The hazer should be suppressed. He is a cowardly sneak and the boy who goes around under cover of darkness and backed by superior numbers of cat-bats is no hero.

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The Papers and the Roads.

Charlotte Chronicle. A quiet effort has been made in Congress to get the free pass business loosened up a little, but it met with swift failure. There can be no doubt of the free pass privilege was greatly abused before the enactment of the present laws and that the killing of the free pass was a good thing for both the public and the railroads.

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To the Point.

There is a well-known saying that "brevity is to the soul of wit." Below are instances of the truth of this: A man who is regarded as a bore by his acquaintances met a witty friend in the street and stopped him. "What's going on?" he asked. "I am," was the other's reply, as he continued his way. A celebrated physician, after examining a patient, advised him: "You'd better take the walk on an empty stomach every morning, my dear sir." "Whose?" was the brief reply.

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