BOARD ALDERMEN MET LAST MONDAY

Adjourned To Meet Nov. 29.

The City Aldermen were in special session last Monday night in the May-or's office. A portion of the evening dite our respective names, respect-enter our protest and showeth,

you in said respective districts, are erroneous, excessive, made improperly unt to more than allowed or prescribed by law, therefore an improper charge against the abotting land owners.

"Second—That in making said as sessment, no allowance has been made for the ten thousand dollars turned over by the Road Commission of Lincoln county, to be used in the improvement of the two roads leading through Lincolnton connecting the sandelay roads worked into town by abé Road Commission, as provided by the Road Commission, as provided by abe Road Commission, as provided by a sessment, no allowance has been made on the subject.

(a) It is clearly taught in the Old better plan still is to have a box marking the profits would get the giver into a increase by Germany the whole 15 systematic way of doing his giving. A years preceding the European war, and more than the combined in rob God? yet ye have robbed me, even is put one dollar out of every dent or every dent or in any one year of their history."

The North Carolina Congressman the promise: "Bring ye all the tithes panny out of every dime. This is a asserts that "this sudden, radical and very simple thing, but how it would suppended by a systematize and revolutionize our giving the profits would get the giver into a increase by Germany the whole 15 systematic way of doing his giving. A years preceding the European war, and more than the combined in one dollar out of every dollar, one the promise: "Bring ye all the tithes panny out of every dime. This is a asserts that "this sudden, radical and very simple thing, but how it would suppended by a systematize and revolutionize our giving the European war, and more than the combined in the systematic way of doing his giving. A pear the Second That in making said asfore assessing the abutting land owners, thereby giving to said land own- it." I suppose none will deny that the we are to give to God. If we go on duty of giving a tenth is unmistakably within the prescribed limits of which by chapter 788, Public-Local Laws 1915, the said ten thousand dollars, was to be expended upon the roads, and upon which the ten thousand dollars, and upon which the ten thousand dollars and upon which the ten thousand dollars are many who say it is no longer of binding force, that it passed out with the Mosine Dispensation, that we live touch the hem of the garment of our mome as the part we are to give to God. If we go on in a haphazzard way giving just what the we can spare, or as special demands are many who say it is no longer of binding force, that it passed out with the Mosine Dispensation, that we live touch the hem of the garment of our mome as the part we are to give to God. If we go on BOOKER T. WASHINGTON DEAD.

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"Fifth, Except also to the av yardage of asphalt, too large.

Wherefore pray, That a proper ar law, and to that end the Board of Alto the property owners the proper asseasment, making the deductions as

This protest was discussed by Capt C. E. Childs for the property owner and City Attorney Jones and by sev eral of the property owners present After much explaining and discussion the property owners present at th ng said they would withdraw Two" of the protest relating

fonday night, Nov. 29, at which time the city engineer is in instructed to present an accurate, corrected list of along the five improvement districts for final adoption. It was also further ordered that the engineer submit to each property owner who has filed pro test. His final assessment before sai meeting to the end that corrections any, may be made by the enginee Provided if any such property owner i disastisfied with the engineer's as sessment, he be given a hearing a said meeting of the board.

GOVERNOR'S THANKSGIVING

PROCLAMATION. That this State is buoyant with nobling faith to greater achievements, is the declaration of Gov. Craig in his Thanksgiving proclamation, is sued Saturday. Calling on the people to fittingly observe the day for our many blessinge, the Governor

and widows and all who sare desolate and oppressed, for if we do not we

WHAT WE OWE

Considering the Assessment Matters. Dr. Livingstone Johnson on Theme "How Much Owest Thou My Lord?"

cial Dr. Livingston Johnston in Charlotte

The question of stewardship is a grning one and, I trust, will become more so until the Christian world comes very much nearer to a proper

At the Laymen's Convention which was held in Chattanooga a year ago, there hung above the ptarrorm a

The only way to accomplian that superment that superment that superment task is to bring Christianity our giving systematic, proportionate to a realization of its obligation of and regular.

(a) No business man can succeed my Lord?" is the question I desire to press upon every leader. My personal opinion is that a tenth of one's kingdom of our Lord we are suffering income should be the minimum. Having more from lack of system than from many of them—I fear a large to it, many of them—I fear a large many of them—I fear a large to it, man

What the Scriptures Say.

Chapter 788, Public-Local Laws 1915, open you the windows of heaven, and ing.

and whatever be the outcome the which amount should be deducted before assessing the abutting land ownshall not be room enough to receive tionate. We should have some fixed again into an armed camp."

"Third, The extra work, brick, has requirement to give a tenth antedates of it be much or little. This is emiins and piping charged, is not a proper the Mosaic law. In Genesis 13:20 we nently fair, and comports with our working his way through school. In the Mosaic law. In Genesis 13:20 we nently fair, and comports with our working his way through school. In the most of the law requires that for negroes at Tuskegee and has since the remained principal of the institute he Is erroneous, as it is the duty of the town to take care and give proper drainage for all water accumulating along it's streets and no charge to property owners to convey or duty imposed upon property owners to care for water accumulated upon road way.

Abraham met Melchisedec King of human laws. The law requires that for negroes at Tuskegee and has since the rate of taxes be regulated by a remained principal of the institute he high God, and Abraham gave him a man's possessions. If between the founded. He did a great work for his dates of assessment he loses part of words in your search for the origin his property his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for the other hand, he gains, his taxes are less; if, on of the idea of industrial education for industrial e "Fourth, Error has been made in the mount of excavations charged, and the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the top mount too large.

There's plenty of room at the top paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. It is paying to him the interest on what the father of the race. a moral law. All laws that were whose income is but \$500,00 to give case, some fail. But not one has ever moral laws, such as marriage, the \$50,000. Sabbath and, indeed, all the decalogues, were brought over into the

iens, but rebuked them for neglecting he weightier and more important ought" that imposes an obligation This is the New Testament, mark, you, and is the language of our Lord himself.

In Hebrews 7:1-10 Melchisedec in said to be a type of Christ. His greatness is shown from the fact that Abraham, the patriarch, gave to him (Melchisedec) a tenth of the spoils. Now the argument is that if Melchise lec, who was a type of Christ, resived this honor at the hands of hraham, now much more worthy is sieve tithes of us, for he is our high iest, "not after the law of a carnal

commandment, but after the power of Rigby very partinently asks, "Why see the Apostle here introduce the uestion of tithes at all if it be not

dispensation are not free from law. In the New Testament, liberty does not mean lawlessness, Grace does not mean anarchy. Permit another quotation from Rigby:

tasted real gospel liberty who does not delight in the precepts of his Maker. He who fears the law, is the only slave to it, while he who loves it

offerings than the Jew. His liberty KITCHIN FEARS PRO-

THE LORD consists in keeping the law, without the coercive power of the penaltie or the hope of its righteousness." Rom. 3:31-"Do we then make void the law through faith? God forbid; yea we establish the law."

cripture on the subject.

Many who do not believe that tith-

ing made bold to answer the question, any other one thing. If all God's peo-

tionate. We should have some fixed again into an armed camp."

Let us look into these objections sliding scale and works automatically, adjusting itself to that income, wheth-

answer it-was not a ceremonial, but ings makes it possible for a man ceed in business for such is not the

a tenth. It may be that they should, tithe), or he may place confide roved, if not distinctly taught in the to do his duty that does not excuse of these things tithing is not response to the response of these things tithing is not response to the response of these things tithing is not response to the response of these things tithing is not response to the response to ithe anise and rue and cummin, and sheep," Peter seeing John standing not tithe than there are among the inve omitted the weightier matters of by asked "Lord and what shall this who do. the law, judgment, mercy and faith, man do?" Jesus answered "If I will The reason we regard giving as These ought ye to have done and not that he tarry till I come, what is that such a hardship and speak of it as a

in God is credited with one-tenth samething on hand with which to our hands, meet them. This will take away the Would Gr nnoyance and unpleasantness tha sually accompany spasmodic giving We will not complain of the nums ous appeals, for it will not be a ma ter of trying to scrape up money to meet them, but of adn

funds we already have in hand.

Those Who Have Tried it Pleased. 3. Another atrong argument in faway by sentiment or emotion. It has is essential to success in their own

I have vet to find a man who has I have yet to find a man who mas faithfully practiced tithing from a sense of duty, (and no man is likely to begin it who is not constrained to do so by a sense of duty), but said do so by a sense of duty), but said that he prospered by it. He found that after conscientiously laying aside one-tenth for the Lord, the nine-tenths that remained went further than the ten-tenths would have done if all had been used for himself. A very successful husiness man, who is a tither, may there is nothing strange about the success of those who tithe, as it is hased on a sound business principle. One who practices tilking

GRAM WILL SUCCEED. BY BIG MAJORITY.

Washington, Nov. 15.— Represent—el Hill, the sent of the ative Claude Kitchin, majority lead—University students. A Good Rule. | er of the House, who opposes the 2. The giving of a tenth is a good Administration National defense pro- date for Governor of Kentucky, won become a matter of the deepest con-

annot we use this as a starting point ness and power I posses. However, upon which we can agree as to the my fear is that the President will

Representative Kitchin declares is incumbent upon me to give my ple were to practice tithing, system that the program "at one bound, in reasons for this belief. would follow naturally. Opening an one year increases our naval approwould follow naturally. Opening an one year increases our naval approaccount with the Lord and crediting priations more than our total increase 1. I believe the Scriptures teach that account with the proper share of for the last 14 years; more than the it. Let us see what God's word says the profits would get the giver into a increase by Germany the whole 15

and whatever be the outcome of the

we are to give to God. If we go on BOOKER T. WASHINGTON DEAD.

sacrifice it costs to make them, tith- that all who practice tithing will suc-

Some whose incomes are small try may make bad investments (though new dispensation. Christ said he did on the ground that those with very opinion is given above, he is not so not come to destroy the law, but to large incomes should give more than likely to do it as a man who does not The New Testament. but that is a matter between them men who prove to be unworthy of his (b) Tithing is recognized and ap- and their God. If your neighbor fails confidence; but for failure on account Christ said to the Pharsees, "Ye our risen Lord said to Peter "feed my proportionately, among those who do

to leave the other urdone." He commended them for tithing the vege(c) It makes our giving regular
(ables or herbs that grew in their garIf one has a box into which he puts
income as the Lord's and feel that we the Lord's tenth, or an account where. have no more right to appropriate it the income, there will rarely ever come propriate the property of our neighhave a certain place which we know the account. When special appeals is the Lord's treasury into which to are made there will almost always be put a tenth of all that comes into

> Would Greatly Increase Our Gifts. From last year's associational min would make our gifts aggregate \$1,-

or of tithing is the fact that those the average income of the people of who have given it a faithful trial are the United States is \$170. That includes children who are under the hem do not stand at the tenth long, ed that the average income would be they go beyond it. As a rule the large \$300. Every one who is old enough givers begin to learn the grace of giv. to be a mearber of a Baptist church is ing by tithing. It was true with old a producer. Now if North Carolina Deacon Colgate, and it has been true of nearly all the large and liberal givers are an average state, the income of our people is \$300 each year. There are aince. Another thing worthy of note: tithing appeals to business men who are cold and calculating in their would be \$73,500,000. A tenth of that

would be \$73,500,000. A tenth of that would be \$7,350,000! That is to say, it me should make the tenth the minif we should make the tenth the minif we should make the tenth the min-imum, we would give seven times as much as we gave last year. Instead of making the tenth the minimum we are giving but one-seventh of oneare giving but one-seventh of one- is assigned.

SHORT NEWS ITEMS

Seven moonlight schools are being

gram, has declared to a constituent by about 300 votes. The Republicans cern, and an effort is being made to his belief that it will succeed by an concede his election, which makes it induce the Greek Government to de-

give part of his income to the Lord, of Wilson, N. C., the new majority flag, to bring out of Rotterdam mil- and British warships with transport and that we who live under grace leader says:

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| lions of dollars worth of goods detain nas made some min. Jews who lived under the law. Why Navy program with all the earnest- der-in-council, has been submitted to with so much at stake, nothing short the State Department by a New York of a positive guarantee of the safety syndicate headed by Jules E. Bernard. of the French, British and Serbian there hung above the placerom a matter of giving? Everyone knows push it through by an overwhelming Glowing reports continue to come troops, should they be compelled by atreamer bearing this motto: "Christian to be regular and business-like in majority. In the first place, practi-

against the town of Concord on the tion. \$500 after the jury had wrestled over

the Presbyterians of Wilmington a bank of the Cerina. for a new congregation to be organ- days without cessation.

of the assembly by the experts in in the west. charge. These children will come from McDowell, Johnston, Northampton, Vienna by way of Zurich says that sive.

W. H. Chapman, says the Greensboro ober. Of the total, 35 of these were aken in the fifth North Carolina disrict, 22 in the fourth North Carolina

with the razor.

onths ago as a hobo and it developed atter his agrest that he was wanted for postoffice robbery in New Hanover ounty. In the Federal court at Wilington last week he plead guilty and was sentenced to Atlanta Federal prisn for a year and a day.

The body of Father Benoit F. Favard, the priest who mysteriously disppeared from St. Joseph's colored Catholic school in Norfolk, Va., on the morning of November 5, was found floating in the river at Norfolk Sunlay morning. As there were no marks of violence on the body it is supposed native of France and had brooded

udience Sunday night about the First

as well as contributions to benevolent men in all walks of life attended and

A three-million dollar fire in a Penn sylvania steel mill making supplies or the allies; countless accidents and and explosions and fires aboardship, to the old method of giving less than producing age. If only those who are and explosions and fires aboardship, a tenth. Indeed, a vast majority of producers were counted it is estimated indicate the activity of foreign prices. and agents in this country; and a-former Austrian minister to San Fran-

William S. Battle ,aged about 93, a

prominent citizen of Turboro, died last week. He was a member of the Legislature several terms and was in hat body when North Carolina cast her lot with the Confederacy. He was the father of Dr. S. Westray Battle of

conducted within four miles of Chap-creasing gravity from the Allies' el Hill, the sent of the University, by viewpoint of the military situation

In a letter today written by Representative Kitchin to Charles L. Coon, owned ships manned by American oniki of a large number of French tianity's supreme task in America, is our giving, it is necessary to have cally all the Republicans will vote hope is held out that, notwithstandto Spiritualize a Commercial Age."

The only way to accomplish that su
The only way to accomplish that su-

The presence of Lord Kitchener, the British Secretary for War in the Athens, it is hoped here, will help to clear up a very complicated situa-The time, however, is short,

handsome church in the eastern part | Thus far the Serbians are holding umes for the excellent standing this of the city, as a memorial to their the Balbuna Pass, and the French newspaper has in this community. The edifice will be either of their original position, but the pres- On Wednesday, November 24th the brick or stone and will cost many sure is necessarily being belt by News will give three five dollar gold thousands of dollars. The church is

Eighty- four rural school children who have joined hands with Bulwill attend the sessions of the Teach- garians west of Nish, are moving ers' Assembly in Raleigh. Thanks- slowly and steadily, but doubtlessly each be given a five dollar gold piece. fore Christmas. You may as well giving week. They will be used in cautiously owing to the presence of The prizes, remember, will be given have a part of it as to see your neigh emonstration schools to illustrate the unbeaten Montenegrins with pernethods of teaching to the members haps other support, harrassing them ing the greatest number of chance, and then think of the hor

Mamance, Orange and Granville coun- British and Italian troops are en- will count as one subscription the same Reports received by Revenue Agent where the Serbians are awaiting cannot get a friend to pay you for them, but does not say from what point they are coming. The Near as if the subscription were for a whole started now and honestly try are go a the Greensboro division during Oc. able anxiety for the next few days. A year's subscription counts just eagles the closing night of the

On the other fronts there is little three times as many votes towards test. to report. Both the Belgian and Petrograd statements report quiet genlistrict and two in the district of erally. On the Styr River, however, the Russians are still fighting for the stock, or thereabouts in the Cambria who had recently come into p

mining activities. The ground has Pittaburg, who started his business cacould not be attempted in the mud might soon be possible.

tary and diplomatic situation of the Arthur Barrett, a young white man if not critical, a fact which doubtwas arrested in Salisbury, a few less, led to the visit of the British Prime Minister, Mr. Asquith, David Lloyd-George and A. J. Baifour to Paris for a conference with French Cabinet and General Jore. French commander-in-chief.

The main Serbian army, General Putnick, operating in the north, is encompassed on every side but one, and being cut off from the south by the Bulgarian advance be yond Tetovo, must depend upon the Miss Serough roads through Montenegro and Master

Bulgarian flanking attack on Bab-ral dates in North Carolina within This leaves the Serbians only two the past week ,talked to a Greensboro lines of retreat, one into Albania, where they may be harassed by un-Commandment. Monday night he spoke in Charlotte. Spoke in Charlott commandment. Monday night he friendly tribes, and the other across Miss Ruth Leonard questionably this matter has been discussed in Paris by the British and French Ministers

Like Italy and France, England Master Beverly Costner. now demands that Greece shall either nevolent neutrality towards the Enshe will attempt to disarm neither the Serbians nor the Allies should they be forced back over her fronfacilities for the landing and trans-

DISTRICT NO. 2.
All rural routes and towns
coln and adjoining counties: THREE MILLINOS ARE DESTI-LINCOLNTON, N. C. R. F. D. NO. 1 Miss Gladys Dellinger......12350

Master Earl Clement.

Wm. Lee Davidson Johnston 1750

LINCOLNTON, R. F. D. NO. 5

New York, Nov. 16 .- Over 3,000 000,000 persous in Belgium and north by Christmas. If the garments and shoes for these destitute people un

desperate.

Such is the note of an urgent appeal issued to the people of the United States by the Comission for Relief in Belgium.

eeting Saturday, Nov. 20, 1915. The Miss Jean Inex Jetton. eting will open promptly at ten Mins dock. We expect to do some real Mins work in this meeting so come out and profit by it.

FROM THE WAR ZONE Shower Of Gold Wednesday Evening November 24, 1915

DISTRICT NO. 1.

FIRST PRIZE-\$5.00 For The Highest Number of New Subscriptions En ed By November 24th.

SECOND PRIZE-\$5.00 For The Second Highest Number of New St tions By November 24th

For The Third Highest Number of New Su By November 24th.

DISTRICT NO. 2.

FIRST PRIZE-\$5.00 For The Highest Number of New Subscriptions Pater

Aegean and of Denys Cochin, a THIRD PRIZE-\$5.00 For The Third Highest Number of New Subacrip

By November 24th.

Every day since the contest began the big prize of \$150 at the close ground that a sewer emptying into a for the Bulgarians have been strong new names have been coming in and the contest the 22nd of Dec

ly reinforced both in central and both districts are represented by the However, while you are we southern Serbin, and, besides at first and finest families in Lincoln the five dollar gold pieces you the matter 31 hours. Town appealed, tempting a flanking movement against and adjoining counties, and any child really working for two prizes, as the the Serbians at Babuna Pass, thereby on the list may feel proud of the com- number of new subscr James Sprunt and W. H. Sprunt of threatening Prilep and Monastir, are pany with whom it is associated in the five dollar gold pieces, and we porters of Wilmington, will give to French at Gradko and along the left gratifying to the News and to the help win one of those big prices. ontest management and speaks vol- cember 22.

> largest number of new subscriptions In the north, the Austro-Germans brought in from the beginning of the

A dispatch received tonight from nesday, November 24th inclu-

Three children in each district will in gold The News is giving away be-

If there is anything you do not un-Vienns by way of Zurich says that Sive. A six months subscription the same deavoring to reach the battlefield as if it were for a year, so if you

East will be watched with consider- year, except in the number of votes, ing to be the ones to carry off the go

boy at less than \$5 a week in the the idea of suicide had seemed att Cambria Mills at Johnstown, Pa. He tive to the young man. He was de is now 38 years old.

In Shelby last Wednesday evening Isabel Smith cut the throat of her husband, John Smith, with a razor and mining activities. The ground has

Our Candidates

Here are the little kings and queens, the princesses and princes, the dim pled darlings, the chubby lads and wee small lassies from the kingdom of happiness and world of loveliness

IRON STATION, N. C.

All territory within a radius of a Master William Joseph Shires. 2200 mile each way from the court house. Master Yates King Wilkinson, 11850 Master Yates King Wilkinson. . 11850 Miss Estelle Rudisill Master James Shuford, Jr.,.....2550 Miss Irene Lineberger...... Master Clegg Lineberger....

> Miss Mary Lou Spargo 21500 CROUSE, N. C.

Miss Nellie Harvey.
Master Guy Beattle.
Miss Lois Carpenter
Master Herbert Mult Miss Fabell Carpenter Master Hal Heafner: The Heafner Twins... HIGH SHOALS, N. C.

DALLAS, N. C.

Miss Edith Putnam... STANLEY CREEK. Miss Jensie May Cha