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VOL. XXXVI.-No. 29 KINSTON, N. C., WEDNESDAY, OCTOBE R 4, 1916 ROUMANIANS WHO CROSSED DANUBE MEET | JNO. DREWRY, GR'ND NEED FOR GETTING COUNCIL TAKES ON CHAMBER COM'ERCE SWORD AS THE LAST WITH STUBBORN RESISTANCE; BATTLE IN SECRETARY MASONS, BUSY IN FENTERING LOAN OF FIFTH OF WILL TALK PACKING RESORT, IF NOTHING WHICH MONITORS ASSIST IS IN PROGRESS DIES CAPITAL CITY BABIES IN CONTEST A MILLION DOLLARS PLANT FOR KINSTON ELSE WILL DO, SAYS

Invaders Met With Little Opposition While Passing Over Was Prominent Citizen of Mothers of Prospective Con- Not to Increase Indebted-Stream-River Warcraft Covered Landing-At Least 20,000 Men In Offensive, Critics Believe-The Russians Beat Back Germans Who, Reinforced, Make Desperate Attempts to Take Slav Positions-Serbs Progress Northeast of Florina-British Repulse the Bulgar Counters In Balkans-Little Action In Western Theater

(Ey the United Press) London, Oct. 3 .- Bulgarian forces have attacked the Roumanian army that crossed the Danube and invaded Bulgaria Sunday, and a violent battle is raging east of the Fortress of Bustchuk. An Amsterdam dispatch reports that the Roumanians forced a crossing with little opposition and threw up strong entrenchments before they were attacked. Roumanian monitors on the Danube first silenced the Bulgarian shore batteries, and the invading forces landed under cover of their fire. The size of the army is unknown, but military critics believe it must number at least twenty thousand men.

### **Russian Report Conditions In East.**

Petrograd, Oct. 3.-Massing considerable reserves, the Teutons today hurled large forces against the Russians along the river Ceniuvka and on the heights on the right bank of the Zlotalipu, but were beaten back with heavy losses, it is said officially. In this region alone the Slavs have taken 5,000 prisoners in the last three days. East of Novo Alexandroysk. dense German columns attempted to advance after heavily bombarding Russian trenches but were repulsed with machine gun fire. The Teutons also were repulsed in a midnight attack in the Sereth river sector, near Krinkiostassin, following a bombardment.

### **Italians Active.**

Zurich, Oct. 3.-The Italians have been violently bomharding Austrian positions near Monfalcone for three days as if in preparation for the renewal of the drive on Trieste. Air squadrons are bombarding the enemy communications. Austrian press comments on the severity of the bombardment and warns that withdrawal from Somme points may be necessary.

### Serbs Take Trenches.

Paris, Oct. 3.—Continuing their advance northeast of Florina, the Serbs have captured first line trenches on the heights of Stakoggrab, it is said officially. Bulgar counters against the new British positions on the east State-Ill Long Time-Active In Public Affairs-Funeral Conducted by Grand Lodge

Raleigh, Oct. 2 .- John C. Drewry, grand secretary of the North Carolina Grand Lodge of Masons, died this Drewsy wille, Va., in 1860, and locat-

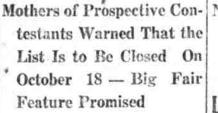
ad in Raleigh in 1888 as State manager for the Mutual Benefit Life Insurance Co. He has served as grand ceretary of the firand Lodge of Maons since 1894. He was active in civic and political affairs and served repeatedly as president of the Chamber of Commerce and of Capital.Club. Mr. Drewry was married twice, first to Miss Emmie L. Mangum, and after her death to Mrs. Kittle Mebane Helt who survives with one son John C. Drewry, Jr. A daughter by the first marriage was Mrs. P. H.

Hanes, Jr., who died a few months ago. The Grand Lodge of Masons will be in charge of the funeral which will be held from Christ Episcopal church, of which he was a vestryman, Wednesday morning at 11:30 o'clock.

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Winslow, to Have Been the Speaker Before Board of

Agriculture, Might As Well Have Been Republi-



The committee of the Mothers' Club in charge of the Better Babies Contest to be held at the Fair this month afternoon after 18 months illness with have issued a call for prospective conthe end expected at any time for sev- testants to get a hustle on-that is, eral mosths past. He was born in the mothers of prospective entrants. The statement reads:

"The time is drawing near, mother, for you to enter that fine specimen of babyligod in the Better Ba-, hies Contest to be conducted at Kinston during Fair Week under the auspices of the Mother's Club 01 Kinston, Remember, the entries begin October 9, and those who wish to enter their babies should not delay in writing Mrs. E. G. Barretteof Kinston for application blonks. After these are filled out and sent in to the committee, mothers will receive appointment cards, telling them exctly when to bring baby to the Betar Daba's Booth at the Fair Grounds to be examined.

"There will be no examination of achies on Tue-day morning of Fair Week, as the forencon will be trken up with the parade and opening exer cises, but all Troosday afternoon and On Thursday, their scores will be

computed by the scoring committee, Wednesday bables will be examined. and on Friday there will be a program in the Health Exhibits Tent, consisting of music, a lecture and the awarding of the prizes, besides some moving pictures kindly furnished by the State Department of Health. "All prizes and Bierature for thi contest have been courteously contri-

buted by the Woman's Home Companion. \ "Entries for this content end Octo-

for 18, so mothers are urged to he prompt if they wish to get their babies in."

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City Council, Monday night heard

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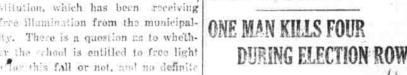
ket, Encourage Livestock Industry and Bring Lot of Money Into City, Say Advocates of Idea

(Daily Free Press-Oct. 3) Representatives of Library The directors of the Chamber of Association Secure In-Commerce at a meeting Tuesday night at 8 o'clock will take up the matter of a packing plant for Kins-Notfolk Southern Paving tion

> "It is a well-known fact that the farmers of this section are producing more meat and more feedstuffs than ever before," said Secretary F. I. Suften Tuesday. "It is equally well-

Kir .: Public Library Association, known that pork and beef can be converted by Messiames J. A. Mcproduced here for one-third to one-Daniel E. B. Lewis and Horace half of the cost that it is grown in the west. We have a not very satis-West and Miss Dora Miller for an factory condition here every year. increase in the city's appropriation During a part of the year meat is to the library of from \$12.59 to \$25 shipped into Kinston and the conper month. It is quite unnecessary sumers pay high prices. During the to state that the increase was grantwinter the market is at times glut-A. The Street Commissioner was ted with the home-grown product and prices drop to a triffing level. The instructed to proceed with the openpacking plant would stabilize the ng up of Chestaut street from Tifmarkik encourage the production of fany avenue to North street, in acmeat and bring a lot of money into ordance with a former order of the the city from the outside. The sup-Council. James W. Taylor was electporting country is splendid, and it ed a patrolman in the police departis generally conceded that it is going ment to succeed John McDusttrell, to be the South's best livestock sec-

resigned. Council enacted an ordintion." mee extending the fire line between The expense of establishing th King and Gordon streets to take in plant might reach a hundred thousadditional territory west of Queen, and dollars, according to some estihe new limit on the west between the mates. That, however, is a small wo streets running 219 feet beyond thing for a city of this size. especial-Horitane, Dr. C. B. McNairy, suply in view of the co-operative spirit intendent of the Caswell Training of the community and the tendency chen!, was before the body in conof the business interests to boost oction with the lighting of that in-Kinston, it is pointed out.



Managua, Nicaragua, Oct. 2 .- In a

ight which broke out here yesterday luring the election of General Emilby which time all the records in the no Chamouro as president of the re-

Would Stabilize Local Mar- Cowper Tells Onslow County Voters Belligerents Fear Wilson

### **ON PAR WITH WASHINGT'N**

'Our Honor Preserved In Pristine Purity" - Jacksonville Gathering Becomes Mass Meeting for Peace

(Special to The Free Press) Jacksonville, N. C., Oct. 3 .---"Thank God! up to this hour when the Democratic President has calmly but firmly said his last word, it has been heeded, and every foreign power has decided that something elso would do rathert han go to war with this country while Woodrow Wilson s commander-in-chief. I say it was a part of one consistent and continuing purpose to place America first. to protect her without the necessity of the horror and destruction of war, if this can be done with honor, but with the sword as the last resort, if nothing else will do."

G. V. Cowper, Democratic county chairman of Lenoir county, in an address to a large Democratic gathering here yesterday declared that Wilion is on a par with Washington, lefferson and Lincoln, and that he has followed the precedents of the three. When Wilson said, "Thus far and no farther," the Kaiser heeded, while all the forces of the Allies bad been impotent to cause this prince of war to change his policy of submarine warfare on iota, Mr. Cowper said. "I prefer one accomplishment like this to a thousand mere idle words of a candidate who hopes to gain the presidency (Hughes) by picking laws in the quiet man of action who stood and still stands in the heat of he actual emergency." The crowning glory of this administration, 'the brightest star in the galaxy of

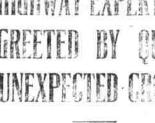
emocratic achievement, is that in

this troublesome time, when the

whole world is like an armed camp,

the cries of anguish from hundreds

of battlefields mingle with the tears



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bank of the Struma have been repulsed with heavy losses

German Counter Foiled.

A German attempt against positions east of Combles last night was quickly repulsed, it is officially stated. Elsewhere, with the exception of violent artillerving in the region of Rancourt, the Somme sector was quiet. The Germans attempted to debouch from the St. Pierre-Vaast fice of Boads in charge of this secwood, but were caught by a French mitrailleuse fire and tion of the Central Highway. was thrown back.

### BULLDOZING UPPER ABOUT TWO-THIRDS HOUSE CAUSES JAP. OF NEW YORK'S MILK CABINET TO RESIGN SUPPLY IS CUT OFF

Okuma Was Opposed by Coalition-Premier Nearly 80 Years Old-Kato or Terauchi May Be Named Successor

(By the United Press) Tokio, Oct. 3 .- The cabinet, including Premier Okuma, have resigned.

Embassy Believes Parliament to Blame.

Washington, Oct. 3 .- The persistent opposition of the Japanese upper, non-elective, House of Parliament to the policies of the premier, was responsible for his resignation, the embassy believes. He controlled the plied. The State authorities are lower house, but a coalition in the piper was formed against him.

It is said Okuma contemplated resignation in a few months.

Viscount Kato, former minister of foreign affairs under Okuma, is said to be his choice to succeed him. Kato's opponents are urging Count Marshal Terauchio, governor general of Koren, who holds the highest rank in His age may have been responsible

State Investigation of Very Grave Situation-May Be Prosecutions-Baby Hospitals Still Getting Sufficiency, Said

(By the United Press) New York, Oct. 3 .- Twenty-five to 31 per cent. of the usual milk supply

is reaching New York, according to estimates made by both sides in the big milk strike. Hospitals for babies are still being supplied with fresh milk, but restaurants in many cases are without the product and householders are only partially suprushing an investigation. It is alleged that it is distributing and producing combines which are at loggerheads. An attempt to determine whether the Dairyman's League is a combination in restrain of trade and whether the big distributors are guil-

the army. Okuma is 79 years old. for his action, it is thought by some. they said.

ty of price-fixing is being made.

A meeting of the County Ebard of Agriculture that was to have been held in the Courthouse Monday afernoon had to be called off because if the emailness of the attendance, D. H. Winslow, agent of the U.S. Of-

present for an address, which, of course, could not be delivered to empv chairs with any degree of satisaction. The chairs in the Courtouse are quite inconsiderate creaures, and would probably refuse to year a good roads address. They re of such coarse breeding and unused to progress. Mr. Winslow expects a Federal appropriation for

his link of the highway this month. The County Board of Education in 08 eguine section Monday ordered a w schull district in Woodington wn-hin. The Board of County Commissionrs after transacting routine business Monday visit d the sporal contract

road work in progress in the county, aspecting the construction, etc. The Board nuthorized the purchase of a second motor truck for the building

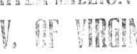
and maintenance of highways. The machine will cost about \$5,000.



El Paso, Texas, Oct. 2 .- Villa told the Mexican mining men at San Andres. Chihushua, after capturing that own from Carransa troops Septemper 24, that he had no enmity toward the Americans and asked them to notify American friends to resume work at their mines in eastern Chihuahua, as he would give them all guarantees, wo Mexican mining men who arrived last night from San Andres reported. Villa, in an impassioned address to

fighting "only the traitor Cagranza,"

### will be backed up

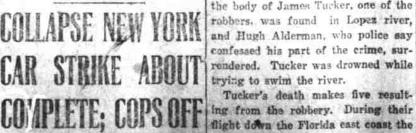


### (By the United Press)

Charlottesville, Va., Oct. 3 .- An nonneemont was made at the opening of the 93rd year of the University of Virginia that an usuamed benefdescribed by President Alderman as a "distingationed, high-minded, unselfish American citizen," donated a number of a million dollars to the school. The university opens will the largest enrollment in its history

#### (By the United Press)

Rome, Oct. 3 .--- A Zurich dispatch today asserted that the Kaiser had personally appealed to President Wilson to end the war, but that the President had refused to intervene at this bank at Homestead .Fla., on Septemtime.



(By the United Press)

New York, Oct. 3 .- The practical the townspeople, declared he was collapse of the street car striks in evidenced by the withdrawal of police protection from the subways.

public, Salvador Zelaya, a nephew of Council heard John J. George liceryville, N. C., in a proposition a advance the city \$200,000 at 5 per out, to retire present indebtedness, a neuroscating Ship y Spitzer & Co and brokers of Toledo. Mr. George's ffee was accepted. He then made a id for the entire issue of improvement bonds of the city, up to half a

lilion dollars, offering par and exenses. This offer was not accepted. Council desires to wait until the bonds tre ready for delivery, which may be everal months yet, before making a ical, he was informed.

melusion was reached at the mest-

or. By mutual agreement the ques-

on was left open until next month.

The Norfolk Southern Railroad i to be instructed, by Council's order, hat its plank paving at crossings i not satisfactory. A request for immediate remedying of the trouble is

to be made. The paying is all right, t scoms, but the manner of laying anything but pleasing to the administration. The railroad officials I realize that the work was not satisfactory and are expected to make no

LAST OF FLORIDA BANK

former President Zelaya, attacked a group of conservatives, shooting and alling four of them. During the fight Zelaya himself was seriously counded, while a number of other mersons were also hurt. The police quickly intervened and quelled the disorder.

## SOUND PHYSIQUES IS

Grand Rapids, Mich., Oct. 3 .- To stir up enthusiasm for an American Physician Rennaissance which shall result in the elimination of physical weaklings by making them strong, is one of the tasks to which the Playground and Recreation Association of Amorica, in Congress here, has conecrated itself.

how to best organize playgrounds.

### ROBBERS SURRENDERS CONVICTS PUT UP A **REWARD FOR ESCAPES** Fort Myers, Fia. Oct. 2.- Chase

for the four bandits who robbed a Ossining, N. Y., Oct. 2 .- Escape of two convicts from the "Honor ber 15 of \$6,000 ended today when gang" working outside Sing Sing the body of James Turker, one of the prison stirred the Mutual Welfare robbers, was found in Lopez river, League, a convict organization, today and Hugh Alderman, who police say to offer rewards of \$100 each for their confessed his part of the crime, surarrest. The outside branch & the rendered. Tucker was drowned while league, in New York City, also notified Warden Thomas M. Osborne this Tucker's death makes five result-

afternoon that efforts would be made to capture the refugees if they appeared in the metropolis.

bandits fought several pistol fights with pursuers, and three possemen

ed up the west coast. Leland Rice, brother, Frank, was shot and dan- dy. He took it last week-a alasaid to have been the leader of the gerously wounded when at attempted hour visit with a farm friend. John and, was shot and killed by a resi- to board a schooner near the island. I couldn't stand idleness.

of orphaned children and widowed mothers, we have been spared from he cruelty of war, and yet, our honos has been preserved in its pristine purity." The Lenoir chairman talked mostly about the administration and its foreign policy, and the Mexican affair. HOBBY OF ASSOCIAT'N The gathering was resolved into a

mass meeting for peace and frequenty the speaker was halted by the theers of the farmer following of the Man of Peace who has brought the people back to "the doctrine of the Fatherhood of God and the brotherhood of man." Mr. Cowper discussed the tariff, the constructive legislation of the administration," what Republicans

The Congress, today, tomorrow. Thursday and Saturday, will listen to speakers of note giving ideas on how to bring about an awakening of principally to talk of national affairs. interest in physical well being and

He went over the achievements of the successors of Russell in the commonwealth, however, and showed how North Carolina is eradicating illiteracy, how the State has progressed to a brilliant stand in the matter of public health, and how every other State in the union has a higher tax rate. The Republican campaign ar-

gument is a mass of nothingness; he said. "My heart swells with the pride that knows no bounds," he dec'ared in telling of Democracy's achievements in North Carolina;

will not make the issues," and "what

they do make the issues. He touched

lightly upon State matters. saying

that it was his part in the campaign

TWAS A GLORIOUS HOLIDAY WHEN HE GOT A DAY OFF.

Cape Giradeau, Mo., Oct. 8 .-. John J. Neal, station agent, worked thirmere killed. They escaped from that dent of Chokoloskee Island on Sep- ty years without a vacation so that section, went to Key West and start- tember 28, and the next day Rice's when he took one it would be a dam-