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A Montana Subscriber Appreciates The Weekly.

Butte, Mont., April 7, 1913.

Editor of Webster's Weekly: Please change Horsford Brock paper from Butte, Mont. to Burch, Mont. I will pay you one dollar to pay up our subscription for another year and to go along with the ice bid. I like to have the Weekly, for I can get in touch with the progress of my county and many of my friends. Reidville feels like home to me and I like to see it grow.

Winter has just broken here and farmers will begin plowing as soon as the frost is out of the ground. Wheat, oats, barley and flax are sown in May and June, and some flax as late as the first part of July, and harvested in September and October.

Grain grows fast during the summer, owing to the fact that we have about eighteen hours of day light.

There are still government homesteads open for settlement. This is a good place to make money if a man will hustle.

Preach diversified farming to the people back there. Right now I notice they are growing wild over tobacco because they received a fair price for their crop last season. My observation is that high prices for tobacco means poor run-down, worn-out farms.

Pardon me for writing at length, but I feel interested in the welfare and progress of the people of my native state and wish that I was capable of saying something that would be of value.

Wishing you and your paper much success, I remain

Respectfully,
T. F. HORSFORD.

President Wilson's Tariff Views.

I am always afraid business men whom uneasy have something to be uneasy about.

The farmer has never been protected—he never needed to be protected.

"Cost of production" is never the same in any one factory for two years together.

Haven't you seen competition disappear?

The American people are taking notice as never before.

What the people wear and eat must be made cheap.

House Stands by President Wilson's Policy.

Washington, April 12.—President Wilson won his fight for ultimate free raw sugar in the Democratic caucus today by a vote of four to one. The Louisiana men failed in an effort to secure protection. The bill as sent to the Senate will provide for a twenty-five per cent. reduction in the present duty with free sugar at the end of three years.

Underwood led the fight against Representative Bronsard to save the President's compromise plan and the vote was decisive. Bronsard presented the original programme of a reduction of the tariff to \$1.42 a hundred, leading to free raw sugar in nine years. He was defeated in the caucus, 86 to 15. He followed this with an amendment for a gradual reduction of the tax, but always eliminating the three year clause. This was President Wilson's compromise to meet the sugar planters of Louisiana.

Representative Hardwick, who was chairman of the committee which investigated the sugar trust, led the fight for immediate free raw sugar, but he was defeated by a vote of 156 to 62.

Forty-one Democratic members of the House met today at the call of Representative Ashbrook, of Ohio, to consider making a fight against free raw wool, to which they are opposed. They sought to effect a combination with the sugar men in opposition to the removal of all duties on wool and sugar. A resolution was passed at the meeting, proposed by Representative Lobeck, of Nebraska, that they would not be bound by the Democratic caucus and would unite in opposition to Underwood in the work of opposing free raw sugar.

Republican Leader Mann will be furnished with an early copy of the wool schedule. If the insurgents can agree with the Republicans they may unite in a fight against the Wilson-Bryan-Redfield tariff scheme against free raw wool.

LADIES CAN WEAR SHOES

One size smaller by using Allen's Foot-Paste, the emulsion powder for swollen, tender, aching feet. It makes walking a delight, relieves corns and bunions of all pain, and gives rest and comfort. Sold everywhere, 25c. Don't accept any substitute. Sample FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Maj. Stedman Recommends Jno. Oliver for Reidsville P. O.

Major Stedman recommended the following for appointment, as postmasters: Robert S. Gallaway, of Winston-Salem; Caleb D. Osborn, of Oxford; J. H. Bowen, of West Durham; Minley L. Williamson, of Burlington; and John T. Oliver, of Reidsville. The Major will make recommendations for Elkin and Elon College Tuesday.—Greensboro News, 15th inst.

The Pope Better.

Rome, April 14.—The Pope has rallied in a wonderful manner from the serious attack which he suffered yesterday. He appeared to be on the point of death last night; the physicians' reports tonight stating that the danger point for the present at least, has been passed.

MOTHER GRAY'S SWEET POWDERS FOR CHILDREN.

Relieve Feverishness, Bad Stomach, Teething Disorders, move and regulate the bowels and are a pleasant remedy for Worms. Used by Mothers for 22 years. They never fail. At all druggists, 25c. Sample FREE. Address, Allen S. Olmsted, LeRoy, N. Y.

Simmons and Overman Pulling for Watts.

Washington, April 14.—Senators Simmons and Overman today talked with President Wilson relative to the President's attitude towards accepting the two Senators' recommendations for federal appointments in North Carolina. Both Senators Simmons and Overman after leaving the White House said their conference was entirely satisfactory and most pleasant. Senator Simmons was asked if he discussed the appointment of Col. A. D. Watts as collector for the western district of North Carolina, and he said that Watts' appointment was discussed in a general way. No increments of the Irredell man were filed with the President today, however.

Senator Simmons was asked about the rumor in North Carolina that Colonel Watts would be given the United States marshalship for Western North Carolina and that W. C. Dowd, of Charlotte, would be appointed collector, as a matter of compromise. "I have never heard of the story before," said Senator Simmons. "Both Senator Overman and myself will recommend Colonel Watts for collector of western Carolina at the proper time."

Wife of a Fomer Reidsville Man Killed at Goldsboro.

Goldsboro, April 14.—This morning shortly after 9 o'clock E. Cleveland Prince, a prominent young business man of this city, accompanied by a young lady visited the Goldsboro hospital, where Mrs. Mary D. Carter Lomax was a patient undergoing treatment for a sprained ankle, the result of an automobile accident, and shot her dead in her room.

Soon after the two entered Mrs. Lomax's room the young lady was requested by Prince to step into the hall a moment, that he wanted to have a word in private with Mrs. Lomax, and hardly had she complied with the request when two pistol shots rang out in the room, and through the hall and when the startled floor nurse and others hurried to the scene, they found Mrs. Lomax dead with a pistol shot through the head and Prince writhing in agony from a like shot, self-inflicted immediately after shooting Mrs. Lomax. Her death was instant.

There was a noticeable intimacy between him and Mrs. Lomax, and many of the more observant suspected that an infatuation existed mutually between them, but few if any, gave it a serious turn in their minds. Rumors, however, began to go the rounds, as rumors will, and Prince about four months or so ago went west for his health and people forgot it. He returned two weeks ago, and Thursday night he and Mrs. Lomax, in the latter's automobile, left the city together after midnight on a "joy ride," and Friday morning the wrecked automobile was found on the road near the park. Yesterday Mrs. Lomax was entered as a patient in the hospital for nursing.

At this hour Prince is still living but unconscious, and there is no hope for his recovery. The murder and attempt at suicide was a shock to the whole city as both were from prominent families.

SHOCK TO GREENSBORO PEOPLE

The tragic death of Mrs. R. A. Lomax at Goldsboro yesterday was a shock to numerous Greensboro people.

Commencement of the County Public Schools.

The annual commencement of the public schools of Rockingham county will be held at Wentworth on Friday, April 25th. An elaborate program is being arranged which will appear in Friday's issue of The Weekly. Among the distinguished speakers who will participate in these commencement exercises will be R. D. W. Connor, of Raleigh; State Sept. of Public Instruction J. Y. Joyner, and others.

At the same time and place a great mass meeting of farmers, merchants, manufacturers and other citizens of the county will be held for the purpose of organizing a league or society for the betterment of the agricultural and educational interests of the county. Among those invited to attend this great massmeeting and who will make addresses are Clarence Poe, of the Progressive Farmer; H. Q. Alexander, State president of the Farmers' Union, and others.

A joint program is being arranged which will be announced later. This promises to be one of the most important meetings ever held in Rockingham and will draw an immense crowd from every part of the county.

FAMOUS STAGE BEAUTIES

Look with horror on Skin Eruptions, Blisters, Sores or Pimples. They don't have them, nor will any one, who uses Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It glorifies the face. Eozema or Salt Rheum vanishes before it. It cures sore lips, chapped hands, chilblains; heals burns, cuts and bruises. Unequaled for piles. Only 25c at Allen's and Britain's drug stores.

STATEMENT OF CONDITION OF Bank of Reidsville,

REIDSVILLE, N. C.,
At the Close of Business April 4, 1913.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts,	\$349,975.69
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	8,736.17
Banking House,	7,210.02
Furniture and Fixtures,	2,668.74
All Other Real Estate Owned,	9,878.76
Due from Banks and Bankers,	3,000.00
Due from Banks and Bankers,	41,508.47
Cash Items,	2,385.99
Gold Coin,	6,000.00
Silver Coin, including all minor coin currency	2,840.85
National Bank Notes and other U. S. Notes,	20,100.00
Total,	\$444,425.93

LIABILITIES:	
Capital Stock paid in,	\$50,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid,	35,908.19
Dividends uncalled for,	210.00
Time Certificates of Deposit,	208,689.62
Deposits Subject to Check,	136,990.08
Cashier's Checks outstanding	495.07
Reserved for Interest,	12,132.97
Total,	\$444,425.93

State of North Carolina,
County of Rockingham,
I, J. F. Watlington, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. F. WATLINGTON, Cashier.

Sworn and subscribed to before me this, 11th day of April, 1913.

W. A. TROTTER, N. P.

Correct--Attest: W. B. Wray, J. H. Burton,
E. M. Redd, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Citizens Bank,

At Reidsville, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business, April 4, 1913.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and Discounts,	\$349,931.94
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	1,237.98
North Carolina State Bonds,	3,000.00
All other Stocks, Bonds and Mortgages	6,000.00
Banking House, Furniture and Fixtures,	27,349.21
Demand Loans,	24,055.41
Due from Banks and Bankers,	49,097.42
Cash Items,	1,904.12
Gold Coin,	1,505.50
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency,	1,000.00
National bank notes and other U. S. notes,	5,500.00
Total,	\$470,680.58

LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in,	\$75,000.00
Surplus Fund,	40,000.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid,	4,037.78
Dividends unpaid,	252.00
Time Certificates of Deposit,	187,853.27
Deposits subject to check,	157,280.15
Cashier's checks outstanding,	58.02
Certified checks,	33.28
Accrued interest due depositors,	6,166.08
Total,	\$470,680.58

State of North Carolina
County of Rockingham, ss:
I, Eugene Irvin, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

EUGENE IRVIN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 9th day of April, 1913.

P. H. WILLIAMSON, Notary Public.

Correct--Attest: Jas. Robinson, R. B. Chance, R. L. Watt, Directors.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF Rockingham Savings Bank & Trust Company,

At Reidsville, in the State of North Carolina, at the close of business April 4, 1913.

RESOURCES:	
Loans and discounts	\$103,293.14
Overdrafts secured and unsecured	381.05
Furniture and fixtures	2,189.65
Due from Banks and Bankers	13,713.48
Cash Items	314.07
Gold Coin	780.00
Silver coin, including all minor coin currency	1,922.02
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	6,134.00
Total,	\$128,727.41

LIABILITIES:	
Capital stock paid in	\$15,000.00
Surplus Fund	300.00
Undivided profits, less current expenses and taxes paid	1,446.65
Bills Payable	5,000.00
Time certificates of deposit	12,557.12
Deposits subject to check	55,400.02
Savings Deposits	38,608.17
Cashier's Checks outstanding	415.45
Total,	\$128,727.41

State of North Carolina,
County of Rockingham, ss:
I, Scott Fillman, cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SCOTT FILLMAN, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 10th day of April, 1913.

R. H. TUCKER, Notary Public.

Correct--Attest: A. P. Sands, J. R. Moore, Wm. Giles,
Directors.