

LICKORY DAILY RECORD

WEATHER Fair tonight and Wednesday. Colder tonight. North-west gale on coast diminishing.

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HICKORY, N. C., TUESDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY 7, 1922

-Commissioner Watts today conarried in this corweek that he had against Edward F. Sands, former mation of Deputy W. Fenner ane active March mmissioner also announcement that aight of William Desmord Taylor. pteresting in some motion picture director.

uty commissioners mointed, about 20 deliver the goods" eased in rapid fire

appear that any fly monogram stationery of Mary re falling down on Miles Minter. It read as follows: the matter is they the service long monstrate whethe of making good or mer Watts wants d that he is not the state's 110 85 lot measure up. arement he made tong upon the demand point an inch in height. Ferner resignation. enosed deputies were

thorship, according to the Examiner. tent by the pres-"I did love William Taylor, she de-Commisletters clared. "I loved him deeply and tenhas received the home of Mr. derly, with all the admiration and him for reliev- respect a young girl gives to a man Cran- with the voice and culture of Mr N. L. Winimaster of Taylor." replace Deputy ppointment meets

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Taylor and Miss Minter met at San roval of Forsyth coun- Barbara two years ago. He was her director. They later went to New W. J. Barnes, to- York together. Ball were yesterday

SANDS NOT HE

By the Associated Press.

"Dearest:

FUR TAYLOR

"I love you-I love you-I love you.

"Yours always,

"Mary."

"xxxx xxxx kisses.

The last "x" was two inches

height followed by an exclamation

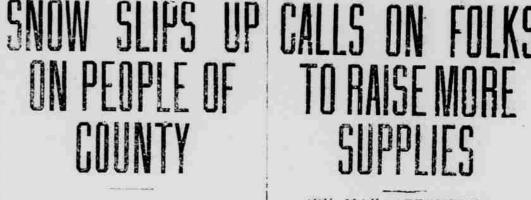
Mary Miles Minter did not deny au-



Here is a machine, now being installed by the post office department, which vends stamps and gives the purchaser his full money's worth. Put a coin in the slot and the stamps come out at once.

SCORE PERSONS MAY BE DEAD **IN RICHMOND HOTEL BLAZE**

Lexington Hotel, With 72 Guests in It, Destroyed DR. EATON COMING Early Today-Three Victims Already-High Wall Delays Search for **Bodies Today**



Slipping up on some thousands of copile, who show true husbandry, v putting out their incandescents clore midnight, the second snow of season came as a distinct sur--e. It followed an unexpected rain and was accompanied by sleet and er by a freeze, but not for long. A warm sun came cat and battled the capital city newspapermen. with a stiff breeze which came from

the snow-clad mountains to horthwest.

The rees and wires were lovely program for North Carolina. Admitcarly this orning. They sparkled like tedly it was a most difficult piece jewels in the early san, and a fellow of news to handle and it may be that who makes like he cares for natural because of this fact the governor beauty got an eyefull free of charge thought it best to send the procla-It was a sort of peer man's snowmation cirect to the morning papers. came during the night and melted No explanation is forthcoming at the during the day. The children, ac- governor's office, presided over toording to the Record's intelligence day by his private secretary. Govdivision or spy department, were not ernor Morison is in New York City all enthusiastic. They realized at this week looking after state bonds glance that this was not slecling which have been sold.

weather, and that before they out of school the snow would about all gone. Some of the children, who have get through the mails they can't be learned to rely implicitly on the supplied.

Record's weather reports, were some what amazed. They hadn't heard that to whether all documents for public the snow was coming and were ex- consumption emanating from the necting fair weather last night. They apparently have not realized be hancied as today's proclamation. that nature slips up on the official It cannot be learned whether this observers, just as a child can shp

by so insignificant a thing as a banana peel.

snow. It pelted downward, big flekes county government law is being lookwhich would have meant something ed forward to with interest at the if they had fallen on dry, frezen capital. ground

(BY MAX ABERNETHY)

Raleigh, Feb. 7 .- Governor Morrion's decision to mail his latest proclamation direct to the merning paets of the state instead of having released through the Raleigh correspondents in the usual way has raised the question whether his excellency is "viewing with alarm"

The proclamation is an appeal for cooperation in the governor's "better gardens and more pigs and cows

got No copies of the preclamation are be available at the governor's office for afternoon dailies. If they fail to

This action raises the question as governor's office in the future will

course will be follow or not. It is out from under his skates or a man presumed Governor Morrison will set con bump the sidewalk as the result thingse straight when he returns to of a change in composition, caused the capital at the end of the week. Appointment of the governor's

commission to confer with him re-Night hawks say it was a rough garding the reorganization of the

> Governor Morrison thinks the presnt law is too antiquated and he will do his best to have it changed when he 1923 legislature gathers. Just what changes he will recommend dces not appear but it is known that one phase of county government the overnor is displeased with is the handling of funds. A better system of audit will be strongly recommended, it is said.

anent receivers of the ank and Trust Company. maing house which has ed for weeks by the State ank's affairs are in pretty

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Associated Press.

the necelvers say, and they dout any great hope to my by the depositors of dollar." It will shably months before final at is made.

tors are inclined to bring not the bank's officials. t with violation of the By the Associated Press. ing law, which will be a

Jackson, Miss., Feb.-The \$100,000 freeding. The banking et will furnish counsel and damage suit filed against Governor is course is decided upon. Lee M. Russell by Miss Frances of approximately \$207,009 when the bank failed. Birkhead will be tried at the next term of circuit court.

Copies of Miss Birkhead's statement and a lengthy afficavit setting forth her alleged relations with the governor late last night and he and his attorneys were busy study ng them. Miss Birkhead is in New Orleans.

In a lenghy statement issued last night bitterly denouncing the charge of Miss Birkhead as "an infamous

futen, Feb. 7.-Iron con- Hattiesburg American, and John R intended to support the roof Tally, a prominent attorney of that Klickerbocker theatre-the city, have been Miss Birkhead's adof which clused the lives of visors in the suit.

1008 to be lost-was weak in Mr. Tally issued the following eints and was below the re- statement:

ints of the plans "submitted "I never saw Miss Birkhead in my Obstruction of the theatre, life. I never had any conversation Henry Davis, building inspec- with her and have nothing to do with the district of Columbia, tes- her suit. I am sorry for the govertoday before the coroner's jury. nor."

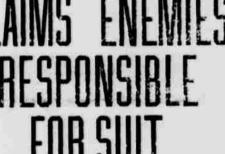
Mr. Williams in a statement said Davis expressed the opinion in "I saw Miss Birkhead last sum-D questions that "this insuf-7 of protection should have mer and she told me her story. I did accovered by proper inspection." not advise or counsel with Miss are called for an iron truss Birkhead in any way except to tell the longer than that which her that any redress she might outain would have to come hrough petion of the ruing he found

court verdict.

"The woman was in destitute cirall the builder had not been to furnish detailed specific cumstances and in a pitiable plight-Further than this, I know nothing I was therefore delayed slightly in as is usually the case, for about her troubles."

tal works Donaldson, an iron worker, that he had reported to the intendent that two of the beams placed in the huilding were than seemed to be required. aperintendent laughed at him, etness said, when he declared aid never witness a perform-

LIKELY IU AUUEPI the building. peared at the windows and several of their city to continue to forge ahead need now is the development of a By the Associated Press. Washington, Feb. 7.- President the guests started jumping down. I J. H. Parick for mayor and Mr. Baltimore Sun. By the Associated Press. LE BOXES AND GENOA INVITATION METTS TO BE MADE Harding will order suspended all don't know how many jumped from Meadows sponsors J. W. Shuford. COTTON work on vessels which are destined windows. These names came in during the for the scrap heap under the naval "There were 72 guests in the ho- afternoon. By the Associated Press. MAKE BIG STEAL for the scrap heap under the navar treaty, but will not order the vessels treaty, but will ofter the treaties are when I saw the fire. Several persons New York, Feb. 7.-The cotton market opened at a ceeline of seven By the Associated Press. scrapped until after the treaties are when I saw the fire. Several persons lives in the building. to 19 points owing to unfavorable Washington, Feb. 7 .- The reply of jumped from the third floor to the Samuel Ashe, who was a guest of Liverpool and Manchester advices the United States government to the the hotel, is reported missing today. The president, it was said, already sidewalk. ratified. May sold off and there was some spot invitation to attend the international By the Associated Press. be Associate 1 Pre-s Wash, Feb. 7.- The First has ordered suspension of work on any of work on the stand could do nothing. I had to get out carried to hospitals were reported as house selling. Close economic conference at Genea will be Washington, Feb. 7 --- Secretary Bank of Poulbo, Wash., additional fortification: on the island could do nothing. I had to get out carried to hospitals were reported as Open 16.55 made this week, it was indicated at Weeks announced today that arong probably fatally injured. Those whose 'March 16.45 "tered last night by Landits of Guam and likewise further de- in the air or faint." ^{opened} 30 deposit boxes and es- velopments under way in the Philip-with 16.31 the white house today. No intimation others selected for nomination as 15.88 of the nature of the reply has been brigadier generals in the officers re-15.3515.35 given, but it is understood that the serve corps was Brig. Gen. Van. B. quo for those islands in the Pacific. between 12 and 15 persons lost their Mount, N. C. invitation will be accepted. Mets, Raleigh, N. C. s received here.



ly the Associated Press. Richmond, Va., Feb. 7 .- At least three persons dead and 30 injured and

a property loss estimated at \$150,-000, according to police records shorty before noon, resulted today from a fire which destroyed the Lexingion Hotel and gutted four adjacent buildings.

of the hotel and it is believed by the Hickory on the 9th, giving his conpolice that the toll will reach 15 or

ed the main portions of the hotel ruins, where it was believed most of the bodies may be found. A high

brick wall facing Twelfth street, | Times, it was feared, might fall any moment. Efforts are being made to disinterigate the foundation of the wall and cause it to tumble, after which search for the bodies will begin, Fire compelled, whether you will or not,

Chief Joines declared. The known dead are Byron S. Austin, Fineastle, Va., who died on his way to a hospital; Champ J. Knox, jons from Mendelssohn, Chopin, blackmail," Governor Russel! saic Williamsport, Pa., who died in a local Sarasate, Schubert, Wieniawski and that Howard Williams, editor of the hospital, and C. M. Thomas, sheriff of Albemarle county, who died of injuries.

> The list of injured included J. E. Ford, Rocky Mount, N. C., lacerations; and James Robertson, North Carolina, injured back.

There were a large number of guests missing, including A. B. Overton, Nashville, N. C.

The belief was expressed that sevfor in the hospitais.

"I was at the desk when I saw the smoke and fire sweeping up the fire escape," Mart E. Frye, clerk of the Lexington hotel, who was on duty at the time, said. "I grabbed the telephone, but it was out of order. Men had been working on the switchboard and the connection was severed.

in flames.

"It seems that few sought the fire desire is to select the very best tal-

equipped. Most of the women ap- take a backward step. They want

SKOVGAARD HERE

m., of that day.

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will andress the manufacturers of this community ca a similar topic next Saturday alternoon at the Chamber of Commerce rooms. The editorial in part says that the Charlotte Chamber of Commerce has instituted what is to be known as a "Membership Dinner" and on these occasions some Skovgaard will appear in Colum- speaker on nation-wide repute will

Seventy-two persons were guests bia, S. C., tonight and will arrive in give a talk. The first of the series is booked for Wednesday night, when cert at the college at eight o'clock, p. Chas. Aubrey Eaton will make an ad-

HERE ON SATURDAY

his unusual power for organization, "I've heard tell of Carver,"

speaker Dr. Eaton was charged with he was born and raised.

the responsibility for speed nor up

in thousands of industrial plants con-

"His success was phenominal. As

president of the American Educational

Association, Dr. Eaton is now devot-

ing his energies to a national educa-

tional affort to afford all those in the

ranks of industry a better understand-

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tributing war materials.

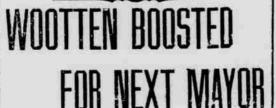
LIVESTOCK PRICES

To Skovgaard belongs a masterly At 12.30 firemen had not penetrat- dignity, unalloyed by mannerisms and authority eminently qualified to han- in the auchtorium at 8 o'clock tonight, and the room made at solutely prishallow display. An artist of the die that matter. Mr. Eaton has made strived in Hickory last evening and massing through in area will fin scholarly order, he devotes himself a fine platform reputatica. He was is being escorted about the town by Standard's rest room convenient and with seriousness to the music which at one time editor of Leslie's Weekly Supt. R. W. Carver, an old friend Standard's rest room convenient and

> recognized leader of industry and will have on his program many popular Artistically the most brilliant event make relation of points of intimate melodies. of the season was the Skovgaard concert last night. From the time this value to the industrial and commerartist begins to "talk" to you with cial interests of this community. his violin until he stops, you are He has a message that should be heard by every sound thinking man to listen. His art is mature, and his in the country and he presents the facts in such a clear and common sense done a little wrestling in other days playing last evening was verile, magnetic and deeply emotional. His manner that he makes a profound He also served in the war. He has program embraced charming selectimpression, wherever he appears. The sung in the Royal Opera, London. Observer says: "Dr. Eaton during the world war Overa, Chicago. He is on his way to others besides his own compositions. was chief of the National Service New York, where he will make some -Vort Land, Copenhagen, Denmark. section. In that capacity because of phonograph records.

He controls the grand old Stradivarius upon which he plays, and the inborn case of a genius. His is a faultless technique combined with the deepest musical understanding. -Neuse Preussiche Zeitung, Berlin, production in all the shipyards and follows: Germany.

From the very start Skovgaard proved himself to be a scholarly musician, not lacking in virtuous brilhancy, but first and last an intereral of these will later be accounted preter of musical ideas and sentiments .- New York Times.



Gec. R. Wootten is the choice of R sending in the alarm. I told the boy F. ("Dacdy") Gardner for mayor. to step upstairs and notify the guests. His name was brought to the Record

By the Associated Press. There is one thing that Hickory Chicago, Feb. 7 .- Advancing pricturning in the alarm, the building was ful study. Some strong personalities stock market here today-\$10 a hundredweight. This is a \$2.10 above

citizens both men and women and the last November.

Hickory people have no desire to developed in the motor. What we

The following excerpt from an editorial appearing last Sunday's Charlotte Observer is worthy of note locally since Dr. Charles Aubrey Eaton

Simon Baccanegro-Verdi.

-Seechi-Mr. Goddard.

Invictus-Huhn.

Requiem-Homer.

Negro Spirituals:

Deep River-Burleigh.

(Opera Scipio)-Handel.

Sylvia-Speaks.

II

III

IV.

Want to be Ready-Burleigh

De Ol' Arks a Moverin-Guion.

M. Goddard.

Hear Me Ye Winds and Waves-

Little Mother of Mine-Burleign.

Oh Dion't It Rain-Burleigh.

Two Grenadiers-Schumann.

Mr. Goddard.

Fiano Selections-Mr. Nelson.

Noon and Night-Hawley.

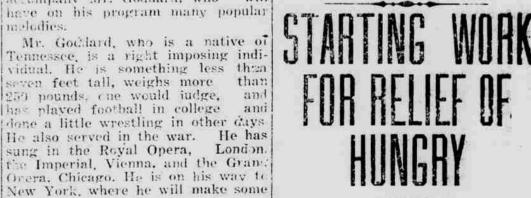
Down-Curran-Mr. Goddard.

Martini.

REST ROOM REMODELED

For the convenience of ladies, the rest room at the Standard Garage &

James Goddard, grand opera sing- Sales Company has Leen remodeled Greatest Need," and Mr. Eaton is an er, who will give a popular concert repovated and new curtains placed performs-London, England and is now president of the American Frank Nelson, famcus pianist, will attractive. This is a part of the Educational Association. He is a accompany Mr. Goddard, who will Sandard service.



Ar. They are getting started on the his ability for leadership and his Goddard said, laughing. He also ad- near east and Jewish relief joint camfeelings of his aucience, with all the understanding of working men as well mitted that Knoxville. Tenn., is a paigns and the various committees as his extraordinary popularity as a suburb of Maryville. Tenn., where mot in the municipal building last night with General Chairman Ed L Mr. Goddard's program for tonight Scuford. On motion of B. B. Blackwelder each church will endeavor to raise \$300 for the cause. Mrs. J. P. Il lacerto (In Italian) (from opera Buins read a report showing what Holy Trinity had done and this was Flaisieur C'Amour (In French)received with applause. Mrs. F. C. Longaker and Lloyd Hyder were Lungi dol Caro Bene (In Italian) added to the Lutheran committee.

Other committees are: r resbyterian-Mrs. T. F. Stevensen, Mrs. N. E. Aull, Mrs. Carrie Gamble, Mrs. E. D. Yoder, Mrs. A. Reud, Mrs. P. W. Troutman, Mrs. A. C. Kelly, Mrs. L. Cline, Mrs. H. M. Doll, Miss. L. McComb, N. W. Clark, H. P. Williams.

Baptist-R. M. Perry, chairman;

N. A. Yount, Tom Pruitt. Episcopal-R. E. Martin, J. L. Cilley, Mrs. R. E. Simpson. Methodist-G. F. Ivey, A. M. West, J. W. Hartsfield, S. H. Farabee, T. S. Golden, Fred Horton, C. H. Van Hervie, C. E. Keever, Fred Murphy. Mr. J. Teles Miller was named chairman of the committee to solicit the corporations at Highland, Brookford, and West Hickory with Miss Julia Wheeler, Mrs. W. B. Ramsay, Mrs. W. H. Warner, Mrs. W. L. Mitchell, Mr. Heald and Mrs. Neil Clark and Mrs. Thompson de-

signated to assist in the outside

work.



work has as its two major fundamentals the encouragement of maximum initiative and maximum product-FOR NEXT MAYOR ion on the part of each working unit." His address at the Hickory Chamtor of Commerce rooms to local manufacturers will therefore be very instructive and interesting.

"Smoke and heat was intense and I office yesterday afternoon. do not know how many he was able people are doing and that is giving to arouse. When I got back from the question of the next mayor care- es reached a new record in the live-

escapes with which the building is ent available.