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### **Greetings to Our Readers.**

The Public Ledger has enjoyed its most successful year since it was established 28 years ago, and now enjoys the largest circulation of any paper ever published in this section and among the best people the sun ever shown upon, giving us more

The Public Ledger extends to its py, Prosperous New Year.

It affords us great pleasure to extend the warmest greetings to the very large number who have relic Ledger family, and trust they will be pleased with the old reliable Public Ledger, the paper of the people. your past patronage and co-operation and assure you that it has been sincerely appreciated by the editor and loyal and faithful force.

led the opposition to the bill, returued to the Democratic ranks and Senator Weeks, one of the leaders on the Republican side, with five other Republicans and Senator Poin-

dexter, a Progressive, voted for the measure.

to strengthen and improve the bill

Senator Weeks said he would vote

isting conditions.

and six Republicans.

than 10,000 readers twice-a-week.

readers throughout the country the Seasons Greetings and wish you one and all, including the dear children, a Merry Christmas and a Hap-

**No Oxford Mother Should** 

Senator Hitchcock announced his purpose to vote for the Senate bill while at play, is attributed to careas finally completed because of its world. "My whole fight has been

and to prevent hasty and blundering legislation," he said.

for the measure because it was "75 per cent good and only 25 per cent bad," and an improvement over ex-

The Democrats voted solidly for the measure, and were joined by Senator Poindexter, Progressive,

### **Two Strong Men in Senate.**

Each new committee development in Congress seems to add to the prominence of North Carolina in the administrative affair of the dominant party says the Charlotte remedy made a great improvement Observer, The fact is emphasized in the childs health and restored in the recent election of Senator him to health and strength. I Simmons to the Chairmanship of been called head from the foot of the class, as it were. It has been remarked that no Southern State ever occupied such a commanding

position in Congress as that now held by North Carolina through its two Senators-Simmons and Overman. These are at the head of cently become members of the Pub- three of the most important committees of the Senate. Simmons holds Chairmanship of the Finance and Commerce Committees, while Overman is head of the Judiciary We thank you very kindly for Committee. In addition to that Mr. Overman is Chairman of Committee on Rules, and is next to the chairmanship of the Committee on Appropriations. The Committee on Rules is one of much importance, but is not in the class of the Big 4 of which this State now holds three. The fourth is the Committee on Foreign Affairs. The Commerce Committee has more to do with the It has been well said that among material interests of the South, perhaps, than any other committee. Its relation to the waterway development and the appropriations therefor make it of peculiar value to this State in particular, and Senator Simmons' past endeavors in behalf of waterway development marks his elevation to the chairmanship as one of significant interest to the people of this State. Senator Simmons is now in better position than ever to carry out the development work he has planned for the rivers and harbors along the North Carolina coast and will facilitate the availability of the large appropriations he has secured. It is quite probable that no State has ever been so signally honored in commanding chairmanships as is North Carolina. This State commands an influence in Congress which Maine would have envied in the palmy days of its power. The faith of the people of North Carolina, expressed at the polls in the last election, has been more than vindicated. The power which Overman has developed points to the coming expression of the same confidence in him that was felt in Simmons. North Carolina is closer to the seat of Government today than turies has this light lingered around it has been in the history of the country.

**Neglect the Little One's Health** Oftentimes weak kidneys cause great annoyance and embarrassment to children. Inability to control the kidney secretions, at night or lessness and too frequently the children troubled with kidney weakness would do well to treat the kidneys with a tested and proven kidney remedy. If there is

**CHILDREN'S KIDNEYS** 

pain in the back, discolored urine, irregular urination, headaches, dizzy spells or a tired worn-out feeling try Dcan's Kidney Pills at once. This remedy has been used in kidney troubles for over 50 years and has been recommended by thousands. Convincing proof of merit in the following statement. It's from a residence of this locality.

Mrs. P. Lyon, 907 N. Roxboro St., Durham, N. C., says: "Our son had weakness of the kidneys for years and seemed unable to retain the kidney secretions for any length of time. Doan's Kidney Pills were highly recommended for such troubles and we got a supply. This take pleasure in confirming all I have previously said about Doan's the Commerce Committee, having Kidney Pills. Our son has had no trouble from his kidneys since."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedyget Doan,s Kidney Pills-the same that Mrs. Lyon had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N.Y. ad.

Sure Indications of Lung Trouble Among the indications of threatened

As we wish to particitate in the joys of Christmas we shall miss two issues of the paper and again greet you with the New Year.

### Christmas Here Again.

all evenings in the year and all the days there is no other evening like the Christmas eve, no other day like Christmas day. Whether the eve and the day be dark and real stormy, or still and fair, does not matter, The difference is not in the weather or the season, but in that more subtle atmosphere which from generation to generation through all the centuries has been our inheritance from that first Christmas eve and a day when a new born babe sent its wailing cry from the manger of Bethlehem.

The world looks different through this Christmas atmosphere. However, festive or sad the occasion, however gay or gloomy it may be, whatever may be ones surroundings the Christmas feeling is there. No one may say just where it lies. It is like an unseen halo that glorifies and makes holy every good thought and impule, while it reveals in darker relief whatever is tragic. unworthy or vicious. A great disaster on Christmas eve or day shocks us as it does at no other season; a great joy comes in that sweet raiment of gladness that only Christmas brings. Through nineteen centhe hearts of men, and through all those ages it has not grown dim. Year after year slips by and is added to the past. But with each Christmas eve add day our homes and our streets and roads are once more filled with the old, sweet joy -the halo from that star which rose over Bethlehem.

HAIR HINTS

Worthy the Attention of

fever and night sweats. A change of cli-mate often helps, but it seems that something more is needed to stop the cough and sweats and arrest the progress of disease. Eckman's Alterative, after many years of use, is known to be most beneficial in bringing about relief, in many cases complete recoveries. Investigate this case:- Schell City, Mo. this case:— Schell City, Mo. "Gentlemen: I had a terrible cough, night sweats and pleurisy in my lungs. A man who heard me coughing advised me to take your Alterative. I paid no attention to him then. I got so bad the doctor said I should go to Wyoming. I did, and when I got there I steadily grew worse. Then I remembered what had been told me about your medicine. I began taking it, with no faith whatever, but before I had taken three bottles, I could eat anything. Fever and night-sweats stopped and for over a year I have been well and in better health than I ever was. W. F. BOMAR. (Affidavit).

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Backache

Miss Myrtle Cothrum,

of Russellville, Ala., says:

"For nearly a year, I suf-

fered with terrible backache, pains in my limbs,

and my head ached nearly

all the time. Our family

doctor treated me, but

only gave me temporary

relief. I was certainly in

bad health. My school

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The Woman's Tonic

I took two bottles, in all,

and was cured. I shall

always praise Cardui to

sick and suffering wo-

men." If you suffer from

pains peculiar to weak

women, such as head-

ache, backache, or other

symptoms of womanly

trouble, or if you merely

need a tonic for that tired,

nervous, worn-out feel-

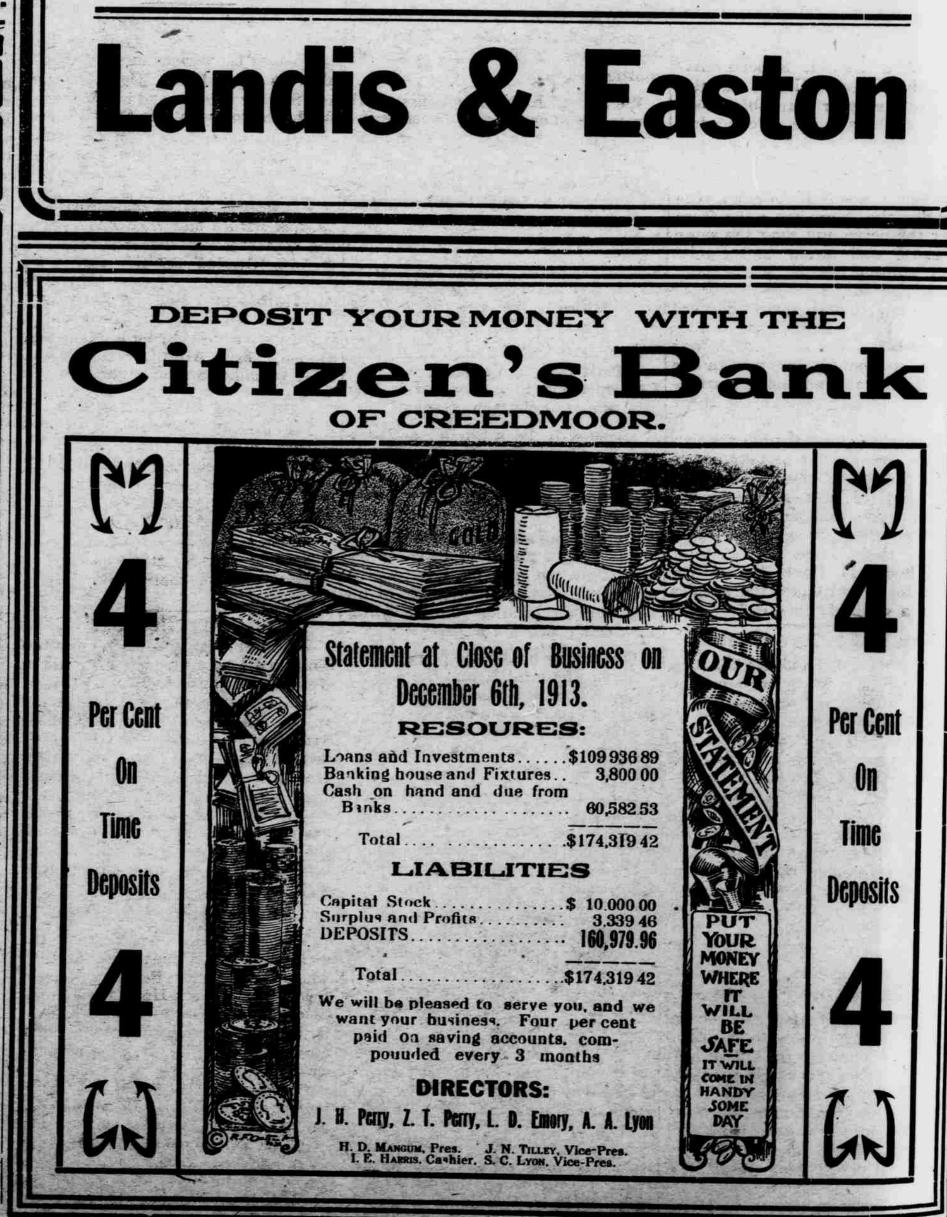
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# Silks in all the Latest and best Styles for Waists and

### Drsses.

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# **Currency Bill Passes Senate.** The administration Currency Reform Bill, proposing a revision of the financial system of the United States and the creation of regional reserve banks to act as stabilizing

last divided when the final vote hair tonics known.

### **People Who Wish to Preserve** the Hair

Never use a brush or comb found in public places, they are usually covered with dandruff germs. Shampoo the hair every two weeks with pure soap and water, or a good ready prepared shampoo. Use Parisian Sage every day, rubbing thoroughly into the scalp. This delightful and invigorating hair tonic, which J. G. Hall solid in public places, they are usually

amendment of the measure to the -it is one of the quickest acting ady.



reserve banks to act as stabilizing elements in the banking and finan-cial world, passed the United States Senate on Friday night by a vote of 54 to 34. Forces that had fought together for important improvement and amendment of the measure to the last divided when the feed.

B. S. ROYSTER, Attorney,