

American Tobacco Company Is Sued

Government Asks For Its Dissolution and Appointment of Receiver—Various Charges Made Against So-Called Tobacco Trust in the Petition Filed in U. S. Circuit Court of Southern District of New York.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Suits has been filed in the Federal District Court of the Southern district of New York for dissolution of the American Tobacco Company...

DEFENSE SPRINGS REAL SENSATION

Moyer to Be Called As Witness In Spite of Recent Widely Circulated Reports.

Before He Is Called to the Stand Defense in Haywood Trial is Examining Witnesses Who Swear Orchard Had Made Threats To Take Life of Governor Steunenburg.

BOISE, July 10.—The defense in the Haywood trial sprang a sensation today when it announced that the next witness would be Moyer, president of the Western Federation of Miners...

NO CHANCE OF WAR.

So Says Japanese Minister of Marine While in New York.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Japanese admiral, Baron Yamoto, minister of marine, arrived in New York today. He declared that "there is no chance of war between my country and the United States."

STRIKE EXPECTED AT THREE POINTS

Probable a Walk-Out of Telegraphers Will be Ordered in Chicago, New York and San Francisco.

This Action is Expected As a Result of Conference To Be Held in Chicago Sunday—Strike Centre About To Be Moved From San Francisco To Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 10.—A crisis in the telegraphers' strike is at hand. President Small of the Telegraphers' Union, leaves San Francisco this afternoon for Chicago...

ENGLAND DISCUSSES WAR.

Possibility of Conflict Between United States and Japan is Acknowledged There.

LONDON, July 10.—England today acknowledges possibility of war between the United States and Japan. English legal and diplomatic experts are studying the Anglo-Japanese treaty...

BUYS A FINE ENGINE.

Recorder Griffith Will Not Devote His Entire Time to Trying Evil-Doers.

Recorder Griffith does not propose devoting his entire time to passing sentence upon violators of the law from "Long Branch, Rameat," "Baltimore" and other well-known sections...

SANTA FE INDICTED.

Sixty-Five Counts in the Indictment Against Big Railway System.

CHICAGO, July 10.—The Federal grand jury today returned indictments against the Santa Fe Railroad, alleging it gave the United States Sugar and Land Company \$35,000 in rebates...

HAGUE PEACE CONGRESS.

Warmest Argument of the Conference Engaged in Today.

THE HAGUE, July 10.—The American proposition granting immunity from seizure of private property at sea during the war called forth today the warmest argument of the peace conference...

IN SESSION TODAY.

State Board of Education Considering Selection Site for Eastern Training School.

RALEIGH, July 10.—The State board of education is in session today concerning final selection of site for the eastern training school. It adjourned till three without a decision...

NEW WOOLEN MILL TO START OCTOBER 1

The roof is being put on the new Chatham woolen mill building in the northwestern part of the city. President Chatham was asked today when the plant would be put in operation...

NO SUNDAY TRAVEL.

Governor Glenn Orders Change in Time of Soldiers' Departure For Jamestown.

RALEIGH, July 10.—Governor Glenn today ordered in order to avoid traveling on Sunday, the Second and Third regiments and the Charlotte field artillery shall start for Jamestown Monday morning, August 12, instead of the time first set.

CHARTER IS ISSUED.

Peoples' Home and Charitable Association of This City, Incorporated.

ANNUAL MEETING TO BE HELD TOMORROW

MATERIAL IS ORDERED.

WORK ON EAST WINSTON CAR LINE TO BEGIN VERY SOON.

Large Order is Placed by the Fries Manufacturing and Power Company For Material For the Extension to the Eastern Part of the City.

An order has been placed by the Fries Manufacturing and Power Company for much of the material to be used in the construction of the new street car line to East Winston.

WINS ANOTHER PONY.

Eddy Shepherd Makes a Fine Record in the Sale of Papers.

Eddy Shepherd, son of Mr. J. R. Shepherd, is a winner in the trust sense. He was notified today by the publishers of the Saturday Evening Post that he was entitled to another pony and cart in the contest for June...

BIG BLAZE IN ALLEGHANY, PA.

PITTSBURGH, July 10.—The town of Alleghany is being swept by flames today. At this hour ten houses have been burning and flames are shooting 200 feet in the air in the residence district.

HOW TO GET RID OF CATS.

Salem Citizen Says Turn the Hose on 'Em and They Will Depart.

"The best way to get rid of cats is to turn a hose on 'em," remarked a Salem citizen last evening. He explained that he gave this advice from actual experience.

RELEASED ON BAIL.

Man Charged With Embezzlement From Swift & Company.

RALEIGH, July 10.—C. R. Edwards, of the Raleigh office of Swift & Co., Chicago meat dealers, etc., was arrested in Durham and brought back to Raleigh today, charged with embezzling funds of the company.

U. S. CORN CROP.

Government Crop Report Issued Today Gives Interesting Figures.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—The government crop report today gives corn crop of 98 millions acres, a large increase. The condition of corn is \$9.2.

TOWN ON EASY STREET.

REIDSVILLE, July 10.—The town's finances are in quite an improved shape. About \$4,000 of the floating debt has been paid off during the past two years, leaving a comparatively small amount now due.

KINSTON MAN HERE IN THE INTEREST OF W. W. KITCHIN'S CANDIDACY FOR GOVERNOR

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Mr. E. B. Lewis, of Kinston, private secretary to Congressman Claude Kitchin, was in the city today. It is understood that Mr. Lewis is visiting a number of counties in the interest of Congressman W. W. Kitchin's aspirations for the Democratic nomination for governor.

Mr. H. G. Thatham, while here today was warmly congratulated upon his election to the chairmanship of the Democratic State executive committee. Mr. Chatham is a successful business man and he says that he was only induced to take the chairmanship upon the promise that he was only to serve until the next State convention.

Directors and Stockholders of North Carolina Railroad to Meet in Greensboro.

TREASURER ELLER TO MAKE REPORT

Went to Burlington Today to Prepare His Annual Report—President H. G. Chatham Is Here and Will Attend Meeting Tomorrow—Various Matters to Be Considered at This Meeting.

The annual meeting of the stockholders and directors of the North Carolina Railroad will be held in Greensboro tomorrow. The directors will meet at 10 o'clock and the stockholders at 12 o'clock.

At the meeting tomorrow the usual dividend will be declared and other matters discussed and acted upon. One of the principal questions to be considered is the proposed rebuilding of the hotel at Burlington, a matter that has been under discussion for three years.

It is understood that the stockholders of the road will be asked to grant a right of way over the North Carolina track at Salisbury for the a branch line to be built by the government to the federal cemetery there. It is understood there is no objection to the granting of this right of way.

Secretary and Treasurer Eller went to Burlington today to get his annual report ready. He will submit it at the meeting tomorrow. President H. G. Chatham is here today and will attend the meeting at Greensboro tomorrow. He will probably go to Greensboro tonight.

FORTY PERSONS REPORTED DEAD

PHILADELPHIA, July 10.—Forty people were killed this afternoon in collapse of the Bridgeman pipe factory building in this city.

All ambulances and patrol wagons and surgeons have rushed to the scene of the terrible catastrophe. The building was a pipe factory and was used for the manufacture of pipes for the city water works.

REID STILL IN THE RACE.

Rockingham Lawyer Still After Democratic Nomination for Congress.

GREENSBORO, July 10.—State Senator Reuben D. Reid, of Rockingham, who was here yesterday, was asked if reports current to the effect that he had retired from the race for the Democratic nomination for Congress in this district, declared there was not a word of truth in the report.

"I am standing just where I have," said he, "if the Democrats of this district see fit to nominate me, I shall esteem it a high honor. I certainly am not taking back water on any of the positions I took in the last State Senate. If by knowing where to find a man, the Democrats of this district should prefer some other whose position on five questions is not so pronounced or well known to myself, I shall not feel hurt personally. But I am greatly encouraged from reports in many of the counties of the district."

TOWN ON EASY STREET.

REIDSVILLE, July 10.—The town's finances are in quite an improved shape. About \$4,000 of the floating debt has been paid off during the past two years, leaving a comparatively small amount now due.

The value of assessed property in the town is now \$1,600,000, showing an increase of about \$157,000 over the assessment of two years ago. At the last meeting of the Board of Town Commissioners a reduction of about 10 cents on the hundred dollars was made in the municipal tax levy, and a corresponding reduction on the poll. The city government is now on "Easy Street" financially.

C. O. Beck went to Charlotte this afternoon to attend the convention of the North and South Carolina Hardware Dealers.

REPORT ON FORSYTH'S PUBLIC SCHOOLS, AS SUBMITTED BY THE COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT

Superintendent Speaks in Report of his Annual Report to the Board of Public Instruction.

It shows a very large increase in the enrollment of the county and value of school property. The number of white and colored children, etc.

Number of white children, 1,091; total, 2,194. Total census (6 to 21) male, 4,800; female, 4,510; total, 9,310.

Rural enrollment, male, 2,212; female, 2,121; total, 4,333. Rural average daily attendance, male, 1,487; female, 1,344; total, 2,831.

Number rural teachers employed, male, 44; female, 65; total, 109. First grade teachers employed, male, 34; female, 42; total, 76.

Second grade teachers employed, male, 10; female, 17; total, 27. Third grade teachers, employed, female, 4.

Number of teachers having normal training, male, 1; female, 3; total, 4. Number of teachers having four years of experience, male, 38; female, 39; total, 58.

Number of teachers having college diploma, male, 3; female, 7; total, 10. Illiterates (12 to 21) male, 95; female, 67; total, 162.

School Census (Colored.) Rural census (6 to 21) male, 868; female, 845; total, 1,713. City census (6 to 21) male, 920; female, 1,022; total, 1,942.

Rural enrollment, male, 601; female, 614; total, 1,215. Rural average daily attendance, male, 338; female, 360; total, 698.

Number rural teachers employed, male, 16; female, 10; total, 26. First grade teachers, employed, male, 6; female, 4; total, 10.

Second grade teachers employed, male 10; female, 6; total, 16. Number teachers having normal training, male, 5; female, 5; total, 10.

Number teachers having four years' experience, male, 12; female, 3; total, 15. Number teachers having college diploma, male, 2; female, 3; total, 5.

Illiterates, male, 32; female, 23; total, 55. Enrollment (White.) First grade, 1,209; average age, 7; boys enrolled, 600.

Second grade, 680; average age, 8 1/2; boys enrolled, 355. Third grade, 647; average age, 10; boys enrolled, 401.

Fourth grade, 736; average age, 12; boys enrolled, 370. Fifth grade, 576; average age, 14; boys enrolled, 275.

Sixth grade, 407; average age, 15 1/2; boys enrolled, 210. Seventh grade, 172; average age, 17; boys enrolled, 90.

Eighth grade, 6; average age, 18; boys enrolled, 3. Ninth grade, 2; average age, 19. Total, 4,450; average age, 12; boys enrolled, 2,313.

Enrollment (Colored.) First grade, 443; average age, 7; boys enrolled, 210. Second grade, 217; average age, 9; boys enrolled, 109.

Third grade, 196; average age, 11; boys enrolled, 100. Fourth grade, 211; average age, 13; boys enrolled, 110.

Fifth grade, 98; average age, 13 1/4; boys enrolled, 50. Sixth grade, 44; average age, 15; boys enrolled, 29.

Seventh grade, 6; average age, 17; boys enrolled, 2. Total, 1,215; average age, 12. 5-10; boys enrolled, 601.

DOWN NEGRO STRUCK BY TRAIN NEAR THOMASVILLE; DIED AT HIGH POINT TODAY

THOMASVILLE, July 10.—An negro was picked up near High Point last night by the crew of a freight train and carried to High Point where he died this morning. The man has not been identified.

The negro was supposed to have been on a train. Two cottages occupied by negro families, nearly in front of the Central fair grounds, were destroyed by fire at noon today. Very little household property was saved.

N. & W. car loaded with coal left the track first and caused the derailment of several other cars. Mr. Ernest Carr, of High Point, was one of the passengers on the mixed train and he sustained painful injuries, though they are not regarded serious.