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he was to be robbed when he shot, and he shut.

Lowe and other friends terminated in about \$500 on his person and was sure from the lower freight charge. the death of Allen, but only because he was being held up. After he had the defendant thought he was being shot three times he drove rapidly

held up, and not because he recogniz- away, not knowing that he had killed ed then or knew he was killing Alien, the man. Mrs. Lowe was greatly nu nerved by the showing and Thoma thomas stated >

The testimony of the defendant was drove immediately to take her home. the big gun fired by the defense, and He then went to find the police and all evidence introduced by the defense report the occurrence. He did not find hepetofore had been woven around the the officers, and asked some boys at the police station where to find them. story that Thomas told the court.

On direct examination by Mr. Park- He then went to the drug store, where er, he testified that he is 34 years of Dr. Flowe and Herman Cline told him age, and was born in Spartanburg, a man had been shot. He told them He was in the U. S. Navy when the that someone had tried to hold him up war closed. Afterward he went to and he had shot at him. He then drove work for H. L. Morrow, of Charlotte, the car back to the house and left it. selling automobiles in Concord and when two policemen came to the door Kannapolis about four days every for him. They walked down the street week. He met Mr. Robert Lowe last together, and the officers told him that June or July a year ago, and they Arthur J. Allen had been shot. After were good friends. Also he met Mrs. reaching the police station Thomas Lowe about the same time. A close said he phoned his wife, telling her friendship sprang up between Mr. and he had been held up and shot the man. Mrs. Lowe and the defendant and Mrs. He also told Sheriff Spears he had been Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. Lowe often held up and had shot the man. entertained Mr. and Mrs. Thomas at On cross examination by Mr. Harttheir home in Kannapolis over the sell, the defendant stated that he had week-end, while Mr. and Mrs. Thomas known Allen about one year. Allen's entertained Mr. and Mrs. Lowe at a place of business was a short distance Charlotte hotel on different occasions, from the Forest Hill Motor Company, Mrs. Lowe occasionally desired to go to where Thomas made headquarters. Concord or Salisbury or some place, Thomas had sold Allen an automobile and defendant often took her in his last summer a year ago. Allen had latcar, always in day time. He had tak- er returning the automobile to the gaen Mrs. Lowe to Winston-Salem twice, rage, and defendant took back the

once in a party of five persons, and car, as he said Allen wanted a Ford later he took Mrs. Lowe to Winston- sedan. Allen had paid a total of \$150 Salem to visit some of her friends, on the car. He had used the car on-Thomas said : he had ridden twice by one Sunday. Thomas denied that alone with Mrs. Lowe, the first time. Allen had said the car was unsatisfacwhen he was asked to come to Con- tory, and the reason the money was the first three weeks of school, cord from Kannapolis and bring Mrs. not returned was because Mr. H. L. As there may be children seven Opened Steady at an Advance of Lowe home. On this occasion Miss Morrow refused to return it. He said

defendant said he had also taken many personally, but was "sore" with H. L. mid-term, Monday, January 23rd. ladies to ride at Kannapolis, possibly as many as forty of them. He stated bunch. that nothing improper had ever taken

and that he knew her reputation was vards from his car. Before defendant This may require an afternoon session. that buyers of cotton goods were still he would "rather jump from the Brookplace between himself and Mrs. Lowe, stopped his car he had seen a man get All children must be vaccinated. "Aceptionally good. out of the Ford sedan, but paid no at-The deceased, Arthur J. Allen, was

well known to the defendant, Thomas tention to him and did not notice him again until he was 10 or 15 feet from 'S. C., Sweet Potatoes for King and said, and the best of feeling existed be-

his car. The man walked up to the tober 25th, he said he saw Allen in the Thomas car on the left hand side and Charleston, S. C., Jan. 18 .- To in-Jucen them. On the morning of Ocbarber shop, and spoke to him and the laid his left hand on Thomas' car. troduce the South Carolina sweet others present. When Thomas got out Thomas did not see what he had in potato to English palates and to the barber's chair Allen told him his hands, and he never looked to see create a European market for this that he knew of a prospect who want- if he had anything in his hands. The product, one thousand sample cartons July 16.73; October 16.18, to buy a car, and gave the name of defendant illustrated how the man had each containing two pounds of this

An ales

harlotte at the habeas corpus hearing his car stopped the man was within mated that coal rates had advanced her, the Bureau of Babor Statistics of physicians that years ago he had been before Judge Shaw, the defendant de- ten or fifteen feet of him. The man from 75 to 200 per cent., according to charing comphatically that he believed came up to the left hand side of the locality, since 1914. Thomas car and asked, "Cap, are you The railroads would be justified. Mr. that he could not tell who the man was following me." The witness replied. Morrow asserted, in making a reduc-

"No.". Allen then commanded, "Then tion of 75 cents a ton on the average Incidents leading up to the shoot- throw up your hands." The defendant haul by reasons of savings in their oping were told almost exactly as told said that in a flash he snatched the erating cost which already had been vesterday by Mrs. Robert Lowe, who from Mrs. Lowe's lap and fired three attained by reduction in the price of was with Thomas when Allen was kill- times in rapid succession without tak- coal during the past year, added to ed: Planned pleasure ride with Mrs. ing aim. He said at the time he had the further savings they would make

told today was similar to that told in gotten out of it. When Thomas got coal at the mine was \$2.23. He esti- tionery through November and Decem- plained of headaches. He told told

### TIN CAN IS POOR BANK.

# North Carolina-Man Finds His \$1195

Washington, D. C., Jan. 17.-Several months ago, when it looked as if old hard times would hurt everybody, a depositor in the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank of Bakersville, far in the mountains of North Carolina, withdrew his money, \$1195, in greenbacks, and put it in a tin can. Without apparent reason, the money "ran together" and formed a solid block. Today D. A. Green, of the bank went to the Treasury here and exchanged the consolidated bils for new ones, Gfeen, said he was sure the experience of his customer would break him of the tincan banking habit.

### Governor Morrison to Be at Home Next Week.

Raleigh, Jan. 18.-Governor Morrison plans to spend all of next week in Charlotte. He will go to Washington tomorrow night to appear with Highway Commissioner Frank Page before department of agricultural officials regard to the distribution of \$1,700,000 of federal money in North Carolina. He expects to go direct from Washing to Charlotte, spending next week in looking after some personal affairs and seeing his friends. He will engage rooms at the Selwyn hotel.

### Graded School Notice.

It has been the rule of the Concord schools not to admit beginners after

years old who have not entered school Rosa Munr accompanied them. The Allen had no ill-will toward himself a beginners' class will be started at

Morrow and said they were a crooked My experience has been that children do better not to enter school be-When Thomas stopped near Over- fore they are seven years old. A great cash's the Ford sedan was about at many educators agree with me on this.

A. S. WERB, Supt.

## Premier.

ture Producers and Distributors, "im- ethical policy to govern the etilies of mediately after March 4." it was an- the State will be presented to the several recent holdups. When he was ening manner and Thomas held a gun "Tibs" Price, an assistant football the Insane at Washington. land has agreed = to lend 1.009,000 nonneed tonightt' at a dinner at which meeting for adoption roling with a lady he always laid the in his face. The case was thrown out coach, will be the instructor. pound to the ministry of the Irish. the Postmaster General was the guest pisted in the lap of the person in the of court. In Spartanburg he had had No Verdict Yet in Stubbs Case Fitzgerald, Ga., Jan. 19.-No verdict provisional government, at was an-With Our Advertisers, of a group of motion picture officials. front seat. He told of several parties two fights. One was with a man who Fourteen Valuable Horses Are Burned. Mr. Hays' formal revignation from . Many attractive values in groceries nounced today: who had ridden with him, and who car- slapped him in the face ; and the other has been reached in the case of Fred President Harding's caldnet will be are offered by the Piggiy-Wiggly in a Oxford, Jan. 18 .- The people of Ox-Community Sing-Song. ried the pistol for him. On the night with a negro who had hit him. Stubbs, one of the fourteen employees phesented soon, it was said. new ad. today. ford were awakened Tuesday night, at A community sing song will be held midnight by the shrift fire whistle, to of the A. B. & O. railroad, charged Thomas contradicted part of the stedred dollars on his person, having Charlette relating to the hearing in find a bright fire raging in the stables with murder in connection with the at the High School Friday evening at Tires, tubes and accountant, a titre At The Theatres. stort always on band at the Contral. Wands Hawley plays the leading billing station. Charlotte relative to the number of of A. M. Pruitt, in the rear of Lym. or twenty people were around him times he had visited the Overcash Winston & Co. store, on College Street, reconvened this morning. be rendered. The public is cordially inpart at the Star theatre today in that. The big semi-stand sale of winter when he had a roll of money out to home. He stated here today that he The firemen quickly responded and vited. No admission engts, overwarts, shows and hats is in The jury retired Monday afternoon nusual feature. Too Much Wife." "No Woman Knows." the "amazing full tdast at the Browns-Gausson Co. had been to the home but one time, every effort was made to save the at 5 o'clock and has been deliberating covered a metal possessing the trans- story of Fanny herself." is the headpay a colored boy. Thomas said he had lost his pistol. The stenographic report stated that horses, but fourteen valuable animals since. New Yorkers say their water tastes parent properties of g ass, by which liner at the Pastime today and to-bad New Yorkers must get used to airp'anes could be made invisible. and the one he had on the night of the shooting was one belonging to Mr The sun, if it were a noticer sphere. perished in the flames. The fire is could contain a million giches as the shooting was one belonging to Mr. been there stated that the stenographer supposed to be of incendiary origin. William Russell is being starred large as the earth. Deal, which he found in the pockwater sooner or later. Members of Irish Free State par- again today at the Piedmont in that et of the Buick car Deal had driv- was mistaken Microbes in connection with disease The man who agrees with every-Boston has a Pi alley. Must be liament must recognize British sovfamous Fox feature. "The Lady of He stated that he had been with were first written about by a German en to Concord to have repaired. thing fon say lies to others sign. Longacre." ereignty. (Concluded on page four.) Witness said he wanted to see Os. scientist in the seventeenth century. where the movie comedies show.

the Department of Labor symponest shot in the head and the bullet had today. The Bureau's weighted index not been removed. The bullet was number with the 1913 price level de- found near the base of the brain. Its J. P. Allson noted by 100, stood at 149 in those pressure, physicians said, was the Mr. Editor: two-months, with the prices of 527 cause of his outbreaks. commodities considered.

NEW BERN CELEBRATES Foodstuffs, farm products, cloth. clothing, chemicals and drugs showed a decilining tendency which was most pronounced in such articles as cattle, Takes on Colonial Aspect.-Hundred of Visitors in the City.

hay, hops, peannts, butter, peas, eggs, iard, lemons, oranges and sugar. The general level of wholesale pric-

es in December, according to the anskirts, gay waists and than it was one year before, with around their necks, New Bern today house furnishing goods showing the once more took on a colonial aspect greatest decrease of 37 per cent., metin commemoration of the 150th annials and building materials 24 per cent. versary of St. John Lodge A. F. & A. farm products 21-1-2 per cent., fuel 21 per cent., and food 19 per cent. All of George Washington visit to this city. the remaining groups of commodities showed smaller decreases. cers of the Grand Lodge of North Car-

### RESPECT FOR THE TREATIES THAT FIXED PEACE TERMS

and papers relative to the early his-Is the Platform That Premier Poincaire Will Present to His Cabinet. dinner was enjoyed by about 1.00 per-Paris, Jan. 19 .- (By the Associated Press)-"Respect for the treaties that sons and was followed by further exercises, culminating in a pageant depictfixed the peace terms." is the platforn, ing the arrival of George Washington that Premier Poincare decided to present for his cabinet before the cham- and his retinne. The pageant took ber of Deputies this afternoon. De place in a special court of honor which charation blamed "shameless propagan- was built for the occasion. A colonial da" for the picture drawn abroad of dinner was enjoyed by about 1.000 per- the curtains and everywhere were pin-France as "painted with a sort of im- evening will conclude the program. perialistic madness." Meeting of Executive Officials of Ep-

Of the Genoa economic conference the Premier's statement says:

Memphis, Tenn., Jan. 19 .- Appoint-"We insist that the conditions of ment of international secretary and the Cannes protocol be accepted or rejected by the delegates prior to any secretary's to direct social, recreatitional and missionary activities of the discussion, so that none of the stipu-Epworth League was recommended in ations of the treaty car be debated. the report of Dr. Irvan Lee Holt, of even indirectly. Unless we have precise guarantees on this point we shall be compeled to retain our liberty of committee at the opening seasion to- the Miss Catherine Lawrence assisted action."

### THE COTTON MARKET

Points on December But 6. to 11 Points Lower on Other Months. market opened steady at an advance from which he recently returned. of two points on December but generally 6 to 11 points lower owing to The Negro Whitfield Starts for South. call, and active months soon showed started back to Onslow County, N. C. low level.

uary 17.55; March 17.60; May 17.17; extradition.

sane.

Dr. J. E. Smoot Dr. W. C. Houston, I the state of the

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A. B. Palmer

Enclosed find check for two dollars,

to be applied to the Woostpore Wilson Foundation. May his doctrines of state-manship, pointing to universal peace and amily among untions, rapid-

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ty seal their impress upon the world at large, and hand in hand with the day-New Bern, Jan. 39.-With men trines of Christianity, may their wearing satin knickerbockens, colored united influences bring to fulfillment coat, top-hats and broad buckled the prophecy as for the swords being shoes, all ladies attired in columinous maten into rolowshires and sponrs in

to pruning books, and war couse from the earth. Wory trais. J. EDWARD SMOOT.

M., and the 130th anniversary of the Rey, and Mrs. T. N. Lawrence Give an

### Informal Reception.

The members of All Saints' Enison pal Church were guests of Rev. and olina are here to take part in the day's Mrs. T. N. Lawpence at an informal reception at the rectory last crening and consisted of interesting addresses from eight to ten o'clock.

The delightful conditity with which tory of St. John lodge. A barbeene you were received put you at once at ease and made you feel perfectly at

After removing your wrap and hat yon were invited into the dining room, where Misses Frances Jarratt and Lou-ise Gaither served you a delicious cup Whose Clothes Were Found Beside of fruit punch. Here and there on ned pictures suggestive of the family name of those invited, thus providing a contest which was entered into most

merrily, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Lewis gave the most correct list, and won the prize, a big stick of candy. A consolation for the rest, as Mr. Lawrence annothered if, was a humorous reading given by Mrs. W. H. Gorman, which was most thoroughly enjoyed.

Misses Jenny Gibson Brown and Htthe Misses Jurreft and Gaither in serving left his house early in the evening. ×. cake and ice cream.

Dr. F. S. Parker. General Secretary All-American Crew Sails on Ship With Grain For Russia.

Baltimore, Jan 17 .- Laden with to mession, the steamship Western Maid sailed today for Reval, a Haltie seaport, where the curgo will be un

The purpose of selecting all native Americans is to refute foreign propaganda being promulgated in ship ping eircles, according to Captain F. North Carolina authorities, and waged equals of the men of some of the sea-

> Captain Haines said an itemized account of everything that happens to the vessel on the voyage will be kept.

2,583 from two to thight per could of finel 111 100 ofts. Much of it, even in cold wantle-10.00 er, is marss, the result of ensuratested

the minded with corn manufa to requilitafermentation, yet we opten representatives intelligent eitheus, minur ad them wealthy, subby the lefturner and in promy with an anti-

MYSTERIOUS KILLING IN MILLPORT, ALABAMA

Woman Killed Wlers a Load of Shot Was Fired Through a Window White She Was Brading.

Verneull Mir. Ben. for example an therities after an all-might search are without informations fingt might land to identification of the assuling who last night killed Mrs. John McQuesies at her home two miles morth of MIS-

DOT1. Mrs. McIssulel was blied when a load of shot was fired through a willshow of her home while she was read ing. Members of the family who route ed into the yard failed to are anyone. Officers said they had no strip ins which to work. Robberry, they said, apparently was not the motive for the killing.

KILLING IN BIRMINGHAM

the Corpse.

Birmingham, Ata, Jan, 19, Pathow were samething toolay for a momman to three weinders's of framewant of electhing, part of which some found this. morning Soulde the douty of farmet Heidman, aged 29, in a czennił hat in Fountain Heights, a fushionable realdential section. Residents of the urightertisest said to the petter that they beard a about advist if is, so have might- The lowly was discovered this morning alast signiorak

One buillet way fired jute his landy,

striking mar his heart.

#### Honor Lee's Memory.

Atlanta, Gas, Jan. 12 - The out bundred and fiftrenth multersary of the birttle of General Robert E. Lee. lemder of the subling former of the Confederate States of America, - was generaly observed throughout the South today. In nearly all of the states the day is a legal holiday and is else served by the classing of the achoosie, public offices, hanks, and many boulnews brognes, Under the amplices of the different patrietle and suterand organizations energines commencents ing the ife and deeds of the familie eldeftnin were held in all the principal

edtien miel town.

Ethics to Govern Citizs.

The prospect to Thomas. This occur- stood heside his car. at the time the vegetable are being shipped to Liver- Rear Admiral Kline Is Adjudged In- London, Jan. 9. (By the Associat Chicago, HI., Jan. 19. That one oily and he is confident it will show that about 8:30 or 9 o'clock in the morn- shots were fired. Then the defend- pool aboard the steamship Wekika. shall not fry to build itself up at the ed Press) .- Pope Benedict's fever is an American vessel can be run as ing and he saw Allen no more that ant drove away rapidly, and did not Special cartons are to be sent to King expense of its neighbors is the idea Somerville, N. J., Jan. 17 .- Rear somewhat diminished but absolute economically and managed as effilehind the "ethical conference" of notice the man when he fell. The last George and to Premier Lloyd George. Admiral George Washington Kline, quiet and rest are essential for him, a ciently by native Americans as by any time he looked at Allen the latter was Hitigade etties, whiley, in to he held in U. S. N., retired, President of the Central News dispatch from Rome tothe morning of Octber 25th. He had reeling back, but was not down on the Golf To Be Taught at U. of California. Board of Inspection and Survey of day said. The Pope is troubled by perother crew in the world. Chicago teasorrow. The The Hillmone Berkley, Cal., Jan. 17.-Golf is to the Navy during the war, was ad-sistent coughing, pains in his head and Will Hays to Assume New Duties be taught at the University of Cali-judged insane here today by a com-chest and by weakness, but continues Sometime After Fourth of March. chamber of Commerce has instant indiscovered that his motor was missing, ground. vitations to the conference and it is Defendant said he had been in trou- be taught at the University of Cali- judged insane here today by a com- chest and by weakness, but continues The left the car at the Fixall Motor ble. He was convicted of hitting a fornia here. In answer to demands mission appointed by Chancellor in high spirits, the statement add-New York, Jan 18 -- Will H. Huys expected that nearly every much to be repaired. He had his pis-man and fined \$15. He had some trou-ble with a party who stated he was go-handy because of the fact that he ble with a party who stated he was go-the fact that he ble with a party who stated he was go-the fact that he ble with a party who stated he was go-ble with a party who stated he was go-ble with a party who stated he was go-ble fact that he ble with a party who stated he was go-ble fact that he ble with a party who stated he was go-ble fact that he ble fact that he ble with a party who stated he was go-ble fact that he ble fact th will become directing head of the new icipality in fillmole will be removement National Association of Motion Pic- at the gathering A definite order of handled quite a bit of money, and there was lots of talk at Kannapolis about Thomas and Thomas held a gun "Tibe". Price an assistant for the Naval Hospital for Dublin. Jan. 18. The Bank of Ire-

Cotton futures opened steady: Jan- a long but unsuccessful fight against faring races of Europe.

St. Louis, chairman of the legislative day of the annual conference here of executive officials of the league. The opening address was made by

150TH ANNIVERSARY

Hundreds of visitors, including offi-

program which commenced at 11 a. m.

of the Epworth League board of the Methodist' Episcopa' Church South. Dr. Parker outlined the work of the about 7,000 tons of corn, and manned

worth League.

New York, Jan. 19 .- The cotton Methodist church in the Far East by an all-American crew, from master

hoding off. There was quite a little lyn bridge than be returned to the scattered Southern selling after the South," Wm. Whitfield, negro, today net osses of 16 to 20 points, with in the custody of Sheriff Taylor, to II, Haines, head of the local Sea Ser March selling at 17.44 and May at face a holdup charge. He was cap vice Bureau of the Shipping Board. 17.10, or a shade under yesterday's tured last June on the request of the that American seamen are not fue

**Hiness** of the Pope.

weak Liverpool cables and reports New York, Jan. 19 -Declaring that leaded for starving Russia.