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For the past ten days or more Kinston has been a regular summer resort. The temperature has been "delightful" and the stay at homes have it on the seashore and mountain resorts.

For "arising to the occasion" the Wilson administration has had no equal. It is alarming to contemplate what the consequences of the Mexican situation and the European war would have been to this country had it not been for the wisdom of President Wilson and his advisers at these critical periods.

When you feel that all is dark and gloomy just cast a reflecting glance Europeward and consider what misery, horror and desolation is now being scattered broad cast. The homes that are torn up by the ravages of war and the funerals at the front without even the presence of loved ones to pay a last earthly tribute to the departed. Then be thankful that you are an American at home.

The Raleigh News and Observer issued today its annual Educational edition, setting forth very interestingly the progress along educational lines, being made in the State. It is a source of gratification to all friends of education that North Carolina is giving more attention to these matters and that a determined effort is being made to bring the State from its lowly place among its sisters in matters educational to one in which it can be truly said that our boys and girls, young men and young women, are enjoying all the advantages that it is possible for a state to furnish them.

GERMANY SURPRISED BUT NOT DEFEATED.

Austria's flat refusal to come to Germany's aid on the sea and her declaration of non-combatancy with England is perhaps the worst blow that the Kaiser has felt.

Germany, even with the help of the Austrian navy, has very little chance of success on the high seas. The combined strength of England and French ships will no doubt overwhelm her and without Austria it will probably be the Kaiser's plan to avoid a sea conflict as long as possible.

The success of the Belgian defense at Liege must not be taken as an indication that the Kaiser is whipped or that he is ready to give up the fight. Comparatively speaking a very insignificant part of the German army has been in conflict and the stubborn defense of the Belgians was evidently not anticipated. The dispatches that the German troops were not supplied with sufficient food, if true, would lend to the theory that no preparation had been made for a siege of the Belgian strongholds because no resistance of any consequence was looked for. No doubt the checking of the German advance guard by the Belgians has given to the enemies of the Kaiser opportunities for preparation that nothing else would and this resistance is destined to play an important part in the ultimate result of the war. It is now reported that France and England are rushing soldiers to the assistance of the Belgians and the great titanic effort of the invaders will probably be staged on Belgian soil within a very short space of time.

ONE OF KINSTON'S NEEDS.

There is perhaps no greater need confronting this city at present than an adequate city jail or lockup. At present the city has provided only a coop, a place unfit for the incarceration of animals, to say nothing of

man beings. Two small box rooms, one for white and one for colored offenders, utterly devoid of furniture, except that a mattress is thrown on the floor, when an unfortunate is held over night, constituted the jail. In cold weather it is cruel to put a person into the lockup for there is no provision for keeping them warm and in hot weather it must be like cooking a fellow to put him in the little box to roast under the sun's direct rays. Prison reform is coming in for a great deal of attention in many places now. In many states prison commissioners are had, whose duty it is to see that proper sanitary jails are provided and these officials have the right to close up a jail and have the prisoners transferred to another city or county, if needs be, pending the erection of suitable buildings. There is no reason why lawbreakers should be treated as other than human beings. Unfortunate or malicious or both, though they be, they should not be forced to occupy foul, unsanitary, furnitureless coops.

Can't some arrangement be made to build, at an early date, a jail modern in its appointments, conforming to the humane idea now prevailing in the handling of criminals.

WHAT OTHERS SAY

Where Grandsons Fell Out.
 (Wilmington Star.)
 King George of Great Britain and Emperor William of Germany are grandsons of Queen Victoria. They are first cousins, and yet the country of each is endeavoring to conquer the other. This shows that our posterity can't be counted on to verify the old saying that blood is thicker than water.

Airships Larger Than Naval Fleets.
 (Wilmington Dispatch.)
 There are nearly 2,000 airships engaged in the present European war, larger than the combined navies of warring nations. The number, too, will likely be swelled by the addition of now privately owned aeroplanes, which are apt to be commanded by the different countries. The airships, even though it has not reached its full usefulness or capability, is evidently going to prove of big value in the war especially for observation purposes. News dispatches have also told of the aircraft being used as means of attack. It will be interesting to watch the maneuvers of the airships in this war, as a matter for future benefit.

Was it in Eastern N. C., or in S. C?
 (Danberry Reporter.)
 Mr. Sullivan Booe, of Waukegetown, who bought tobacco on the Stokes market at Wainu Cove last fall, who will buy there again this fall, and who is at present buying tobacco in Eastern North Carolina, spent Sunday at Piedmont Springs, returning to Fairmont Robeson county, Monday. Mr. Booe stated that tobacco is selling down East far and away higher than ever before known in the history of tobacco and that it is the opinion of tobacco men that the farmers are going to hit it right this time. Mr. Booe said that grades which last fall sold at 10 to 12 are now bringing 18 to 20, and wrappers that brought 40 cents last fall are now bringing 50 and upwards.

The Steamship Holdup.

(Charlotte News.)
 Secretary Garrison was quoted yesterday as expressing chagrin at the action of American steamship companies which are desired to bring home stranded Americans. Mr. Garrison stated that formerly these vessels were obtainable at \$600 per day, but that due to the demand for these relief ships, the prices had been doubled. Mr. Garrison declared that he did not propose to allow these greedy companies to siphon funds out of the American treasury. The steamship company official who would take advantage of a situation like that now existing to put gold in his pocket is very much the same type as the lorn shark who fattens on the misfortune of his neighbors.

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 N. S. RICHARDSON,
 Traffic Manager.
 Dover, N. C., July 29, 1914.

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Schedule in Effect Jan. 11, '14

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Schedule of Trains Carrying Passengers.

Effective Sunday, February 8, 1914.

South Bound Trains.

STATIONS	7 P. M.	5 A. M.
Lv Dover	4:45	4:45
Lv Foy's	5:00	5:02
Lv Taylors	5:04	5:06
Lv Phillips	5:13	5:17
Lv Wimsatt	5:22	5:28
Lv Comfort	5:42	5:49
Lv Petersburg	6:00	6:10
Ar Richlands	6:05	6:15

North Bound Trains

STATIONS	6 A. M.	8 A. M.
Ar Dover	7:55	7:55
Ar Foy's	7:38	7:40
Ar Taylors	7:34	7:36
Ar Phillips	7:23	7:27
Ar Wimsatt	7:12	7:18
Ar Comfort	6:51	7:00
Ar Petersburg	6:30	6:40
Lv Richlands	6:25	6:35

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D. W. RICHARDSON,
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Time Table No. 4.

Effective March 22, 1914, 8:00 a. m.

Daily except Sunday.

No. 1 P. M.	STATIONS	No. 2 A. M.
3:00 Lv.	Kinston	Ar. 9:10
3:10 Lv.	Jackson	Ar. 8:50
3:20 Lv.	Albritton's	Ar. 8:40
3:50 Lv.	Sparrows	Ar. 8:20
4:20 Lv.	Lynchburg	Ar. 8:05
4:30 Ar.	Pink Hill	Lv. 8:00

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