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## Peasites To Organize New Party.

Columbus, S. C., Sept. 26.—A convention of minority faction in North Carolina has been called to meet in Columbia on October 18, according to a call issued here today under the signature of W. A. Jones of Bishopville, a strong Bleasener and former member of the General Assembly.

## Cotton Situation Serious.

Spartanburg, S. C., Sept. 26.—An advance of 33 1/3 per cent in the prices of sheeting and other kinds of staple goods has been made within the last 90 days by the Spartanburg mills. This rise is due to the advance in the price of cotton and the mills say that still higher prices probably be asked soon.

## Hughes Issues Challenge.

Cleveland, O., Sept. 27.—Charles Hughes tonight challenged the administration to deny his charge that John Lind was authorized by President Wilson in 1914 to say to the Minister from a foreign Power "Mexico" that Huerta would be "let out" of the presidency of Mexico if he did not voluntarily get out. Mr. Hughes issued his challenge in a speech here before an audience at the Central Armory. In the same speech Mr. Hughes landed Myron Herrick, sitting on the platform behind him, for the manner in which he discharged the duties of Ambassador to France in the early days of the war and declared that the appointment of a man to succeed Mr. Herrick "in a time of great emergency," would "ever remain a blot on the present Administration."

## High Point Man Kills Himself.

Chicago, Ill., Sept. 26.—The body of U. Tomlinson, salesman for part owner of the Tomlinson Manufacturing Company, High Point, N. C., was found dead on the floor of his lighted room in a hotel this afternoon. There was a bullet wound in the right temple. The body was a revolver. The body was found by a chambermaid who went to the room in order. On the bed lay several neatly folded newspapers and a magazine. The coat and vest had been laid carefully over a chair back. The trousers pockets were found empty.

## Piles Cured in 6 to 14 Days

Druggist will refund money if PAZO PILETMENT fails to cure any case of itching, bleeding or protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. No application gives Ease and Rest. 50c.

## Will He Raise Them in Idleness?

Wilson don't want the people to work at all until 16 years old. He don't want the men to work 48 hours. We wish conditions such that no one would have to work at all but they ain't. Most work 10 to 15 hours and we haven't seen many Johnnie Rockers running around here. The idea is that in order to live people must work more or less according to their necessities. No law in the world can regulate these things. The cost of living as high as under Mr. Wilson most of us work all the time or starve. We can't mean no eat, except to see holders and plutocrats, on Republican.

## DRUGS FOR THAT ACHE.

Are you a sufferer with lame back, dizziness, nervousness and kidney troubles, why don't you try the remedy this Statesville man recommends. Mr. Stroud, 229 Boulevard St., Statesville, N. C., says: "About sixteen years ago in pretty bad shape with kidney bladder trouble. I could hardly walk and because of the awful misery of my back was so weak and I couldn't straighten after stooping. I couldn't get out of bed. My eyes were sluggish and the kidney was scanty and unnatural. I never had such misery in my life as when the kidney secretions were passing. I didn't seem able to help me and getting worse until I used Doan's Kidney Pills. One box cured me." Get it at all dealers. Don't simply buy kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Stroud uses. Water-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

## Law Crazy.

We are law crazy. In the last five years our national and State law-making bodies have passed 62,550 laws, forgetting perhaps that God Almighty has made a fair success out of His universe with only ten. This country, the greatest business organization in the world permits 55 different systems of book-keeping in Washington and fewer than 50 of the members of Congress before the present one ever looked a pay roll in the face.—Leslie's Weekly.

## Wilson Editor Assaulted.

John Gold, editor of the Times, was assaulted last week by W. Burton, the owner of the Burton Bros. Auction company, in the Times office. The fray was the outcome of a conversation, it is alleged Gold had with Burton's daughter about printed matter which it is said, Gold refused to print for Burton without money. Several blows were passed between Burton and Gold before the police interfered and took Burton away. Gold in the Times said: "This afternoon Mr. Burton came to our office and called the editor of the Times to the front porch of the office and asked about the conversation."

"While explaining the matter to him he assaulted the editor, striking him several times. "We put up as good a fight as possible against the old beef on a coward who dare not attack a man of his size."

"The only people we have ever heard he attacked were men smaller than himself. "Mr. Burton has sent us word if we print anything about him he will repeat the attack we warn him if he gets in 15 feet of us we will drop him in his tracks." This affair has created quite a bit of interest in Wilson.

## Fogs In August.

"Uncle Billie" Fitzgerald, keeper of Greenview cemetery, reports only four fogs in August, two heavy ones and two lighter ones. This would indicate only four snowfalls the coming Winter.—Reidsville Review.

## Two to One on Hughes.

A New York dispatch of September 14th says, that Hughes backers in the financial district were offering odds of 2 to 1. Edward McQuade, curb commission broker, had \$5,000 to place at that figure. He said that all the Wilson money which had been in his hands for a number of weeks to bet at 1 to 1 had suddenly been withdrawn, and that so far as we knew, there was not a nickle of Wilson money in sight."

## Wasted Space.

"Beer isn't a cooling drink, 'don't drink beer," are some of the admonitions contained in warning to beer drinkers which is going the rounds of the press. What's the use spending time and using valuable space warning against something we couldn't get if we wanted it!—Landmark.

## Despondency.

When you feel discouraged and despondent do not give up but take a dose of Chamberlain's Tablets and you are most certain to feel all right within a day or two. Despondency is very often due to indigestion and biliousness, which these tablets are especially valuable. Obtainable everywhere.

## Patriotic.

Mr. Gilliam Grissom gives it out and he means it, too, that he is willing to die if by such sacrifice his party might win in November. And who dares say that patriotism is dead in this country?—Greensboro Record.

## To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE. It stops the Cough and Headache and works off the Cough. Druggists refund money if it fails to cure. R. W. GROVE'S signature on each box. 25c.

## Paupers in North Carolina.

The tax payers in North Carolina spent \$219,000 upon 6,405 paupers in 1914. These figures cover the paupers outside as well as inside our county homes.

This sum is big enough to call for accurate account keeping on part of our county commissioners; but not so it seems—at least, in a score or more of counties.

Don't know, nobody knows, can't tell, about so and so. were the answers that came back to us about these details in thirty odd counties last year. It sounds incredible, but so it is.

Is it not time to establish (1) county account keeping, (2) standardized annual exhibits of county finances, (3) efficient oversight of county accounts and (4) to require under penalty of law the publication of county balance sheets, at one time and not piecemeal, within a reasonable time after the close of the fiscal year?

The tax payers know nothing about county finances in full in Alamance, Orange and Iredell. And there are other counties equally in the dark. How long will intelligent citizens allow this sort of thing to go on?—News Letter.

## Republican Poll Holder.

At each polling place the Republicans are allowed one judge of elections, and upon this representative of the Republican party rests the success of the party at the polls. His place should be to take general supervision over the election and not to have his hands tied by details. The Democratic ticket is to get him to look up the names on the registrar; if they can ever persuade him to do this, he cannot possibly do the necessary watching.

Cases have been known in which the two Democrats have told him that he had to do what they said and hold the books. It only takes one man of true grit to prevent fraud and the Republican judge is chosen because he is known to be a man of determination and courage and he will do his duty when it is thoroughly understood by him.

Mr. Republican Judge, your place is in the watch tower and get your rights.—The Protectionist.

## How Catarrh is Contracted.

Mothers are sometimes so thoughtless to neglect the colds which their children contract. The inflammation of the mucus membrane, at first acute, becomes chronic and the child has chronic catarrh, a disease that is seldom cured and that may prove a life's burden. Many persons who have this loathsome disease will remember having had frequent colds at the time it was contracted. A little forethought, a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy judiciously used, and all this trouble might have been avoided. Obtainable everywhere.

## Strange Words From a Democrat.

From the number of taxation bills passed by the late congress, we are of a mind to think that body believes in rendering "unto Caesar the things that are not his."—Charlotte News.

The Quinine That Does Not Affect The Head because of its tonic and laxative effect. LAXATIVE BROMO QUININE is better than ordinary Quinine and does not cause nervousness nor ringing in head. Remember the full name and look for the signature of E. W. GROVE. 25c.

## The Coffin Tack Boob.

The schools in Georgia are going to teach the girls how to make homes. Of course, it is all right to teach 'em but when they enter into the pipe dream realms of married life, who is going to make 'em make a home 365 days in the year for some boob who hands around town glued on the end of a coffin tack?—Wilmington Star.

Lax-Fos, A Mild, Effective Laxative & Liver Tonic Does Not Gripe nor Disturb the Stomach. In addition to other properties, Lax-Fos contains Cascara in acceptable form, a stimulating Laxative and Tonic. Lax-Fos acts effectively and does not gripe nor disturb stomach. At the same time, it aids digestion, arouses the liver and secretions and restores the healthy functions. 50c.

## Mother Shipton's Famous Prophecy.

Winston Sentinel. From time to time since 1448 a remarkable prophetic verse has been republished. It is known as Mother Shipton's prophecy, and practically all of the changes that were predicted by it have today materialized. Only in the last two lines did Mother Shipton slip up, but one cannot blame her for feeling that, if all of her other predictions came true before 1881, there would be little left to be done in the world.

More than twenty-five years ago Col. Robert W. Belo clipped the prophecy from a newspaper, and he sends it to The Sentinel with the following history:

Mother Shipton's prophecy is almost forgotten except by antiquarians. It was first published in 1448 and republished in 1641. It must be confessed that the greater part of it has been fulfilled. It has no doubt caused a good many to think of things that never would have been thought of had it not been written. Mother Shipton's words are:

Carriages without horses shall go,  
And accidents fill the world with woe.  
Around the world thoughts shall fly  
In the twinkling of an eye.  
Water shall yet more wonders do;  
Now strange shall yet be true.  
The world upside down shall be,  
And gold found at the root of a tree.  
Through hills man shall ride  
And no horse or ass be at his side.  
Under the water man shall walk;  
Shall ride, shall sleep, shall talk.  
In the air man shall be seen,  
In white, in black, in green,  
Iron in the water shall float  
As easy as a wooden boat.  
Gold shall be found and shown  
In a land that's not now known.  
Fire and water shall wonders do;  
England shall at last admit a Jew.  
The world to an end will come  
In eighteen hundred and eighty-one.

## Road Workers Get Their Pay.

The Iredell road workers who are to be paid by the government will get their money today or tomorrow. The payrolls have been passed and Lieut. Gotwals, representing the War Department; Road Supervisor Murdock and Messrs. W. L. Gilbert and Lonnie Mills will visit different sections of the county and pay the workers and for the teams used in the road work. The total of the payroll is \$3,996.56.—Statesville Landmark.

Drives Out Malaria, Builds Up System The Old Standard general strengthening tonic, GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILL TONIC, drives out Malaria, enriches the blood, and builds up the system. A true tonic. For adults and children. 50c.

## Virgil Butt's Remains Found.

The dead body of Virgil Butt, the man who ran amuck at Marion a week ago Sunday and shot five persons was found last Sunday in the woods near Marion—less than a mile from the scene of the shooting.

Attacked by vultures, J. M. Houck began a search for the object of their prey and found Butt's body in a decaying condition. By his side lay a 22-calibre Remington rifle, a razor pocketknife, pencil and a small bottle of strychnine tablets. The direct cause of his death is unknown, but it is supposed to have resulted from poisoning.

Bloodhounds and officers followed what was thought to be Butt's trail for many miles, and it was thought he was still a fugitive from justice until his body was found and identified. The body was buried by the sheriff, without a coroner's inquest.

The finding of Butt's body, says a report to the Charlotte Observer, brings an end to one of the most noted criminal records in the history of McDowell county. Butt while in the army, murdered the captain of his company and has been involved in many other shooting duels.

With the exception of Mrs. Butt, whose condition continues critical, the persons shot by Butt are expected to recover.—Statesville Landmark.

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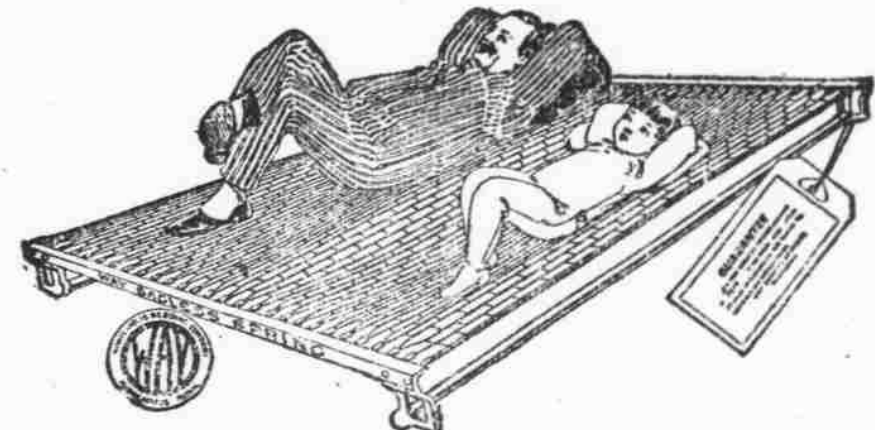
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30 NIGHTS' TRIAL in your own home—free. Let us send you one. If you can induce yourself to part with it after sleeping on it for 30 nights, we'll buy it back at full price.

## Huntley-Hill-Stockton Company, WINSTON-SALEM, N. C.

The country might also be better off if more of the girls would learn to guide a frying-pan across the stove instead of steering an automobile through the streets.—Ex.

## HOW'S THIS?

We offer One Hundred Dollars reward for any case of Catarrh that cannot be cured by Hall's Catarrh Cure.

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With the average man a cold is a serious matter and should not be trifled with as some of the most dangerous diseases start with a common cold. Take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy and get rid of your cold as quickly as possible. You are not experimenting when you use this remedy, as it has been in use for many years and has an established reputation. It contains no opium or other narcotic. Obtainable everywhere.

## Too True.

The fellow who is out looking for an easy job may as well pass on. They have all been taken.—Charlotte News.

## Whenever You Need a General Tonic Take Grove's

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Chill Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.