you know it. You'd sooner walk ten miles through the snow than give an inch, wouldn't you?" His hand reached, closing gently upon her

arm, and a shiver of repulsion passed over her. "That's a fine little muscle

-but you don't want to work it off. Why don't you show a little friend-

The girl looked with difficulty into

his great, drawn face. Ned stiff-

"Your little friend seems to be get-

He seemed to be aware of the

gathering suspense, and it thrilled

his diseased nerves with exultation.

But there was, from his listeners,

but one significant response at first

to the evil suggestion that he made

with such iniquitous fires in his wild

eyes and such a strange, suppressed

tone in his voice. Bess' expression

did not change. It had already re-

vealed the uttermost depths of

dread. Ned still held himself, cold,

now. as a serpent, waiting for his

chance. But the squaw paused a

single instant in her work. For one

breath they failed to hear the clatter

of her pans. But seemingly indiffer-

ent, she immediately went back to

Bess shook her head in desperate

appeal. "Wait till morning," she

Ned saw by the gathering fury of

their master's face that her refusal

would only bring on the crisis, so

he leaped swiftly into the breach.

"Sure, Bess, let's go to look at them,"

he said. "I'm anxious to see 'em,

Doomsdorf whirled to him, and his

gaze was as a trial of fire to Ned.

pleaded. "I'm tired now-"

ting nervous," he remarked easily to

need a new coat."

Statement From the Board of Education of Cabarrus County

is called for No- at a smaller cost.

the county will be this measure. ol education in the reasonable distance is furthermore planned entary schools. In

| found feasible to retain the present elea question of far- mentary schools so that the smaller chilcome before the dren may attend school close at home. ounty for settle- The Board calculates that with presage of school leg- ent valuation of property the above pro- has preceded it.

e an election for a to make the rate 25 cents.

High Schools and Moreover, it will put Cabarrus county in his despatches has been putting this "On one side the Reichsbank sold gold dementary schools of on a parity with the most progressive as strong as he is able to offer proof. loans, which it did not yet have, at a strong has been grant-counties in the State educationally, and Today the Socialist organ Vorwaerts, fixed mark price to Bourse speculators.

the District Commit- schools would bring our county up with ngs have been kept the best educationally. It is not more so locate High than our boys and girls deserve. It is says that Germany, through Reichsbank of the manufacturers for gold loan bonds, will have the requi- in the interest of the whole people and is to insure efficien- the issue rests with the people.

maintenance; and hurt or impoverished by making provias accessible as sion for good schools. the necessary cost barrus voters see to it that our school to the minimum. system is taken care of? The registraif the election carries, tion books close Saturday, November Schools sufficient in 10th. Let all friends of public educastandard grade that tion register and cast their votes for W. R. ODELL, Chairman,

W. F. SMITH. G. F. McALLISTER, The Board of Education of Cabarrus believes it will be County.

President Brooks of State College.

The rumor that Hartsell would be re-

moved as coach at State College has per-

by the Wolfpack in the Carolina game.

Forget-Me-Not Day Will Be Nation-

Wide.

making millions of tiny forget-me-nots,

tiny flowers this year is being done in

thousand; of cities and towns in all

None so busy, none so poor but can

New Officers of American Legion. Officers were elected for the year 1924

on Tuesday night of the Fred Y. McCon-

nell Post of American Legion, resulting

Clyde Propst, Second Vice Commander.

B. U. Blackwelder, Finance Officer.

J. Lee Crowell, Jr., Service Officer.

Executive Committee-Ray Hoover,

Jeter McDonald, Fred Blume, Chas. A.

The annual dues are to remain at \$4.00

for the year 1924. The meeting was

Impertinence.

She-"I feel that nothing is more be

coming to me."

He—"I have no doubt of it, but

The National Society of Colonial

raise a \$100,000 endomment fund for

He (to lady in ultra gown)-"Do you

Jus. T. Cline, Post Commander.

Dr. J. A. Shauers, historian.

J. B. Corl, Sergeant-at-Arms.

V. Walter, Adjutant.

Cook, Wade Kluttz.

like wearing evening dress?"

M. S. Ward, First Vice Commander.

still seems to be the case.

HOPE OF AN EVENTUAL SAY HARTSELL TO AGREEMENT NOT LOST

ach Ambassador Spent 20 Minutes Report From Charlotte is Denied by With President Coolidge This Merning. Nov. 6.-With a com- Raleigh News & Observer. llies before it, the out from Charlotte to the effect that today weighed Harry Hartsell would soon be disconquestion whether the tinued as football coach at N. C. State, d to American aid in Dr. E. C. Brooks, president of the instiations inquiry. In no tution, said last night: "There has been any authentic indica- no move whatsover as to the removal of ion would be reach- Hartsell as coach at State College so far direction the opinions of as I know and I believe that if there It was appar- had been any such move by alumni, stu-of an eventual dents of faculty, I would know of it. oolidge and his cabinet regular Tuesday mornbassador Jusserand of affair. at the White House, and sometime early next year when a head es with the Chief Execuhe had come primarily to ! but left the inquirers sisted ever since the poor showing made

THE STATE PARENT

TEACHERS' ASSOCIATION About 200 Delegates Are in Attendance At First Meeting Today.

Winston-Salem, Nov. 6 .- Meetings of the Bard of Managers at 2 o'clock this Playing Phonograph May Cure All Evis.

The Rev. Dr. Jovial Ah, in Kinston, Nov. 6.—New everybedy's do not practice; I only preach.

The Rev. Dr. Jovial Ah, in doing days session here of the State doing what was started at Caswell Training School last year. Leastwise, May: "What would you do hundreds are, throughout the country. attendance, and the con-At the school, following out a suggesttion from Superintendent C. Banks Mc The first session will open Nairy, the dairy staff played a big phonat 8.0 clock tonight when feature ad- ograph at milking time to determine if dres will be made by A. T. Allen, state dows, with their nerves soothed by soft more milk. They bank, the burglar found his way to the lames G. Haynes, and Mrs. R. H. Latter, workers here that a cow should never lames for the Woman's Club. They will be responded to by Mrs. Raywill be responded to by Mrs. Raymed Binford, of Guilford College.

MANKSGIVING PROCLAMATION

he Year Has Brought to the American People Two Tragic Experiences.

aind that the year has brought, McNairy, has been informed, anesthetics American people two tragic ex- are being administered to patients about the death of President Hard- to be operated on to the strains of phon-Japanese earthquake-but ograph music . The patients "drop off" such experiences serve to test and more contentedly. This departure has men and nations. During the ralso, the proclamation says, the nahas been blessed with much of ma-

WELVE KILLED IN MINE EXPLOSION the Unitted Stattes school children are

Charlesten, W. Va., Nov. 6 .- Twelve of bits of cloth and paper, to be sold on Mies have been taken from a shaft mine Saturday. November 10th, for the benefit the Raleigh-Wyoming Coal Co., at of the 100,000 maimed and broken Amerblen Rogers, Wyoming County, in which ican veterans of the World War. the explosion occurred this morning, and Forget-Me-Not Day has become a Nathe hone is entertained for thirty men tional affair, and what is being done here within the workings, the State De- to underwrite the successful sale of the lament of Mines reported today.

Speeders to Be Arrested on the Spot. Raleigh, Nov. 6.—Numerous complaints change in the methods of pause a moment on Forget-Me-Not Day against speeders in Wake to buy one of the little emblems—or clusing to an announcement ter—for the benfit of the boys who

eputy Sheriff Joe Lowe, crossed the seas back in 1917-1918 to mix officer. Complaint has in the big fight in the cause of humanagainst the mailing of notices ity.

The money raised will be devoted to the money raised will be devo e charges being dis- assisting all wounded or disabled Ameralleged offender pleaded ican veterans of the World War no mat-In the future pssed- ter what their affiliations with veterans' sted on the spot and organizations. nearest magistrate.

tices will be abandoned.

Kitchin to Be Elected To--Voters of the second as follows:

et will go to the polls Judge John, H. Kerr, ssor to the late Rep-Kitchin. Judge Kerr. tion, was recently dettic nominee following R. G. Allsbrook, who went primary. The held merely for the purg with the law

thief Executives of Railroad Labor Orgainzations to Meet.

. O. Nov. 6 (By the Assomeeting of the chief steen standard railroad "for the purpose of railroad legislation with matters to come ext Congress" has been called ne. president of the wouldn't that be going to extremes?" omotive Engineers, ngton Wednesday mornber 14th, Mr. Stone announced Dames of America has undertaken to

the are among the candi- the preservation of Sulgrave Manor, the for the lower house of the Mary- ancestral home of George Washington in and legislature in the coming election. England.

Berlin Faces New Disaster As Gamblers Loot Gold Loan

into the highest German financial cir- moneys' were refused. The county-wide system has decided cles. The speculators have German The Berliner Tageblatt tells the story he one hundred dol-operty, in order to for all. It discriminates against none. Several days The World correspondent thus:

which has been telling some plain truths and delivered them later at this fixed called for No- at a smaller cost.

Cabarrus county holds high rank in the law, the Board the State agriculturally and industrially.

Cabarrus county holds high rank in the law, the Board the State agriculturally and industrially. The proposed county-wide system of the Berliner Tageblatt tells part of it. Un- enormous losses through devaluation der the title "Gold Lean Scandal-Specu- On the other side the Reichsbank relation at Government Cost," Vorwaerts fused to accept the legit mate demands

> how the government accepted paper immediately the full paper mark pric marks for gold coins on the Bourse, fix- of the day.

Berlin, Nov. 7.—Through its own stu- ing the price in advance and accepting pidity—not to put it any stronger—the vastly depreciated paper marks days lat-German government is faced with a finan- er when the actual gold han bonds had cial catastrophe worse than any that been delivered. Vorwaerts estimates ntage of school legent valuation of property the above prothe last Legislature, ation of Cabarrus on the hundred dollars valuation of propso-called Ersatz dollars and of gold loan To make matters worse, honest manuicense by consultation of propso-called Ersatz dollars and of gold loan To make matters worse, honest manuicense by consultation of propso-called Ersatz dollars and of gold loan To make matters worse, honest manuicense by consultation of propso-called Ersatz dollars and of gold loan To make matters worse, honest manuicense by consultation of propso-called Ersatz dollars and of gold loan To make matters worse, honest manuicense by consultation of propso-called Ersatz dollars and of gold loan bond delivered. the County Com- erty, and it is the intention of the Board issues by groups of speculators reaching facturers, who actually needed foreign

policies, has "lost millions of gold marks." which they needed for immediate use The long Vorwaerts story explains and for which they were willing to pay

DINNER TIME STORIES.

representative in Congress from Indiana. he often had occasion to display his skill in debate. One day while engaged in a hot argument with an Illinois congressman he called him an ass. This was unout of order. GET THE AXE NEXT

"How am I out of order?" demanded tell you," retorted Johnson. This was nor Ritchie, Democrat, of Maryland, a conflicting views | Questioned as to the statement sent parliamentary, and went into the Record.

> The flivver taxi came to a sudden halt in the middle of the street and the male passenger poked his head out. "What's the matter?" he demanded

shearply. "I thought I heard the young lady within call 'Stop!' said the driver.
"Well, what of it? She didn't have o be talking to you, did she?" I know that the matter is the subject of much talk but so far as I know there

City of Surprises.

has been no definite move made in the affair. If anything is done it will be Washington Star. "Are scientists right in saying the nountains of California are moving?" "I don't know," answered Miss Cayenne. "Maybe they only seem that way house will be Republicans, 225; Demoto people who have lingered around Holcrats, 205; Socialist, 1; Independent, 1;

On Monday the News and Observer said "The doctor says he'll remove my apthat the matter was much discussed by pendix for fifteen hundred dollars." students, faculty and alumni of State "Oh, George I'd much rather have a College but nothing definite had taken ouring car.' place so far as could be learned. Such Mrs. Van Twiller (who mistakes Dr.

Jovial for a physician)—And where do you practice, doctor? The Rev. Dr. Jovial Ah, madam, I

May: "What would you do for chapped lips?" Ray: "Eat lots of onions."

May: "Onions !" unting Ray: "Yes that ought to keep the

and music would have the opposite effect, it, really is open." He grasped the being followed in many parts of the

United States, according to advices had light, an alarm bell rang loudly, an electmeters above the earth were the marvels tire shock rendered him helpless, while of the Gothenberg aircraft exhibition issued today from the White House At Washington, D. C., hospital, Dr. a panel in the wall opened and out according to the German engineers just rushed a bulldog which seized him. An hour later, when the cell door Von Loessal, the Goman engineer, closed on him, he sighed: "I know what's whose new principles of construction at-

passed the stage of innovation and has become a regular thing. it is understood. milkman kiss you this morning. From now on I will get the milk myself. Mary-It won't do you no good, mum. Throughout the length and breadth of he won't kiss no one else.

Mr. Fussy-Here waiter, bring me a moon for my coffee. Waiter-Sorry, sir, but we don't serve them—the music here is so stirring.

Don't regret too much your ups and down; after all, the only man who has none is in the cemetery.

following facts:

average attendance

THE ELECTIONS TUESDAY

Years ago when Henry U. Johnson was Dale Wins in Vermont.-Kentucky Demceratic.-Republican Mayor in Phila-

Complete returns show that former Representative Dale, Republican, was elected yesterday a Senator from Verparliamentary, of course, and had to be mont, to succeed the late Senative Dilwithdrawn. Pursuant to the order of the lingham, also a Republican. This was speaker, Mr. Johnson said: "I withdraw the only senatorial contest in the country the language I used, Mr. Speaker, but I in yesterday's "off year" election and assist that the gentleman from Illinois is gives the Republicans a majority of six

Incomplete returns indicate the elec the Illinois man with considerable heat, tion of William J. Fields, Democrat, as "Probably a veterinary surgeon can Governor of Kentucky, and gave Goverlead for re-election. In the only other gubernatorial vacancy H. L. Whitfield. Democrat, was named governor of Mi sissippi without opposition.

> The Democrats retained congressional seas in the 11th and 16th New York, second North Carolina, and fourth Illinois districts, while the Republicans held their own in the 32nd New York and second Vermont districts. On the faces of these results the lineup in the next and Farmer-Laborite 1— a Republican majority of 17, with two vacancies still

> The Republicans retained their majority in the New York assembly, incom-plete returns indicating that the Democrats had lost at least six seats upstate. In a number of states mayoralty contests shared in the public interest with various state-wide referendum proposals. In Philadelphia, the Republicans elect-ed W. Freeland Kendrick mayor by an overwhelming majority, while in Detroit Mayor Doremus, formerly a Democratic member of Congress, was re-elected.

> on a proposal to issue \$50,000,000 in Virginia a similar measure was reject-

> > Next Step in Aviation.

Now the Caswell school experiment is knob and turned it.

Now the Caswell school experiment is knob and turned it.

Instantly the office was flooded with and continue their flight calmly at 50 tire shock rendered him helpless, while of the Gothenberg aircraft exhibition, returned from Sweden.

wrong with me. I'm too trusting. I tracted much attention at the Gothen-have too much faith in human nature." berg exposition, is of the oninion that berg exposition, is of the opinion that the most important development in air Mistress (to cook)-Mary, I way the traffic will come about through the construction of a very small plane of about 20 horsepower, capable of carrying two persons--in other words an air taxi He's promised to me and he says that which the business man can hire when-

Purity is not innocence, but conquest. Tact is the talent of talents.

Comparative Expenditures in Edu-

cation

counties of the State and showing the per capita cost per

county for educating the children of the State we glean the

Cabarrus County spent _____ \$26.02

Rowan County spent _____ 35.09

Stanly County spent _____ 34.89

Union County spent _____ 40.07

Mecklenburg County spent ____ 51.92

Iredell County spent _____ 47.05

nineteen spent less than Cabarrus county, and eighty spent

from twenty cents to eighty-eight dollars and ninety-six

cents per pupil more than Cabarrus. The average spent

per pupil for the whole State was \$39.63 or \$13.61 more

than Cabarrus spent. These figures prove two things: First,

that the schools of Cabarrus have been and are economi-

cially administered; second, that in order to have better

equal to the other progressive counties of the State, we

must register and vote 'For Special Tax" on November

20th. Old Cabarrus has never yet taken a back seat in the

Transference de la completa del completa del completa de la completa del la completa de la completa del la completa de la comp

If we want our children to have school advantages

The Registration Books close Saturday evening, No-

schools we must have more money.

Hall of Progress. Shall we do so now?

Of all the one hundred counties in the State only

From a report sent out by Supt. Allen for the different

During the scholastic year 1921-22 for each pupil in

delphia.

in the Senate.

Seven of nine vacancies in the House of Representatives were filled the only possible upset being the apparent election in the 24th New York district of formere Representative Fairchild, Republican, who was defeated a year ago by J. Vincent Ganly, Democrat, now dead.

to be filled.

Pennsylvania voters looked with favor bonds on highway improvements, while

Berlin, Nov. 6 .- Wild game will have a hard time when airplane manufacturbe culted or fussed at; instead, a cow's sign:

"Save your dynamite. The safe is not locked. Turn the knob and open."

It had been proved that rough treatment would excite "Bos-BY PRESIDENT COOLIDGE"

BY PRESIDENT COOLIDGE

It would be responded to by Mrs. Ray
De culted or fussed at; instead, a cow's sign:

"Save your dynamite. The safe is not locked. Turn the knob and open."

For a moment he ruminated. "Any
without adequate shelters will have no show, there's no harm in trying it, if really is open."

He grashed the counter of the coun "Noiseless" machines, able to turn 20

different ways from a height 200 meters

ever he wants to make a hurried trip.

The magnitude of the Escurial, the great Spanish palace, may be inferred from the fact that it would take four days to go through all the rooms and

THE ISLE OF RETRIBUTION EDISON MARSHALE PAN SATTERFICED @LITTLE, BROWN & COMPANY, 1923

BEGIN HERE TODAY

Bess Gilbert, Ned Cornet and the latter's fiancee, Lenore Hardenworth, are shipwrecked. They take refuge on an island occupied by a brute named Doomsdorf and his Indian wife. The master of the island takes Ned and the two girls prisoners and informs them that he means to make them slave for him. Bess and Ned, with but very little help from Lenore, build a cabin and Boomsdorf gives them an old stove. When the cabin is finished Bess and Ned are sent on different routes to do the winter trapping for their master.

Lenore is allowed to remain and the levice; and ne covered up his tracks with veteran's skill. Then he quietly withdrew, retracing his steps and following the shore line toward the home cabin.

Surely the mighty strength that had set the powerful spring and the skill that covered up all traces of his work could succeed at last in freeling him from slavery.

Bess had reached the shelter first, and she was particularly relieved to see Ned's tall form swinging toward her along the shore. Doomsdorf was

sland. He found that for weeks she touch of a reptile. had been thinking along the same line, and like him, she had as yet

They took different trails in the lawn, following the long circle of their trap lines. All the way they condered on this same problem, conceiving a plan only to reject it be cause of some unsurmountable ob stacle to its success: dwelling upon the project every hour and dreaming about it at night. But Ned was

three days later, he followed the each on the way to the home cabin. He had watched with deadened interest the drama of the wild things about him these last days; but when he was less than a mile from home he had cause to remember it again. To his great amazement he found at the edge of the ice the fresh track of one of the large island bears.

far as ever from a conclusion when

The sight of the great imprint was a welcome one to Ned, not alone because the wakening forecasted, perhaps, an early spring, but because he was in immediate need of bear fur. His own coat was worn; besides, he was planning a suit of clod-proof garments for Lenore, to be used per haps in their final flight across the

Scarcely a quarter of a mile ahead, squaw. in a little pass that led through the shore crags down to the beach. Doomsdorf had left one of his most where the shore crags could be easily surmounted-it was at least possible that the huge bear might fall the little, rough the same than the huge bear might fall the little, rough the same than into it, on his return to his lair in squaw served

Ned hurried on, and in a few moments had dug out the great trap able to from its covering of snow. For a modified show ment he actually doubted his power of the to set it. It was of obsolete type mighty-springed, and its jaws ward its of a width forbidden by all laws of trapping in civilized lands, yet Ned did not doubt its efficiency. Its mighty irons had rusted; but not even a bear's incalculable might could shatter them. This was not to be a bait set.

his success depended upon the skill with which he concealed the trap First he carefully refilled the ex cavation he had made in digging out the trap; then he dug a shallow holein the snow in the narowest part of the pass. Here he set the trap, utilizing all the power of his mighty muscles, and spread a light covering of snow above.

It was a delicate piece of work.

Ned had no wish for the cruel jaws | to snap shut as he was working above to he. h. ... them. But his heart was in the venture, for all his hatred of the cruelty

Lenore is allowed to remain and her along the shdre. Doomsdorf was ing, desperate anger in Ned. The Ned falls into a deep crevice and Bess rescues him. The two make plans to escape from the island.

See Nea's tan form swinging toward ing, desperate anger in Ned. The magnetic large ing, desperate anger ing, desperate NOW GO ON WITH THE STORY than she had ever seen it—catike in self-control, on which life itself dethe shadows, steely in the lantern pended, was jeopardized. Yet he WHEN food and warmth had brought complete recovery, ened. Worst of all, the gaze he bent need. Everything depended on that, Ned took up with Bess the toward her was especially eager to- in avoiding the crisis until he had blem of deliverance from the night, horrible to her as the cold made some measure of preparation.

Every time she glanced up she found him regarding her, and he fol- Bess. "So not to disturb him furfailed to hit upon any plan that of lowed her with his eyes when she ther, let's you and I go to the new fered the least chance for success. moved. Yet she dared not seek shell cabin. I've taken some fine pelts The subject held them late into the ter in the new cabin, for the simple lately—I want you to see them. You



IT WAS A STRANGE PICTURE.

And he saw at once that con- dorf would follow her there. Until ditions were favorable for trapping Ned came, her defense was solely Yet the latter did not flinch. For a the presence of Lenore and the long second they regarded each other in implacable hatred, and then

There was no particular warmth in Doomsdorf's sudden start told that her meeting with Ned. Doomsdorf's he had been visited by inspiration. eyes were still upon her, and she His leering look of contempt was alpowerful bear traps. Ned had seen was careful to keep any hint of the most a smile. "Sure, come along," it many times as he had clambered through on a short cut to the cabin.

was careful to keep any limit of the most a sink.

was careful to keep any limit of the most a sink.

new understanding out of her face he said. "I've got something to say and eyes. Ned's, weather beaten to you, too. To spare Lenore's feel-

game—one of the few spots as Sindy's own The four of them, sections that the reference to Lenore. Dooms-

He uttered on

ing their conversation in the tin. What it was Ned did and he dared not think. ad a vague impression that and Doomsdorf had waged . of eyes, Bess had mysmoved from her position. her just at Doomsdorf's he saw her again she resteet distant, within a the cupboards where the many of the food sup-

www was busy with her 'em skin. way out into the clear, inter evenings, not so when, when the frozen, wid gave no image of the senses. The snow the velvet depths of the flashing with a thoumanging hues from the oscope of the Northern Moved and held by this that never grows old to the. tern man. Doomsdorf halted hast without the cabin door.

EXPANSION OF CHURCH WORK

National Conference to Be Held at Cleveland December 3.

Cleveland, Nov. 7 .- Expansion of the work of the Presbyterian churches of America will be undertaken at the natonal conference of the denomination here eginning December 3 and continuing through the week. Speakers internationally known as educators and church executives will discuss missionary education, benevolences, stewardships and other denominational matters.

Dr. Charles F. Wishart, moderator, is cheduled for the principal address at the opening session. Morning worship on December 4 will be conducted by Dr. Silas Evans, presis-

dent of Ripon college. Foreign missions will be the topic at an evening meeting December 5, with Dr. Robert E. Speer making the principal address.

Missionary education, ministerial relief and sustentation will occupy the progrom December 6, the closing day. General Secretary Henry B. Mastre will preside at an evening session which will be devoted to consideration of the work of the board of ministerial relief and sus-

About 100.000 Negroes Have Gone North From the South.

New York, Nov. 5 .- Surveying the present migratory movement of negroes to the north which has stirred students of sociology, the national industrial conference board, an organization affiliated with many large manufacturing conleft their homes in the south. The

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cerns, tonight issued a report asserting nual movement was about 40,000. Dur: important industrial centers." that this year about 100,000 negroes had ing 1916 and 1917, however, it was present movement, the report set forth estimated that, in a wave of hysteria, owing to the friction of the tides. is almo wholly industrial and has approximate'y 400,000 negroes had left days are now half a second longer than been to a considerable extent induced by the south, as "whole communities, en they were in 1823. the shortage of common labor in the tire streets of people and even church

Rev. G. A. Martin was a visitor in

congregations, headed by their pastors! The board found that the normal an- moved north and located as units in the Charlotte Tuesday.

The earth is gradualty losing speed