

Value of Products. did not desire any of the defendants

The value of products was \$289,-412,000 in 1914 and \$216.656,000 in 1909, the increase being \$72,756,000 or 33.6 per cent. The average per establishment was approximately \$53.000 in 1914 and \$44,000 in 1909. The value added by manufactures represents the difference between the cost of materials used and the value of the products manufactured from them. The value added by manufactures was \$119,470,000 in 1914 and \$94,795,000 in 1909, the increase being \$24,665,000. or 26 per cent. The value added by manufacture formed 41.3 per cent of the total value of products in 1914 and 43.8 per cent in 1909.

N. Y. Herald's Correspondend Makes "Discovery"-**Administration Will Lend** Aid to Party Nominee, Whoever He May Be

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PROPOSES USING U.

Rocky Mount, May 24 .- An outlay

one hundred thousand dollars for

material improvement and enlarge-

ment of the Rocky Mount Cotton

Mills is an interesting announce-

(By the United Press)

ing sending mails between Ameri-

ca and neutral nations on navy ships

**GUN CLUB TONIGHT** 

HOPE TO ORGANIZE

HANDS OFF

FIGHT

The White House is taking no part in the fight in the Second District. President Wilson very properly is playing hands off. There have been attempts since the entry into the race of Mr. Mitchell to give the impression that any fight on Mr. Kitchin at this time was frowned on by the Administration.

Such reports were sent out by Washington correspondents to various State papers.

Hickory, May 23 .- Sam, the threeyear-old son of P. A. Miller, a local liveryman, was drowned in a spring near his home in the suburbs of Hickory.

CAROLINA RAILROAD TIME TABLE No. 1 FIRST-CLASS FREIGHT AND PASSENGER SERVICE. Northbourd Northbour P.M. 7:25 Ar.... Kinston .... Lv. 5:00 5 7:29.... Hines Junction .... 5:05 7 7:06...... Pools ...... f 5:20 7:00..... Dawson 6:47..... Glenfield ...... 5:27 6:47..... Dawson ..... 5 5:27 6:47...... Glenfield ...... 5 5:41 6:40...... Suggs Siding ..... f 5:50 6:38 Lw.... Snow Hill .... Ar. 6:00 All trains governed by the Norfolk outhern rules while using the track rom Kinston to Hines Junction. and abject to the orders of its superin-undent ro in a few weeks.

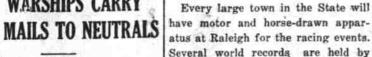
ave schedule is given as in-anly, and is supposed to be that trains will arrive and ut it is not guaranteed. WHLIAM HAYES, Owners Superintendent.

**KINSTON WILL HAVE** hools of the Southern States, November 15 to 17. The membership **BIG REPRESENTATION** comprises 37 colleges and 45 second-SECOND TO ENLARGE COTTON **AT FIREMEN'S MEET** 

Kinston will send the largest dele-**MILLS ROCKY MOUNT** a State meeting to the big convention

and tournament of the North Carolina Volunteer Firemen's Association. to be held in Raleigh this summer, it is expected. The "fans" for which the city is noted, of course, will not be as numerous as was the case at the meetings held in New Bern in re-

cent years. There is talk of operating a special train for one day of the tournament, however. S. WARSHIPS CARRY



North Carolina volunteer firemen. In-Washington, May 25 .- Representa- cluded are the records for quicktive P. F. Tague of Massachusetts tosteaming, horse hose wagon racing, day introduced a resolution proposhand-reel racing and others.



Mrs. Bryant Davenport, about 25, wife of a Neuse township farmer.

There will be a meeting in the Hodied suddenly in bed at the home, some miles from here Wednesday. tel Tull at 8 o'clock this evening to organize a gun club for Kinston. She had been in rather poor health Every one interested in shooting is for a time, and was the mother of invited to be present. It is hoped to an infant only a month old. It is get as many members as possible to supposed that heart trouble caused make a start before the recentlyher demise. The husband discoveropened season is too far advanced. ed her body. She was Miss Eliza If the club can be organized this Casey before marriage. She is survived by several children as well as evening a team of shooters will probably be selected immediately to parthe husband. ticipate in the State meet at Tarbo-

The funeral was conducted by Rev. W. O. Bodell of this city at Woodington this afternoon.

The trial of W. B. Hopewell for Messrs. J. G. Bragaw and J. G. the alleged murder of his wife, Mrs. Rachel Hopewell, a Lenoir county Bragaw, Jr., have returned to Washwoman, will be held at New Bern ington after a few days' stay here. next week. Mrs. Hopewell is alleg- They attended the East Carolina ed by the State to have been poison-Episcopal Council, and were guests of Dr. and Mrs. Ira M. Hardy.

Washington, May 25 .- If President Wilson moves for peace he won't act on the behalf of any one nation nor family of nations. He will act in behalf of Europe. This viewpoint was

outlired to callers today, and may constitute the keynote of Saturday's gation of firemen it has ever had at address before the League to Enforce

Peace.



(By the United Press)

5.000-TON SHIP SUBMARINED.

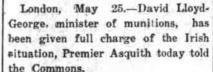
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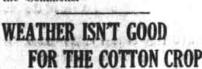
London, May 25 .- The British ship Washington, of 5,000 tons, the largest submarine victim for several days, has been torpedoed. dispatches today said.

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## KLLOYD-GEORGE HAS **CHARGE IN IRELAND**

ed about 4 o'clock today.





Washington, May 24 .- "The temperature has been too low for the best development of cotton, and its growth has been considerably retarded," says the National Weather and Crop Bulletin issued today. "Heavy rains in parts of the South have delayed replanting and the cultivation of the crop."



## (By W. J.-Martin)

Raleigh, May 25 .- The Corporation Commission to- peal that he shall appear at the Augday approved the change of the site of the Kinston union ust term of this court for trial of passenger station as agreed upon by the Chamber of his case, which case the clerk of this Commerce and the Atlantic Coast Line and the Norfolk court is instructed to redocket, unless Southern Railroads.

An order to be issued will provide that the station be erected on the "Caswell street' site, at the present junction of the two railroads named above, instead of at the Gordon street or "Presbyterian church" site.

The change was agreed upon some weeks ago by representatives of the Chamber of Commerce and the railroads at a meeting in Kinston.

It is presumed that construction will be started in a very few weeks.

The station at Kinston, it is reported on good authority, will be the handsomest east of the main line of the A. C. L. in North Carolina.

who had innocently withdrawn their appeals because of modification of penalties to suffer therefrom or their action in withdrawing to be prejudicial at all to their interests. Solicitor Shaw called attention in behalf of the Recorder to the indiefinite law under which the court is operated This is a point that has been made before by the Solicitor and the Recorder.

The ruling of Judge Bond will only affect the cases, of course, appearing on the docket of the present term. There are nine such cases, The Free Press is informed by the Clerk of the Court. If, however, the rulng of the court was retroactive and covered the Recorder's Court proceeding since it began a very large number of cases would probably be involved. The exact ruling of Judge Bond was as follows:

"It appearing to the court in this matter that certain appeals have been withdrawn after they were docketed in this court, by defendants who had appealed from the judgments of the Recorder's Court because of subsequent understandings as to change in the punishments, the Court being of opinion that after the Recorder pronounces his judgment his jurisdiction is at an end and that he has no further control over the matter.

"It is ordered, that notice issue to each man who has withdrawn his apthe clerk is notified by any particular defendant that he is willing to comply with the original judgment pronounced against him in the Recorder's Court.

In connection with the habeas corpus proceedings it was brought out by counsel for the negro boy that the warrant which he stated was submitted as the original served on the neourt until December. No explana- ings.

## Salaries and Wages.

The salaries and wages amounted to \$56,283,000 in 1914 and to \$41,-259,000 in 1909, the increase being \$15.024,000, or 36.4 per cent.

The number of salaried employees was 8,541 in 1914, as compared with 6,529 in 1909, making an increase of 2,012, or 30.9 per cent.

The average number of wage earners was 136,844 in 1914 and 121,-473 in 1909, the increase being 15,-371, or 12.6 per cent.



(Special to The Free Press) Lillington, N. C., May 25 .- Jim McCall, a negro, was sentenced in Superior Court here to be electrocuted on July 15 for a criminal assault upon a six-year-old girl.

London, May 25 .- Sir Roger Casement and Daniel Balley, an alleged confederate, were indicted for high treason by a grand jury today. Casement will go on trial June 26.

tion was made of the matter, but the gro in the alleged first offense in court ordered that the prisoner be September, 1915, was on a form of discharged and that the County of warrant which was not in use by the Lenoir pay the costs of the proceed

