#### The Roster of Confederate and Federal Troops of the poor, to look up their children

Proceed-State Aud-Dixon Receives a Letter Giving the Details of the Plan

s been designated by Gov. Ayis the state official to confer with ar department regarding the perthe rosters of North Caroto be published by the deconnection with the rosstates-Federal and Con-

received an important letter based. F. C. Ainsworth, chief of

lingin at once to use his best ef- in the possession of private citizens.

make the recently authorized roster of defrayed by the department. cames of the officers and men who otherwise. from other original rolls than may now your views."

the War Dopartment be in the possession of the state of school, both religious and secular. Such organizations work well ties, memorial associations and individuals of North Carolina and other

"The legislation authorizing the compilation of the roster is constructed by the department to restrict it, in making the compilation, to the use of original records made during the war erously subscribe, and if sufficient period, and to preclude the use of the funds shall be subscribed, headquarprinted or manuscript copies or compiters will be rented, a superintendent Vesterlay State Auditor B. F. Dixon, lations made subsequently. For this engaged, and work will begin. Let reason and in order that there shall the people respond heartily. be no ground for doubt as to the accuracy of the proposed roster, the department will be unable to use in the compilation any of the rosters that have heretofore been published, but must in all cases seek the original records upon which those rosters are Hertford Goes Into a New

"You will readily see that, in order and pension office, who is that the compilation now in progress | Hertford, N. C., March 26 .- Special .of this work for the gov- shall be as nearly as it is possible to A number of the business men of the It sintes the policy of the de- make it, it is essential that the war town are organizing a cotton seed oil be that no documents will department shall obtain the temporary mill. Nearly all the stock has been and in making up the rosters except loan, for the purpose of copying, of any subscribed. The promoters claim that records of the war period, and original official rolls, lists or other doc- this county produces nearly enough will be borrowed from the uments that show the names of Con- seed to run a mill for a short season ociations, camps, libraries or federate officers and men and that are but they contemplate sending out citizens to be opied and re- now in the custody of state officials, agents like the Norfolk and other mills historical or memorial associations, are doin : out this policy Dr. Dixon public or private libraries, or that are

borrow documents of the char- "It is impracticable for the war dethe government's use. He partment to communicate with the vaa short time have a conference rious holders of these scattered reof John Wheeler Moore, author cords, and consequently the depart-Moore's Roster of North Carolina ment must rely upon each state to colthe most accurate roster in lect by loan or otherwise, such records of its own or other Confederate or-The letter from Gen. F. C. Ainsworth, ganizations as may be obtainable withthat of the record and pension office, in the state, and to forward the collection when completed to this departin acknowledging the receipts of ment, by which the records will be your letter of the 19th inst. I beg to copied and returned to the state with capress the gratification of the de- the least possible delay. Of course the partment at your cordial assurance of express charges incident to shipping the Equitable Life Assurance Society \$17.75. e-operation with it in the effort to records to and from the state will be and the Forty-third Annual Statement

the officers and men of the Union and "Permit me to suggest, if the plan confederate armies as nearly complete herein outlined meets with your apis possible to make it, so far as proval, that you take such steps, North Carolina troops are concerned. | through the public press and otherwise, A considerable collection of the rolls as you deem to be advisable and prop-North Carolina Confederate organ- er to give the plan wide publicity, and is now in the possession of to enable you to gother together all this department. While the collection original Confederate records that can goes not by any means show all the be collected in your state by loan or

were in the Confederate service from | "If it occurs to you that a differthe complete military histories should be adopted, or if during the pro-

### Seawell "Egging" Case Argued on Appeal of holders, therefore, during the year were \$8,476,378.86.

sel in Case of S. F. Seawell vs. Carolina Central Railroad-Other Cases Heard

In the supreme court yesterday the tailroad depot at Shelby, was ar- chison for the defendant.

will be remembered that in 1900 ble Mr. Seawell was canvassing the for lieutenant governor he was field & Williams for defendant. upon at Shelby and pelted with while at the railroad station. La-Mr. Seawell brought suit against and Adams & Jerome for defendant. be milread company on the ground hat he was on railroad property waitfor a train and should have been for defendant. miscied by the railroad company; but stend of being protected that em- Stack for plaintiff, Adams & Jerome for loyes of the railroad really took part | defendant.

Supreme Court Hears Coun- in the egging, an employe of the company really throwing the first and among the last eggs that were showered upon him.

In the trial at Moore county court some time ago a verdict for \$4,500 damages was awarded by the jury and the case came up on appeal on numerous exceptions, notably a demurrer that there was not sufficient evidence for the case to go to the jury. Also that there was not evidence proving that employes of the road took part in the egging or that he was a passenger of of H. F. Seawell vs. the Carolina the defendant company. The argument Railroad Company, in which yesterday was by Douglass & Simms, damage was awarded in the low- U. L. Spence and W. J. Adams for the court to Seawell for being egged in plaintiff and Shepherd and W. E. Mur-

Other cases from the eighth district argued were:

State v. Marsh, by attorney general as candidate on the Republican for state, Redwine & Stack and Arm-Gordon v. S. A. L. Railway, by Redwine & Stack for plaintiff, J. D. Shaw

Shute v. Cotton Mills, by Redwine & Stack for plaintiff, Adams & Jerome

Rushing v. Bivens, by Redwine &

# A PLAN TO AID IN

#### The Object of the Proposed Associated Chairities

The objects of the Associated Char-

the first place there are many begdislikes to turn them away. One

to help will be represented.

proposed to put into the hands inscription like this:

has applied to me for help. I ganization. tero him to you with the recommendathat you investigate his case and I'm him work if possible. If his consuch to demand it, I advise to help him to the following ex-

-;" etc. this way we can use our alms to and women better rather then to make them paupers. Our city be at once freed from the trav-

hing professional beggars. As there are many poor people

in Raleigh who are neglected. Take the case of the little boy, familiar to every business man in Raleigh. Probably our citizens have given him enough to support him in a school But he has thrown the money away, and is worse off morally and physically. The Associated Charities could handle

There are sick mothers who can not come out on our streets and beg from us. In the struggle for our help they proposed for our city are obvious are crowded to the rear. But an asbose who have to deal with the sociated charities would reach them with a visiting committee.

In short, the Associated Charities, that no one knows anything about. if established, will combine the benevolent people of this city and intelligent-

alscellaneous giving we make The work will be undenominational. by intelligent giving uplift All classes are urged to support it. women from poverty to self- In the governing board and the gen-Figuret. An organization can find work eral committee all parts of our city

for the poor, and can make help It will require from \$150 to \$200 per appointed us-Mr. and Mrs. Funniman month to support this work. We hope haven't come. our people will pledge liberally. There people a supply of cards, bear- will be no conflict with the churches. The poor enrolled on the church help-The Associated Charities: The lists will not be helped by the new or-

It may be thought that help will not



be needed at this season. This is a mistake. The work of uplifting the poor must go on all the time, We esand to endeavor to bring them into

Such organizations work well in Goldsbero, Wilmington, Charlotte, Atlanta, Washington and indeed throughout the country. In fact only by such an organization can we really help the poor. At present our gifts are as likely to injure as to aid.

Solicitors will visit our people right away and every one is urged to gen-

Business Enterprise

The "Commercial Club," composed of the business men of the town was organized last Monday night. At present the club occupies the rooms in the Eurs brick building, in Mason street, but will soon erect a building at the head of Main street. This club was organized for social and commercial intercourse. It has now about forty charter members. A banquet will be given in the near future.

#### A Progressive Company

Progress marks every statement of for the business of 1902 is no exception to the rule. Growth in assets, surplus, amount in force and new business; large increases in premium andto tal income, and in profits paid to policy. holders; reduction in volume of claims by deat htogether with an expense rate maintained at a minimum as in which show that the society moves forward with every year, and that it has reached a position of remarkable

magnitude and stability. North Carolina, and while it does not ent plan from that indicated herein In every respect that statement just \$13.10 Raleigh to Atlanta, Ga., and represented contains evidence of wonof those whose names it does show, it gress of the work you can make any derful growth and security. The asis hoped that the list of names and suggestion tending to facilitate or im- sets have increased to \$359,395,537.72, the histories of individual officers and prove it, you will confer a favor upon the liabilities, including the reserve men can be made much more nearly the department and myself by advis- calculated by the company, of \$279,emplete by record evidence obtainable ing me freely and fully with regard to 450,753 to \$284,268,040.95, and the difference which constitutes the surplus, is now \$75,127,469.77. This is an increase during 1902 of \$3,998,454.71. Besides adding to the surplus fund this large amount, the society paid during the year \$4,477,924.15 in profits on maturing policies. The total earnings for poli-

> During the year just ended the premium income amounted to \$53,932,423.44, and income from the interest, rents, etc., to \$15,674,588.81, making the total receipts for the year \$69,007,012.25. From these receipts \$15,281,961.73 was paid for death claims, and the total payments to policy holders aggregated \$29,191,250.79. After providing for the total expenditures of \$42,248,101.45 the society was able to increase its invested assets by \$26,758,910.80. This sav- any ticket agent Southern Railway, or ing of the income is 39 per cent. of the address

The amount of new business written was the largest ever issued in a single year by the company. It amounted to \$281,249,944. As a result of this enormous new business, the outstanding assurance amounts to \$1,292,446,595, showing the greatest increase in the society's history.

Altogether this latest statement of the Equitable shows that the society lives up to its motto, "Not for a day,

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Raleigh, N. C.

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(heartily) - Thank Mr. Candor heaven!-Tit-Bits.

debts. You told me he was a man of

The total business of all kinds, including money orders sent and received, transacted in the New York postoffice last year was more than \$223,000,000.

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\$26.75.—Raleigh to New Orleans, La., and return on certificate plan account National Woman's Sufwill be honored returning showing selling dates as above March 19-28. An extension of limit can be obtained by payment of a fee of 50 cents up to and including April 30, 1903.

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and return, account North Carolina Music Teachers Assoclation. Tickets on sale April 29, May 2, inclusive with final limit May 4, 1903.

-Raleigh to Nashville, Tenn., and return account General Assembly Cumberland Presbyterian church. Tickets on sale May 19, 20, and 21, with final limit June 1.

\$12.85 Raleigh to Macon, Ga., and return, account Sugar-Cane Growers' Convention. Tickets on sale May 4 and 5, final limit May 10, \$8.20 Raleigh to Columbia, S. C., and

return, account meeting Shriners of North and South Carolina. Tickets on sale April 2 and 3, final limit April 6, 1903.

turn, account National Conference of Charities and Corrections Tickets on sale May 4 and 5, final limit May 16, 1903.

\$10.90 Raleigh to Savannah, Ga., and return, account Southern Baptist Convention and Auxiliary Societies. Tickets on sale May 4 to 7 inclusive, final limit May 20, 1903, An extension of limit may be obtained by depositing tickets with Joseph Richardson, Special Agent, and upon payment of fee of 50 cents. Side trips to Jacksonville, Fla., Charleston, S. C., and Columbia, S. C., at rate of one fare plus \$1.00 for the round trip.

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