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BIRKENHEAD BEING

In His Speech the British Visson's Plans for Peace Were Not to Be Considered.

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Nuisance and Has Now Be come International Danger

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Gazette hopes that the constitution.

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as a national nuisance and has now be

KLANSMEN OFFER TOTAL

Want to Determine Responsibility For few points from the lowest. Riet Saturday Night at Carnegie, Pa. for the riot Saturday light at Carnegie, in which Thos. R. bbott, a Klansman, was killed, and of others wounded one seriously aperial Wizard H. W. Evans and Sam Rich, King Kleagle of the Pennsylmia Klan, each have offered \$2,500, reward for Abbott's slayer, while the Pennsylvania organization in addition ad authorized \$2,500 for those responsi-FATHER SHOOTS BOY

tart, a Rochester banker, today com- ed. tted suicide after he had shot and Hed Horace, his 14 year old son, and LEADER OF ROBBERS ounded Walter, aged 9, another son art, treasurer of the Rochester Trust a had brooded for a year over the beth of his wife, and according to the Mrs. Mary Echart, housekeeper for

wart, discovered the bodies in a bed Charters Issued.

een issued by Secretary of State W. Exercit to the following corpora- ing steps in Washington for Marcino's away.

Charlotte Republic Truck Company, in-Authorized capital stock, \$2000, \$300 of which has been subibed. Incorporators, J. N. Martin, I. H Young and P. C. Whitlock. Sherrill and Webber Cafeteria, Char-

offe, with authorized capital stock of of which \$16,500 has been substibel by Frank O. Sherrill, Fred R. Webber and J. B. Crocker, all of Char-

Meeting of Farley Managers. It Sid A. Perry, manager of the Jas. H. Farley store in Concord, has returnin Greensboro, where on Sunday 68 managers of the Farley chain

Trying to Make Records.

San Diego, Cal., Aug. 27 (By the Associated Press).—Captain Lowell H. and Lieut, John P. Richter took South Island, in an attempt to establish and distance. The weather was cloudy Raymond (Heinie) Boll. O'Rourke has vation of 5,000 feet. seircled about at an ele- not announced his plans.

Mexican Newspaper Men Kidnapped. Aug. 27.—The publica-

HEILIG ON SATURDAY Services Were Conducted at Holy Trin-

ity Church in Mt. Pleasant at Four The funeral of Lewis H. Heilig, who died here some time Thursday night, was held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock

at Holy Trinity Lutheran Church, Mt. Pleasant. A large number of friends and relatives of the deceased attended the Rev. C. A. Linn, pastor of Holy Trin-

ity Church, conducted the service. He mHis Speech the British VIS-count Said Woodrow Wil-count Said Woodrow Wil-Newborry A. A. Goodman, of

Many beautiful floral designs covered the grave in the Mt. Pleasant cemetery, the designs having been sent as last tok ens of love and respect to the deceased.

The active pall bearers were: A. F. PLAIN IN SPEECH Hartsell, G. F. McAllister, J. A. Caton, Say Birkenhead Has Long
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RESTRAINING ORDER IS ISSUED AGAINST SALISBURY

May Not Compel Southern Railway to Construct Underpass in That Muni-

passed on July 19 to compel the Southern railway to construct an underpars be allowed. at a point on West Inness street was signed in federal district court here to-Earl for his re- day by Judge James E. Boyd.

The Southern filed a bill of equity on August 16 asking that the city of Salisinjudicion) re-solutionists in the of turning their bury be permanently restrained from enforcing the ordinance, which carried the stipulation that the underpass, estimated to cost \$400,000, be constructed by September 1, with a penalty of News says that \$50 a day for non-compliance.

The attorney of the Southern, Stahle Linn, Salisbury, pointed out that there importation is no thoroughfare at the point specicabinets, fied, that the ordinance is confiscatory in character and contrary to laws of the United States and in violation of

THE COTTON MARKET

Unsettled Weather, Easier Liverpool Cables and Increased Hedge Selling Caus-

ed Decline. New York, Aug. 27 .- Private reports of unsettled weather in the southwest with showers in some sections, combined with easier late cables from Liverpool and reports of increased hedge selling appeared responsible for an opening decline of 5 to 17 points in the cotton market today. After selling off to 23.88 for Deember, the market held fairly steady on light trade buying or covering, and business was comparatively quiet during the early session, with prices working up

Cotton futures opened steady. Octo tisburgh, Pa., Aug. 27.—Rewards to- ber 24.00; December 23.94; January alling 7,500 have been offered by the 23.60; March 23.70; May 23.72.

ELECTION IS TAKING

Few Disorders Reported, But as Whole broken off. the Day Has Passed Very Quietly. Dublin, Aug. 27 (By the Associated Press) .- A lively outbreak of rifle and machine gun fire occurred in Dublin early today. The shooting was not explained. Balloting in the Dail election proceeded with national troops patrolling

the streets. A motor car carrying James Crowley AND KILLS HIMSELF and the minister of fisheries Finian Lynch, both of whom are candidates of Thought Brooding Over Wife's Death the government party for Kerry, was at-Caused Class A.-Stuart to Commit the government party for Kerry, was at-Linaw yesterday. Shots were fired. Rochester, Pa., Aug. 27.—Chas. A. and one young man was seriously injur-

ARRESTED IN MEXICO

Said to Be Prisoner in City in Mexico. Springfield, Mass., Aug. 27.-Dispatches received here today, believed to from the First National Bank of War-Raleigh, N. C. Aug. 27.—A charter ren, Mass., last February.— It was said

> With Our Advertisers. The Ritchie Hardware Co. sells roller skates that are guaranteed. See new ad.

New Fall Suits at the Browns-Cannon Co.'s, \$25 to \$50. Everything else in men's furnishings too.

Absolute safety is assured depositors in the Citizens Bank and Trust Co. by its

New Fall goods arriving daily at the Concord Furniture Co.

Injured American Improving.

Nice, France, Aug. 24.-Improvement the O. Henry Hotel at a dinner. These is reported in the condition of the eight is reported in the condition of the eight Americans undergoing treatment in the hospital here for injuries received in the the McAlpin Hotel in New York recent accident near here when a sight ast week. A very successful meet- seeing bus fell over a 300-foot precipice Was had and the business of this into the River Var. The injured, who into the River Var. by English nurses, hain of stores was reported as bereplicably good. Ten new stores include Isaac R. Strayhorn, of Durham,

O'Rourke Resigns. .Augusta, Ga., Aug. 23.-Dr. E. W. Lowell H. Wilder, business manager of the Richter took Augusta baseball club, announced this 5:07 a. m. from Rockwell Field, Augusta baseban club, all Doseph P. O'Rourke, afternoon that Joseph P. O'Rourke,

The change is effective at once.

\$100,000 Worth of Dimonds Stolen, and denying the existence of that other gems was taken from two safes other gems was taken from two safes Zation in Mexico is believed to belonging to manufacturing jewelry comlare been responsible for the kidnapping believed to panies here early today by thieves who panies here early today by thieves who panies here early today by the way a watchman and blew panies here early today by three held up and bound a watchman and blew open the safe.

SIDES COAL STRIKE MUST BE PREVENTED

Mediator Appointed by Presithe Strike.

POSSIBLE, HE SAYS,

Will Call Another Joint alition. Conference.

"The thing is possible," he said in de claring the purpose to stop hastiness. "It must be done.

Impressively the men gathered around his council table, and listened to his words. They were Samuel D. Warrin-er, A. B. Jessup, W. W. Englis and W. Tests Will Be Made By E. C. Blair Dur-ing September. Body Will Reach Concord Tonight.the mines September 1st.

me these interviews." "We'll be very glad to grant your re-

quest," Mr. Warringer responded. "The miners will also," Mr. Murray unlimed in each demonstration.

"Thank you, gentlemen," Governor Pinchot rejoined. We'll adjourn, then, till 2 p. m. when

on hand. The significance of their pres- for itself with grazing. ence lay in the fact that the scale comissued Saturday at Atlantic City PLACE IN IRELAND after negotiations between union chiefs Blair. The meetings will begin the last bers of the Concord Lodge of Masons will and operators' representatives had been

> KU KLUX KLAN PARADE ENDS IN BLOODY RIOT Klansmen and Crowds Clash in Streets.

-A Klansman is Killled. Pittsburgh, Aug. 25 .- A force of deputy sheriffs was rushed to Carnegie, period, to show how field selection of suburb, late tonight when a crowd of about 500 person blocked a street and stopped a parade of KuKlux klansmen. The parade was led by an automobile to have extended back more than a mile. After a momentary pause the paraders broke through the crowd and con-

tinued through the town singing "Onward, Christian Soldiers." A number of shots were fired and one man, dressed in white robes, is known to have been Lealer of Warren, Mass., Bank Robbery, killed. He died in a physician's office, shot through the head.

Many persons were injured in the fighting which still was in progress be authentic, tell of the arrest in Mexi- more than an hour after the first outco of Joseph B. Marcino, of Chicago, break. The force of deputy sheriffs was alias Biata, alleged arch-conspirator in reinforced by a'l available uniformed the robbery of \$213,000 in securities Pittsburgh policemen and Allengheny Absence Taken as Indication That Her Czechoslovaka under the regime of county detectives who were given the right of way on city streets as they sped that the department of justice was tak- in automobiles to Carnegie, six miles

> The streets of Carnegie are jammed few moments the sharp crack of a pistol filled with heavily armed officers passed

afternoon and evening for what is son's condition, lunderstood to have been a state meeting on a hill side overlooking Carnegie. KIFTY KILLED WHEN ample capital and surplus, conservative Early in the evening their leaders were management and strict supervision over told, police said, that a parade through Carnegie would not be permitted.

About 11 o'clock, however, the parade was seen to appear over the hill and bridge and automobiles were run on it a dam early yesterday morning. The and stopped, effectively blocking the impact burst the dam and the ensuing structure.

When the automobile leading the ty list. parade reached the bridge it stopped. The klansmen immediately made no at- mostly Jews. tempt to proceed and paid no attention to the cries to lower the American flag immigrants bound for America. which headed the parade. Neither did they make any move to turn back.

After the impasse had existed for perhaps an hour, the leaders of the march- cords for a flight across the continent ers seized an opportune moment and were broken today when Pilot Wesley made a wild dash forward. The automanager of the local team, had resigned, mobiles were rolled off the bridge and here at 11:24 o'clock Eastern Standard the crowd stationed at the one end time, completing a relay mail flight from swept backwards.

The parade continued for two blocks utes. with only insolated instances of bricks ers. Then the opposing crowd seeming to have colleced their forces, rushed for-darkness two unidentified persons armed the air and firing commenced. One Henley Ballard, a white farmer, who retor's office where he died.

General Election Being Held in the Irish Free State Today To Be Held September 3-4.—Complete

Dublin, Aug. 27.—The Irish Free transferable votes of Labour, Farmer State will on today, August 27, hold a general election to return members to uterd. In any event no forecast puts the general election to return members to uterd. In any event no forecast puts the 4 of the North Carolina div general election to return members to the Dail Eireann. The day everywhere number of Republican successes higher will be a public holiday, all banks being closed and business suspended. All Irish the oath of allegiance and boycott the new Parliament. entitled to the franchise.

The election promises to be comparatively quiet. Except for the intervention is the run," and a leading minister has decdlared that while this government ball in the late evening. The election promises to be comparadent Coolidge Tells Miners of Mr. DeValera, no political issue is and Operators to Call Off raised, and various groups of Farmers, ment holds office he will be "kept on the Labour and Independents, besides indi-

The seats of all the principal ministers cess of the others will depend on how the publican candidate

Mr. De Valera himself is standing for

viduals unconnected with any group, There has been a slight agitation as to Morrison, Major C. M. Stedman, fifth will put forward candidates aimed at the the unfairness of disfranchising the 12.- district congressman; General William promotion of sectional interests. None 000 prisoners, but Mr. De Valera has at- A. Smith, commander of the North Carof them is planning a displacement of tached little importance to that, provid- olina division of the United Confederate TO AVERT STRIKE the existing government. It is calcu-ed an unimpeded appeal is allowed to Veterans; General A. H. Boyden, Salis lated that no party can return a major- the people throughout the country will- bury; Mrs. R. P. Holt, state president ity of the House, and that the ministry ing to vote Republican. The imprison- of the United Daughters of the Confedmust therefore rely on support from a ment is more serious than the mere loss eracy; Cap. T. L. Rawley, commander

are regarded as safe. Labour hopes to ers registered bewilders all attempts at Harrisburg, Pa,, Aug. 27 (By the As- return 40 members, about its present foremasting the election results. The sociated Press).—Governor Pinchot, of strength, and the Farmers hope for as chances of Labour as an organized party Legion. Pennsylvania, assemebled the leaders of each side in the anthracite controversy Valera can find the 30 candidates he of James Larkin, who is at war with Greensboro, Aug. 25.—A temporary each side in the anthracite controversy injunction restraining the city of Salisng before the In- bury from enforcing a city injunction them bluntly that the proposed suspen- constituencies his candidate is expected calculated that all Larkinite voters would sion of mining September 1st could not to receive a quota of votes, but the suc- give their second preferences to a Re-

> TO SHOW RESULTS OF LIME WITH LEGUMES

under the direction of the county agents. gustus P. Blackwelder, of Concord, and Soybeans, cowpeas, velvet beans, crim- Asa Blackwelder, of No. 11 township. son clover, red clover and vetch are the the miners will come to my private of legumes being used. Mr. Blair has night on train No. 32 and will be taken found that lime is very beneficial to all to the home of his brother, Mr. Asa All the 38-odd members of miners full of these legumes, having nearly trebled Blackwelder, in No. 11, and the funeral

> Farmers of the counties in which fects of lime and legumes, advises September and parts of October and November. Mr. Blair states that many PETITION DECLARES farmers in North Carolina have soils that need improvement, and a visit to one of these demonstrations will prove Petition Says the Salisbury Man Is Unboth beneficial and valuable. Some field meetings will be held during the same

seed corn is conducted. The meetings which Mr. Blair has an-

nounced to date are as follows: August 28, at F. H. George's farm at Comfort in Jones Countp; September 7 View farm near Milton in Caswell County; September 11 at T. I. Caudle's farm in Davie County; September 12 at C. J. C. Click's farm near Woodleaf, in

MRS. WILSON LEAVES

Husband Continues to Improve. Washington, Aug. 27 .- Mrs. Wood-

row Wilson, wife of the former President, left Washington last night for a week's visit with friends in New Engwith people shouting and yelling. Every land, which, with the exception of a 24-hour trip to New York last spring, sounds above the uproar. Car after car is the first time she has left her husband's side to go outside the city since the benewspapermen speeding to the scene of ginning of his illness nearly four years ago. Her departure was seen as fur-The klansmen had been gathering all ther evidence of progress in Mr. Wil-

TRAIN JUMPS TRACK

to Coast to Sail For America. Moscow, Aug. 24 (Jewish Telegraph start towards the town. In order to en- Agency).-More than 50 persons were ter it the klansmen had to cross the killed and approximately 100 injured Glendale bridge, which spanned a small when a train proceeding from Vilna to creek. A crowd gathered at once at the Warsaw left the tracks and crashed into

> The train was filled with passengers, Among them were a large number of

of water helped to swell the casual-

New Record Made. Hempstead, N. Y., Aug. 24 .- All re-L. Smith of the air mail service landed San Francisco in 25 hours and 14 min-

Greensboro, Aug. 27.-Under cover of this section for some time.

ALONZO BLACKWELDER DIED AT COLUMBIA

er, A. B. Jessup, W. W. Englis and W.

J. Richards, of the operators policy Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 27.—E. C. Blair,

Funeral Services Tomorrow Morning.

Mr. Alonzo Blackwelder died at his

committee; and Philip Murray, vice extension agronomist of the State Col- home in Columbia, S. C., this morning president, and C. J. Golden, Rinaldo Ca- | lege and Department of Agriculture, will at one o'clock, after an illness of several pellini and Thos. K. Kennedy, district hold a number of meetings during the months of Bright's Disease. Mr. Black presidents of the United Mine Workers, month of September to show the excel- welder was a son of the late Mr. and whose orders are out for closing down lent effect secured by using lime and leg- Mrs. R. M. Blackwelder and was reared umes in a combination to improve the in No. 11 township, where he spent his There was scarcely a sound to inter- fertility of the soil. Mr. Blair is con- boyhood days, moving with his parents rupt the Governor as he read his ad- ducting demonstrations with lime in about to Mt. Pleasant, where he received his nineteen counties of the State. The gen- education at the Collegiate Institute. He "In my opinion the wisest thing I can eral plan of the work is to use lime on taught in this school for several years do is to deal separately with each side," one acre of land, to grow a legume on and moved to Columbia about 15 years he said, "to learn the basis for demands the soil, turn under the legume and note ago, where he was engaged in busines as fully as I can. I request you to give the resulting effect on the following crop, until about two years ago when he was Good increases in crop yields have been forced to retire from active duties on ac secured from this practice, as shown by count of ill health. He was about 49 comparisons with a strip of land left years of age, and is survived by his wife, who was Miss Jennie Skeen, of Mount Demonstrations are made with farmers | Pleasant, and two brothers, Messrs. Au-

The body will arrive in Concord to scale committee were assembled in the city to counsel with the union officers. Scale committee members said they had ed ander made an increase of 15 bushels childhood, tomorrow morning at 11 been notified by the official group to be of corn per acre, in addition to paying o'clock. Interment will take place in

the grave yard at the church. Mr. Blackwelder, was a member o mittee when fully assembled has power these demonstrations are to be held Patterson Lodge No. 307, A. F. & A. M., to recall work suspension notices which should attend the meetings to see the ef- of Mt. Pleasant, and the funeral will be Mr. | conducted with Masonic honors. Mem week in August and continue through assist Patterson lodge in the burial rites.

NORWOOD BANKRUPT

able to Meet Certain Obligations. Greensborg, Aug. -27.-Petitions declaring that J. D. Norwood, of Salisbury, prominent in business and political circles, is bankrupt and unable to meet certain obligations was filed in Federal Court here today by H. Kemper, and 8 in Alamance County to show seed Galveston, Tex.; W. J. Ford, receiver selection; September 10 at Connally's of the Bank of Quantico, Va.; and S. A. Patterson, of Richmond, Va. The petitioners filed claims against the Salis-

bury man totalling \$30,711.48. Rowan County and J. F. Knight's farm Bulgar Ambassador is Killed in Prague. near China Grove in Rowan County: Prague, Aug 26.-Three shots were September 13 at the County Home farm fired at M. Daskaloff, the Bulgarian near Taylorsville in Alexander County, ambassador, at noon today and he died a short time later on the operating table His assailant, Atanas Nikoloff, a 26-TO VISIT RELATIVES year-old Bulgarian, was arrested. M. Daskaloff was appointed ambassador to former Premier Stamboulisky. When the latter was overthrown by the Bulgarian army in June of this year, the new Sofla government requested the Czech authorities to extradite Daskaloff, but the request was never complied with. In December last when M. Daskaloff was minister of interior, a bomb was thrown at his automobile as he was leaving the parliament. No one was hurt and 'no damage was done.

Gaston B. Means is Now Within Reach

of Officers of Federal Government, Washington, Aug. 23.—Gaston B. Means, according to his friends, is now in easy reach of the department of jus-Most of Dead Were Jews, on Their Way tice, but there is no danger of his arrest for his alleged "shaking down of liquor manipulators."

A great flurry was made about Mr. Means' little game at the time it was discovered, but now, it is asserted, there is no law under which he can be reached Many people assert that what he did was a joke on the liquor people, who were ready to join with mim in an illegal transfer.

The prediction was made here that Mr. Means would never be convicted of any wrong-doing, although it is said he rounded up several hundred thousand

Night Air Mail Will Be Operated as Well as Daylight Service.

Washington, Aug. 23 .- A regu'ar transcontinental airplane mail service, operated at night as well as during the day, is assured, Postmaster General New declared today as a result of the successul trial flights during the last few days.

and stones being hurled at the march- Opponent to Bootleggers Loses Tobacco. had been a "great success," and were conclusive proof that a regular service it from the room it was discharged. Los Angeles, Aug. 24.—One hundred have colleced their forces, rusned for darkness two uninentified persons are diction, however, as to the date such a thousand dollars worth of diamonds and thousand dollars worth of diamonds and thousand dollars worth of missiles were hurled through and a half of tobacco, the property of service would be inaugurated.

a day to Europe.

SOLDIERS' REUNION TO BE HELD AT WINSTON-SALEM

Programme of Exercises.

consists of a series of activities, music and speeches beginning at 9 o'clock in Clare, his old constituency. He is still the morning with a roll call and busi- Defense Lost Two Points, ness meeting and ending with a grand

Among the speakers listed on the tentative program are Governor Cameron Separately First and Then combination of groups, though all are in votes, for the prisoners held include of the Norfleet Camp, of Winston-Salem, all of the best known organizers and United Confederate Veterans; Mrs. J. electioneerers of the Republican party. K. Norfleet, department president of the The enormous extension of all the vot- American Legion auxiliary; Brigadier General T. J. Bowley, commanding officer of Fort Brag; and James M. Lockhart, state commander of the American

> The army band from Fort Bragg will furnish music during the reunion, it

a big bonfire at Salem square around minister. The task of selecting a jury which the veterans can gather and sing was immediately begun. of the Confederacy.

Following is the complete tentative program for the first day: Assemble 9 a. m. at convention head-

Music by United States army band leged to strike four each from the panel. from Fort Bragg.

Meeting called to order by Henry R. Winston-Salem

Address of welcome by Mayor James Greetings from State chapter United dications were Judge White was deter-Daughters of the Confederacy, by Mrs. mined to speed up proceedings and the Greetings from representative of James

Confederate Veterans, Winston-Salem, and defense had made their opening by Capt. T. N. Rawley. Greetings from North Carolina Department of the American Legion Auxliary, by Mrs. J. K. Norfleet, president. Reunion turned over to Major, General

William A. Smith, commander of the North Carolina division, United Confedrate Veterans. Reply to address of Welcome by General A. H. Boyden, of Salisbury. Songs by Century Church quartet.

Address by Honorable Cameron Morrion, Governor of North Carolina. Reports from generals of brigades. Historical report by Col. A. L. Smith. Music by band

Adjournment for get-together luncheon given by people of Winston-Salem. Afternoon Session. Assemble at 2:30 p. m. at convention

headquarters. Appointment of resolutions commit-

Address: "From One Soldier to Anothr," by General T. J. Bowley. Music by band. Address: "North Carolina in the War

Between the States," by Maj. C. M. Sted-Address by James A. Lockhart, state commander of the American Legion. Presentation of official ladies.

Adjournment of the First Day.

Evening Entertainment. Assemble at Salem Square at 7:30 o'clock for camp fire. Mass singing of ters, a member of the 15th ammunition songs of the Confederacy. Music by train at Fort Bragg, was instantly killhand. Refreshments.

Ball at 9:30 p. m. for camp sponsors.

B. & O. Engineer Killed. Gary, Ind., Aug. 27 (By the Associated Press).-Westbound Baltimore & Ohio express train was derailed by washout 14 miles east of here early to-

under the overturned engine. The entire train left the rails and the engine turned over on its side, the accident occurring at 3:30 this morning near Suman station. The body of Engineer J. Novenger, of Gary, was pinned under the locomotive for five hours before rescuers could remove it.

MORRISON AND LACY

Going to New York Tomorrow to Confer With Syndicate of Bankers. Raleigh, Aug. 27.—Governor Cameron Morrison, who returned last night from Bramham received the letter tonight. Asheville, where he has been spending In his letter to the State chairman, the summer, will go to New York City

pankers regarding financial matters. Treasurer Lacy said they were going for the purpose of discusing with their bankers the advisability of selling bonds the exercises, Mr. Coolidge writes, will or borrowing useney outright, the funds secured to be used in carrying on the state's program of work, including construction of buildings at the University of North Carelina and other State-owned

educational assimuliers.

Boy Accidentally Kills Sister. Wilson, Aug. 27.-Lucile Williams two-year-old daughter of Mrs. Josephus this city, was accidentally shot and in-

stantly killed this morning by her fiveyear-old brother, Leroy, according to re ports reaching here today. ents who were working in a field nearby, hearing the report of a gun from the are made free of charge. house, rushed to the home to find the little boy had procured his father's shotgun from the kitchen and as he dragged tonnage of iron and steel steamers; now

Oklahoma is shortly to vote on a proposed constitutiontl amendment removing the legal disabilities against same as men. -

UNDFRWAY AS JURY MEMIDERS ARE CHOSEN

One Asking That Brothers Be Tried Together for the Alleged Murder.

SPECIAL VENIRE TAKEN TO COURT

Judge White Refused to Change Ruling When Asked to Use Only the Regular Jurymen.

Cumberland Courthouse, Va., Aug. 27. The defense motion to quash the jury venire and for a joint trial were overruled by Judge White at the resumption this morning of the trial of R. O. Garrett, indicted jointly with his brother, At 7:30 o'clock the evening of the first Larkin C. Garrett, for the alleged murday of the reunion, it is planned to have der of the Rev. E. S. Pierce, Baptist

the old songs they sang during the day | Forty-five minutes later twenty Amtwelve jurors who are to try Robert O. Garrett are to be selected, had taken seats in the jury box. From this num-

In all thirty-eight veniremen were examined, practically all those excused Dwire, editor of the Twin-City Sentinel, being rejected because of fixed opinions in the case. The court was recessed Prayer by Rev. H. A. Brown, of Win- for one-half an hour to allow the counsel time to prepare the challenges. It took just forty-five minutes to obtain a jury from Amherst citizens. In-

R. P. Holt, of Rocky Mount, president. end of the trial by Firday was foreseen. The jury was obtained after only 38 B. Gordon chapter United Daughters of the Confederacy, Winston-Salem, N. C. When court recessed for dinner the Greetings from Norfleet camp, United jury was in the box and both the state

> statements. VAN WALTERS KILLED ACCIDENTALLY, BRAGG

Stanly County Boy Met Death Accidentally in Army Post. Albemarle, Aug. 25.—News has just reached Albemarle of the tragic death of Van Walters at Fort Bragg this morning. His father, John Walters, who lives at Stanfie'd in this county,

was notified by the war department this afternoon. Young Walters, according to report. was killed by a shot from a pistol which was in his own hand and shot is supposed to have been accidental.

P. J. Huneycutt, a local undertaker, who is an uncle of the boy, sent his hearse to Fort Bragg this afternoon for the body which is expected to reach his father's home early in the morning. This was done for the reason that schedules from Fayetteville would likely not have permitted the body to reach Albemarle before Monday.

Young Walters was well known throughout the western part of the county and the news of his death will come as a shock to a large number of people. Funeral arrangements have not yet been announced.

Thought to Have Been Cleaning the Pistol. Fayetteville, Aug. 25 .- Vann L. Waled this morning by the discharge of a pistol which it is thought he was clean-

ing at the time. Walters' home is at Stanfield where his father, John Z. Walters, lives, His death occurred at 7.:30 while he was preparing for inspection in his battery's squad room. It seems that no one saw day, killing the engineer, who was pinned the discharge of the pistol, but men in the room at the time sa that Walters was cleaning the weapon.

It has not yet been determined whether or not the shooting was accidental. Coolidge Unable to Accept Invitation to

Atteend Durham Event. Durham ,Aug. 26.-President Calvin Coolidge will be unable to attend the celebration incident to the establishment WILL TALK FINANCES of the Bennett memorial in this city during the month of October, according to a letter received from him by William G: Bramham, chairman of the Republican party in North Carolina.

President Coolidge expresses deep regret Tuesday night with State Treasurer B. over his inability to attend the memo-R. Lacy to confer with a syndicate of rial exercises, but asserts the duties of his office make it impossible for him to accept any invitations at this time. Owing to the great historical connection, unquestionably prove successful.

The President says in his letter that despite his high regard for the people, he will be unable to attend the celebration

Dentist at Logan School Now: The dentist who is conducting the clinic here-for colored school children, is at the Logan School now. He will be at this school until the first of Williams, living about eight miles from month, when he will leave the county, The dentist has already examined a large number of the colored children of the city, and he is anxious to get all others under 14 years of age during the remainder of this week. The examinations

> Before the war Great Britain owned nearly 45 per cent, of the world's total it has decreased to less than 33 per

A good-sized island once appeared suddenly off the Alaskan coast. white robed man was seen to fall. He sides near Colfax, and who has been ac- Baltimore now has a steamship a day women and providing that women may land was so hot that sea birds alighting was picked up and carried into a doc- tively engaged in opposing bootlegging in to the Pacific coast and five steamships qualify for all elective State offices the on it had their feet burned. It disappeared a short time later.