### General News Briefly Told

#### ATTACKED BY HOGS

tenants near Lumberton, fell into and drifting, he holds true to the a hogpen while helping older sis- eternal principles and has proclaim ters throw melon rinds to the hogs. ed them all over the world. In such Before she could get out she was convincing simplicity as to touch attacked by two 300 pound fatten- the hearts and inform the minds ing hogs which tore off one of her of people everywhere. It is a great ears and bit her face so that holes honor to our state to have producwere gouged in the flesh. A doctor ed such an eminent christian who took 150 stitches in the child's holds true to the faith in a genface and arms. The parents were eration when so many men seem to grading tobacco and did not hear have lost the gleam." the screams of the child who was rescued by a neighbor.

#### THE SCHOOL DOLLAR

Every dollar spent for schools in North Carolina is divided approximately as follows: First, the school commission, which administers the school fund and which cost the state last year more than \$57,000; next, salaries for superintendents, which amount to nearly three cents out of every dollar; teachers in the grades, a little more than 82 cents short time ago. On their return in each dollar; operation of school this week they grounded in a Newplants, five cents per dollar; school foundland bog after making the bus expenses, 9 cents per dollar; crossing. Their gas gave out. Plans libraries, less than one cent out of are in operation to get their plane each 100. Last year's schools in out and repaired so they may com-N. C. cost more than \$20,000,000.

#### FOOD NEEDED

The Department of Agriculture is said to rejoice that curtailment of crops has done away with a surplus. At the same time the American Federation of Labor declares that many of the families of workingmen in this country do not have enough to eat. The Federation asserts that if an adequate diet could be purchased it would mean the cul tivation of millions of acres not in use at present. Of course families making inadequate wages cannot provide adequate food.

### FORMER QUEEN. COMING

Former Queen Victoria of Spain is coming to New York to visit one of her sons who is critically ill in a hospital there. The former prince is suffering from hemophilia, which is a hereditary disease of his family. The mother expresses the wish that no special ceremonies for her arrival nor during her stay in the U.S. be prepared.

### SUNDAY MOVIES IN RALEIGH

During the last year Sunday movies in Raleigh netted nearly \$6,000 as the per centage turned over to the American Legion for distribution among charitable institutions and other welfare work. Of this \$1,136.87 went for groceries and provisions for the needy in Raleigh and Wake County. The remainder was used for many other worthy purposes.

### CAPT. ASHE NINETY-SIX

Capt. S. A. Ashe, clerk of the Eastern District Court, was 96 years old last Saturday. Though having to use a cane at times, the Captain fills his position regularly in the court room, and is destined to round out the century if present indications are realized.

### GREATEST N'TH CAROLINIAN

Hon. Josephus Daniel, on learning that North Carolina Baptists proposed to purchase and make a sort of shrine of the birth place of Dr. Geo. W. Truett, sent \$25.00 to be used for that purpose.

In making the contribution Mr.

Daniel observes that Dr. Truett is the greatest living Carolinian. He says: "He is a great Gospel preach Veran Dale, small daughter of er and in an age of change, unrest

Dr. Truett is considered the greatest Baptist preacher in the world and one of the outstanding preachers living today. Others may excel in scholarship, but few if any in earnestness and oratory. He grips and holds with a mighty power his listeners wherever he

#### FLYERS BEST OCEAN AGAIN.

Harry Richman and Dick Merrill crossed the Atlantic eastward a plete their journey to the Floyd Bennett airport.

A large side show with many of the oddities and strange people viewed by thousands at the various centennials and world's fairs will be on the midway at the Harvest Festival in Zebulon Oct. 5-10th.

### **Library Sumary**

A summary of the work at the public library, sponsored by the Woman's Club this summer. The library was opened Tuesday and Thursday of each week. The Olivia Rainey Library at Raleigh furnished the books. 300 books were loaned by them. And a number of books and magazines were loaned by people in the community, 195 books of fiction and 240 non-fiction were read by the 135 people who borrowed books from the library. A story hour conducted by Mrs. Cullers was held every Tuesday from ten to eleven o'clock in the morning, the attendance was very

The following children will receive reading certificates given by the Olivia Rainey Library for read ing as many as ten books and repor ing on them during the sum-

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