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WINE OF CARDUI

Bank of Rutherfordton.

Statement of the condition of Bank of Rutherfordton, as made to the Corporation Commission, at close of business on April 9th, 1903.

RESOURCES.	
Bills receivable	25,739 85
Rutherfordton county bonds	200 00
Banking house	3,750 00
Furniture and fixtures	1,250 00
Cash due from banks	3,077 88
County and U. S. claims	707 72
Other real estate	66 00
Total	\$34,791 45
LIABILITIES.	
Capital paid in	10,000 00
Surplus and undivided profits	3,939 14
Bills payable	7,400 00
Deposits subject to check	10,481 97
Time deposits	3,870 34
Total	\$34,791 45

I, J. W. Dorsey, acting cashier of the Bank of Rutherfordton, do solemnly swear that the above report is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. W. DORSEY.

Sworn to before J. F. Flack, N. P. Correct—Attest: D. F. MORROW, J. C. WALKER, T. C. SMITH.

COMMERCIAL BANK.

Report of the condition of the Commercial Bank of Rutherfordton, at Rutherfordton, N. C., at the close of business on April 9th, 1903.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$27,062 15
Overdrafts	900 68
Furniture and fixtures	1,000 00
Due from banks and bankers	11,971 21
Cash on hand	4,485 90
Total	\$45,419 94
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock	\$10,000 00
Surplus	2,160 00
Undivided profits	759 88
Deposits subject to checks	31,813 34
Due other banks	528 32
Cashier's checks	218 40
Total	\$45,419 94

I, J. F. Flack, cashier of The Commercial Bank of Rutherfordton, do solemnly swear the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. J. F. FLACK, Cashier.

State of N. C., Rutherfordton County. Sworn to and subscribed before me this 16th day of April, 1903.

M. O. DICKERSON, C. S. C. Correct—Attest: T. B. TWITTY, JOHN C. MILLS, J. H. WOOD, Directors.

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Horrible Mutilation of Jews at Kishineff.

STATEMENT OF HEAD PHYSICIAN

Victims' Eyes Were Put Out, Nails Driven Into Their Heads and Their Limbs Sawed Off—Thousands Now Without Food or Shelter.

New York, May 15.—Dr. Doroschewski, the head physician of the National hospital at Kishineff, after examining the dead and wounded, has given the following specific instances of hideous cruelty, says a dispatch from Kishineff, Bessarabia, to The World: "A Jewess named Sara Fonaschi, was brought here with two nails, 7 inches long, driven into her brain through her nose. "One Jew was brought in with one hip, both ankles and wrists broken, his severed hands and feet dangling by the skin. "A Jew named Charifon had lost his upper and lower lips, which had been cut away with a kitchen knife, after which his tongue and windpipe had been pulled out through his mouth with pliers. "The ears of a Jew named Selzer had been cut away and his head buried in 12 pieces. He was a raving maniac. "A carpenter was surprised at work and both his hands were saved off by his own saw. "A Jewish girl was assaulted by several brutes, who then cut her eyes out with a pocket knife. "One woman, after trying to defend her children, was thrown upon the pavement, disemboweled, and feathers and horse hair from her bed were stuffed into her body. "Small children were flung out of windows and trampled upon by the mob. "Forty-seven were killed on the spot, 80 died of their injuries and 500 are under treatment. Many will be crippled for life. "Four thousand Jews are without food or shelter, and it is impossible for them to get away."

ROBBED OF COSTLY JEWELS.

Mrs. Pierre Lorillard's Loss Amounts to More Than \$50,000.

London, May 15.—The loss of Mrs. Pierre Lorillard, who is reported to have been robbed of \$50,000 worth of jewels, amounts probably to a far greater sum than at first reported. Mrs. Lorillard lost all her jewelry except what she was wearing and a letter of credit and other valuables. The robbery occurred at the Berkeley hotel, to which place two men followed Mr. and Mrs. Lorillard all the way from Monte Carlo. The thieves evidently waited for a favorable opportunity to commit the robbery and have gone off with the valuables. The police have no clue to their whereabouts, but Mrs. Lorillard now remembers meeting at various points on the journey the two suspects and seeing them again when she arrived in London.

DEADLY DOSE OF "MOONSHINE."

Two Dead from Imbibing Whisky Concentrated Lye.

Hot Springs, Ark., May 15.—Joe Adair, Wash Turner and Dave Preddy are dead and John Spivey cannot live as the result of having imbibed too freely of moonshine whisky that had been distilled in the mountains of this and Montgomery county, west of here. Some of the whisky examined showed that something like concentrated lye had been mixed with the liquor and officers are endeavoring to locate the blame.

PEACE REIGNS IN NICARAGUA.

Government Captures Steamer Victoria and All Rebels.

New Orleans, May 14.—T. M. Solomon & Co., financial representatives of the Nicaraguan government here, have received the following cablegram from that government: "We have captured the steamer Victoria and all the revolutionists. Peace reigns throughout the republic."

Empty Saddle Headed Parade.

Columbia, S. C., May 15.—The event marking the closing of the confederate reunion was a very realistic camp fire scene on the stage of the opera house. Many thousands of people witnessed a very handsome floral parade given complimentary to the veterans. A feature was the appearance at the head of the procession of General Hampton's aged body servant leading the beautiful horse the general rode on his last public appearance in the reunion procession two years ago.

Air Brakes Failed to Work.

Marion, Ind., May 16.—Twenty-one persons were injured by the overturning of a car on the Union Traction line, while running at a high rate of speed in city early this morning. The air brake failed to work. The most seriously injured was Dr. H. A. Woodruff, of this city. His arm was broken and he was also severely cut.

Sweeping Injunction Issued.

New Orleans, May 16.—Judge Boardman in the federal court today issued a sweeping injunction against the local ticket scalpers forbidding them to deal in any way in the reduced tickets sold for the confederate reunion in this city.

PROVED A DEATH TRAP.

Three Cremated in Boarding House at Waynesville, N. C.

Asheville, N. C., May 16.—In a fire of mysterious origin, which broke out in a large house at Waynesville, N. C., owned by State Attorney General Gilmer, and occupied by C. J. Galbreath, who runs a boarding house, F. W. Payne, a telegraph operator, formerly connected with the Postal company at Richmond, and a negro woman and her daughter, servants of the house, were burned to death. Some one passing the house at midnight discovered the fire and gave the alarm. Galbreath and four others were aroused and struggled through suffocating smoke to a place of safety. Efforts were made to save the three people still in the blazing building, but the heat drove the rescuers back, and the attempt was abandoned. It is believed that the three victims of the fire were overcome by smoke. It was several hours before their partially consumed bodies were recovered.

MINER'S TRAGIC DEATH.

Caught Between Two Trees and Held Till Starved.

Birmingham, Ala., May 16.—About a week ago Arthur Stewart, a white miner disappeared from his home near Littleton, in this county. Friday an acquaintance while walking through some woods near there found Stewart's body wedged between two saplings. The roots of the two trees grew together, but the trunks grew up at an angle, and it is supposed the man leaned against the upright tree, fell into the angle and was caught and held there until he died of pain and starvation. He was 32 years old and unmarried.

Monument to General Lafayette.

New York, May 16.—The pedestal for the monument to be raised in Paris by American school children in memory of General Lafayette has been completed and will be shipped to France this month. It is of the pink Tennessee variety. In July Sculptor Bartlett will place upon the pedestal his model of an equestrian figure. Dedication of the monument probably will take place in July, 1904.

Drowned Himself in Reservoir.

Durham, N. C., May 16.—The body of Robert Ragan, of this place, was found in the reservoir near the Owin cotton mills. His father had found a note from him in which he declared his intention of drowning himself in the reservoir. On hastening to the place the body was found. Ragan was a young white man, about 22 years of age.

Death of Captain Bradwell.

Atlanta, May 16.—Captain S. D. Bradwell, for four years state school commissioner and for nearly five years president of the State Normal school at Athens, died Friday at Sharpes, Fla., about 165 miles south of Jacksonville, on the east coast. Captain Bradwell has been in Florida some time at his orange grove and had been quite ill for several weeks preceding his death.

Investigating Feud Conditions.

Midtlesboro, Ky., May 16.—General O. O. Howard, founder of the Lincoln Memorial school at Cumberland Gap, and other institutions, is riding alone through the mountains of eastern Kentucky to investigate conditions with a view to ending feuds. General Howard will ride through Breathitt, Letcher and Harlan counties, ending his trip at Grant Lee hall, Cumberland Gap.

Flying Slab Ends Life.

Ashburn, Ga., May 16.—Henry Boardman, a negro, was almost instantly killed at the big saw mill here. He was running the rift machine when a piece of slab was caught on the saw and thrown with such force as to penetrate about 7 inches, striking just over the heart. He died a few minutes later.

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BOODLE CHARGE IS MADE.

Florida House Adopts Resolution to Make Investigation.

Tallahassee, Fla., May 16.—The Florida house of representatives has adopted the resolution introduced by Representative Stricker, of Marion, calling for the appointment of a joint committee of five to investigate the charge that Jefferson B. Browne, chairman of the Florida railroad commission and prospective candidate for governor of Florida next year, had accepted a fee of \$1,000 to lobby through the legislature a bill appropriating \$10,000 to purchase for the state from Monroe county an armory site and building in Key West.

The bill in question has passed both houses and become a law. Mr. Browne, in a quiet way, was very active in its support while it was pending. When the bill passed, Senator Hunt Harris, of Monroe county, received a telegram from his uncle, Dr. Vining Harris, superintendent of schools for Monroe county, advising him of the contract between the county commissioners and Jeff Browne, to pay the latter 10 per cent of any amount he could get out of the legislature. This seems to have been the first intimation Senator Harris, and Representative Roberts, also of Monroe, had received that Mr. Browne's activity was prompted by a money consideration. It is learned that the administrative department has taken the matter up with the county commissioners of Monroe and is investigating and conferring as to what steps, if any, should be taken.

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Carmichael Made Trustee.

Montgomery, Ala., May 14.—Governor Jelks today appointed A. H. Carmichael trustee of the Florence State Normal school to succeed Florence Cory, whose term had expired. He also reappointed James E. Cobb, W. W. Lavender and C. P. Rogers trustees of the Troy Normal school.

Bass Phillips Paroled.

Montgomery, Ala., May 16.—Governor Jelks has paroled Bass Phillips, of Russell county, convicted of burglary and sentenced to five years.

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BOLOMEN ATTACK AMERICAN FORGE

Captain Overton and Private Henry Boyes Killed.

SIX OF THE ENEMY ARE SLAIN.

Manila, May 16.—Captain Clough Overton, of the Fifteenth cavalry, and Private Henry Boyes were killed and Private Hartlow was wounded yesterday in a bold rush at Sucatan, island of Mindanao. No details of the fighting have been received beyond a brief telegram reporting the deaths. It is said that six of the enemy were killed. It is thought the natives approached Captain Overton's command pretending friendship and then attacked the Americans.

About 300 insurgents, armed with bolos, resisted the landing of a force of scouts from Captain Ganiguin's island, Tuesday. They charged the scouts and wounded two of them. It required an hour to disperse the insurgents. Twelve of the latter were killed and many were wounded. The scouts, whose gallantry has been commended, are pursuing the insurgents.

Overton Native Indian.

Washington, May 16.—Captain Overton was a native of Indiana. He was appointed to the military academy from Texas in 1884. Harry G. Noyes, the private killed, enlisted in Troop D, Fifteenth cavalry at Cincinnati, O.

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