

## BARR INTENDED TO DO NO HARM

### Policy of the Seaboard Air Line Is Strictly Business

## HAS A GOOD MEMORY

### He Reminds the Committee of Strike Incidents

## TALK ABOUT THE SHOPS

### More Work Will Be Done Here When Business Increases, but No Promise of Rebuilding Made—The Raleigh Visitors Make Representations in Regard to Freight Traffic Here—Runs of the Engineers Arranged in the Interest of Economy, Freight Engines Bound to Be Changed Here—Raleigh's Interests Will Be Considered

Norfolk, Va., Sept. 4.—Special.—Vice President Barr, of the Seaboard Air Line, today received the joint committee of the Raleigh Chamber of Commerce and Business Men's Association, composed of President Daniels, President Hill, C. G. Latta, J. S. Wayne, W. W. Vass, F. O. Moring, Walter Woolcott, J. A. Jones, T. W. Dobbin and John Wilber Jenkins. General Counsel Leigh R. Watts received the committee with Vice-President Barr.

## ON YELLOW SILK

### Emperor of China Regrets the Boxer Outrages

## CHUN SEES THE KAISER

### Cold Formality and Lordly Dignity Exhibited—A Hint to China in Regard to Future Behavior

Potsdam, Sept. 4.—The Kaiser received Prince Chun at half past twelve today. The emperor was attended by his military suite and Baron von Richthofen, the secretary for foreign affairs.

thanks for your efforts in promoting peace. We cherish the hope that your majesty's indignation has given place to the old feelings of friendship. That the relations of our empires may be even more extensive and of a beneficial character than hitherto is our firm assurance."

The Kaiser's Response.—Emperor William, in responding, emphasized with clear enunciation the most striking passage of his reply. "No joyous or festive occasion nor the fulfillment of a simple act of courtesy," he began impressively, brought your imperial highness to me, "but a deeply melancholy and serious event."

Mr. Barr was frank in his reply and favorably impressed the committee. He said that all the changes were intended to produce transportation at minimum cost and that he had done nothing that would not have been done by any other business man in his position.

Regarding the change of engineers' runs, he said it affected only six engines; and that while possibly it might be advantageous to change passenger runs, freight engines were bound to be changed at Raleigh; and this condition was permanent. He said he had done nothing to damage any place, but only made changes on account of economy.

## PAPER HANGERS STRIKE

### The Business in Washington at a Stand-still

## WINSTON CUTS TAX RATES

### Students Numerous at Salem Female College Opening

## Cashier a Defaulter

### New Orleans Plumbers Strike

## Money in Circulation

Washington, Sept. 4.—The amount of money in circulation in the United States September 1 was estimated by the Treasury Department at \$2,197,789,824, which was an increase of \$101,166,782 compared with the aggregate on the same date last year.

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