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### PAME OF KANNAPOLIS

ROAD SPREADS Officials of Valley Turnpike Company

of Virginia Coming Here to See It. The fame of the Kannapolis road and other improved highways in this county is extending abroad over the country, and the roads are being adopted as a model for other counties in building good roads, not only in this State but in other States, The officials of the Valley Turnpike Company, an organization in Virginia diptheria and manual two days of for building and area of the valley and organization of the valley of this morning in a Galveston hospital, after an illness of only two days of for building and area of the valley of the valle for building and promoting good roads, have been so impressed with the reports of this great highway that the reports of this great night of the they are coming here to see it. There will be several members of the party, will be several members of the party, which will be headed by the president of the organization, Mr. H. F. Byrd, editor of the Winchester News and

a leading member of the Virginia General Assembly. Mayor Wagoner received the following letter yester-Mr. Chas. B. Wagoner,

Concord, N. C.
My Dear Wagoner: We have made arrangements to visit Concord on next Tuesday, December 12th, and I am looking forward to the pleasure

of seeing you at that time. We will go to Charlotte in the morning returning to Concord on the evening train and will have to leave there that night.

Please remember me to Smith. With best wishes, I am,

Very truly, VALLEY TURNPIKE CO., H. F. BYRD, President. Winchester, Va., Dec. 5, 1911.

Mayor Wagoner has arranged to take the party over the Kannapolis highway and other good roads of the county and will extend to them every courtesy on behalf of both the city and county.

# Appalachain Commission Decides on Its First Purchase.

Washington, Dec. 9.—The first purchase of land under the Weeks law authorising the creation of Apized at a meeting of the National Forest Reservation Commission in the office of Secretary of War Stim-son, chairman of the commission, to-

Ten tracts of mountan land, aggregating 18,500 acres in McDow-II county, North Carolina, were decided upon by the commission for pur-chase. The tracts range from 100 to 10,160 acres in size and are located near Mount Mitchell in the western part of the state and are declared to be excellent for practical forest The price ranges from three to six dollars an acre, the total cost amounting to about \$100,000.

All the tracts are on the water of the Catawba river, an important tributary of the Wateree, forms which, with the Congaree, forms the temperance societies and individuals Saptee, a stream of much industrial opposed to the drinking saloon withnavigable for 25 miles in South

away Marriage Saturday Night. Mr. Isase Killian, of Statesville, tributed each year. lotte, were married Saturday night at the home of Mrs. J. N. Parker, on chirch street, a friend of the bride.

Stanly Making Shipments of Wheat tack took place. Mr. Smith avows teaches, and a style peculiar to himthat he would easily recognize his asself. Yesterday's contributions to the sailants should he see them again, Sunday school afternoon meetings be-The carriage was a runnway affair, there being objection to the match on the part of the bride's parents. The groom arrived here Saturday afternoon and the bride, who is a daugh-ter of policeman Johnson, came over on train No. 12. The groom lost lit-tle time in securing the liceuse, his ive bride waiting at the home of her friend, Mrs. Parker, in the meantime. Rev. S. N. Watson, pastor of the First Baptist church, performed the ceremony. The couple left on train No. 36 Sunday morning their home in Statesville. When the groom was asked by a that Stanly county has really gotten ter of Col. Elias Bryan. She wrote there. Our county is "coming" all to Mr. Quarles, who did not know away affair he happily replied that it the while, but yet striving for results what had become of her, yesterday was not availy a granuary but he was not exactly a runaway but between a runaway and a trot.

Major-Turner. The following marriage annountents have been received here:

Mrs. Isaac Scabring Henderson ces the marriage of his daugh

Mrs. Clyde Henderson Turner

Mr. Albert Chastine Major on Saturday, the ninth of December one thousand nine hundred and

Atlanta, Georgia. home after January 1, Atlanta

Mrs. Turner is a sister of Mrs. Z.

The Two-Year-Old Son of Mr. and Men Attack Monroe Citizen With Mrs. D. B. Privett, of Galveston, In a Hospital in That City.

Little John Sherrill Privett, the 2-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Doyle B. Privett, of Galveston, Texas, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Sher-rill, of this city, died at 4:15 o'clock diptheria and membranous croup.

The first news of the little fellow's

illness was received here Saturday evening by wire to his grandparents, stating that he was desperately ill with diphtheria and had been taken to a hospital. Another message was received yesterday stating that membranous croup had developed and very little hope was entertained. The physicians were compelled to insert a tube in order that he might breathe and other heroic efforts were resorted to by them but failed to check the onslaughts of the fatal diseases and in the early hours of the morning the little fellow succumbed.

John Sherrill Privett was a brightfaced, lovely child, the pride of two households, having often visited here, the joy of his fond parents and the object of unlimited love and adoration of his fond grandparents, one of whose name he bears.

On account of the health laws of the State that prohibits shipment of bodies of those who died with contagious diseases, the int rment will be made in Galveston.

In Concord, the native home of the little boy's mother, there many hearts filled with sadness and sorrow for the fond parents and while their lives are encompassed in the misty clouds of sorrow they may well know that out of the darkness there beats many a sorrowful heart-beat of sympathy for them.

# Foes on Saloon in Session.

Washington, D. C. Dec. 11.-Delegates from all over the country are assembled in the capital for the niennial convention of the Anti-Saloon League of America. The business sessions of the gathering will last four days and will be followed by n national conference to consider the question of interestate liquor traffic. Men and womne prominent in temperance work, together with a numpected to speak in support of the and this, coupled with the fact that movement for federal legislation rel-Rev. J. H. Kynett of the church extension board of the Methodist church it a miracle that he managed to es-and Archbishop Ireland. The organicape before fatal wounds were inzation is a federation of churches, out regard to party lines of denominational differences. The league now has nearly 150 offices scattered over the country from which large quantities of anti-saloon literature is dis-

Stanly Enterprise. For the first time in many years Stanly County is shipping wheat in-to other sections. The local firm of Morrow Brothers & Heath Company alone has made average shipments of 500 bushels during the past six weeks. This is the best evidence yet given that our farmers are reaping results of improved methods and wis-er farming. When corn ceases to be which must inevitably follow.

# Dougherty Tells Women to Look for

New York, Dec. 10 .- Police Com missioner Dougherty in a bulletin of advice to Christmas shoppers, urges women to be on their guard against theives and pickpockets in the crowded stores and streets. He declars official that the best place for a woman to carry her money is in her stocking. If she does not care for that method of protection she is advised to hang on to her purse with a mighty grip all the time.

# Norfolk Southern Buys Cars.

New Bern, Dec. 9.—It is learned here that the Norfolk Southern Rail-A. Morris, of Concord.

Greensboro Record, 9th: Rev. J. W.
Long, former pastor of Spring Gardes Street Methodist church, who was to have left Friday for his news to have left friday for his afternoon:

Miss Wilms Correll to Entertain.

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Knives.—Strong Suspicion Exists. Texas, Died Early This Morning Monroe, N. C., Dec. 9 .- J. W. Smith, an express messenger who runs between Hamlet and Atlanta and who lives at Monroe, was seriously cut this morning two miles from his wife's cousin, intending to spend the night with him and go 'possum

> He came to Monroe early yester- the United Mine Workers of America. day morning and hired a horse and They entered the day's work when buggy to drive out to the home of his a terrific explosion wrecked the work-wife's relative. In about an hour after he left the horse and buggy came back, the buggy soaked in blood but Smith was missing. A party at once went in search, thinking, perhaps he had been murdered. The place was found where the horse had been turned around and started back toward Monroe. As no trace could be found of the missing man for quite a while of the missing man for quite a while, them. excitement was intense.

road. They were white men, he said. workings. He was weak from loss of blood and has not talked much yet. He was

about a mile from Monroe, on the road to Wingate, late yesterday ev- the force of the blast. ening and was held by two while the was believed by some to be the case fast night, but not until today, when Mr. Smith was better able to discuss

the affair, was this belief confirmed. exclaimed, "G—d d—n you, we have got you not," indicating that they had been awaiting an opportunby a ity to wreak revenge on some person against whom they had a grievance and without giving their victim time to explain he was not the man want ed, the dastardly work was begun ber of members of Congress, are ex- The men had been drinking heavily, and this, coupled with the fact that ative to the interstate liquor ques nize anyone, explains why they failtioin. The Anti-Saloon League of ed to realize they had the wrong America was started at Oberlin, Ohio, man. Right or wrong man, however, about fifteen years ago by the late they were evidently bent upon doing murder, and Mr. Smith now considers cape before fatal wounds were inflicted.

time to reach the point where the at- lette is unique, he and it is not believed that they can possibly escape. In fact, it is openly stated tonight that arrests may be expected before noon tomorrow.

# Finds His Wartime Nurse.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 9 .- George W. Quarles, of Frankfort, Ky., employed in the office of the clerk of the house, has located the pretty counshipped into the county, and when try girl who nursed him when woundour farmers raise enough hay for ed, fighting for the Confederacy in home purposes, and the packing-Kentucky in 1861, in the person of house hame are no longer seen on Mrs. A. G. Budd, of Durham. Mrs. our markets, then we may exclaim Budd was Miss Annie Bryan, daughasking him to aid her in obtaining Federal recompense for the damage caused on her father's plantatian by the Union army.

# Southern Poultry Show.

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 11.—The annual exhibition of the Southern International Poultry Association opened in the auditorium-armory today and will be the center of interest among poultry fanciers until it closes next Saturday. The largest display of birds ever seen here is offered. Practically every section of the South is repre-sented, and the competition among exhibitors is lively. Three thousand dollars in cash and 100 silver cups will be distributed among the win-

JOHN SHEERILL PRIVETT DEAD CASE OF MISTAKEN IDENTITY, ONE HUNDRED MINERS DEAD. SURPRISE MARRIAGE Righteen Dead Have Been Found and

Eight Bodies Recovered.—Pathetic

Scene at Mouth of Mine. Briceville, Tenn., Dec. 9 .- Two hur dred and seven men, living or dead, is the probable number of men enhere tonight as they have Monroe, as he was on his way to visit been all day in the great Cross Moun tain Coal Mine of the Knoxville Iron Company, according to the count made this afternoon by an official of

Briceville, Tenn., Dec. 10 .- Some-

Eight torn and mangled bodies had He was finally discovered at the been brought forth at nightfall, when home of Mr. Verne Lockhart, about search was abandoned for the day. miles from Monroe and about a Outside of the immediate families of mile from where the horse had turn- the entombed men, no one in this ed around and started back to town. little mountain village believes that He is a druggist and is employed as a He reported that two men had at- any living thing in the mine yestertacked him with knives as he was day morning survived the terrific ex-about to drive around them in the plosion of coal dust that wrecked the

For more than thirty-six hours evhas not talked much yet. He was ery surviving miner in this region taken back to the home of a relative had toiled with no thought of food, for medical attention. He is badly sleep or pay to remove the debris and cut on the arms, neck and back, but will recover.

sleep or pay to remove the debris and force fresh air into the innermost recess of the mine. They practically have penetrated to the main entry Monroe, Dec. 10.-It develops to- head nearly three miles in. Tomorday that Mr. J. W. Smith, who was row they expect to be ready to work brutally assaulted by three white men the cross entries in which the other bodies have undoubtedly been cast by

Black damp developed late today third slashed him with a knife, was the victim of mistaken identity. This force pushed dauntlessly on, some of them till they were carried out over-

come by the noxious gases.

There is hardly a family in the enwhen the men climbed into his felt the iey touch of death. The probbuggy, Mr. Smith says, one of them lem of earing for the widows and orphans will be a grave one requiring immediate solution. Certainly Brice-ville will be unable to care for her living with most of her wage-carners numbered among the dead.

# RALPH PARLETTE.

Central School Auditorium, Tuesday, December 12th, 1:15 p . m.

On Sunday afternoon, December 3rd, Ralph Parlette appeared before the Y. M. C. A. of Chattanooga. In the following Monday's issue of the Chattanooga Times this appearance of Parlette was referred to as follows: 'Parlette was referred to as follows:
'Parlette in Happy Vein;'' "Humorous Talker speaks of Sacred things;" Today the authorities have some "Knows how to Reach the hearts of men under strong suspicion and they will be kept under close surveillance of the column and a half "write-up" pending developments. The men un- reads: "Radiating good fellowship, der suspicion live about three miles wholesome humor, and red blooded refrom Monroe and were in town Sat-ligion. Ralph Parlette talked to a urday. They left here about 6 o'clock well filled house at the Majestic theawhich would have given them ample tre yesterday afternoon. Mr. Paring held by the Y. M. C. A. was pronounced the best since these have

Besure to hear Parlette on Tuesday night at the Central school au-

### Weekly Cotton Review. New Orleans, Dec. 10 .- It is very

difficult to say what is likely to happen in the cotton market this week because the government's crop estimate to be issued on the opening of the session. The figures probably will govern the course of prices after that. The estimate will be put out by the Department of Agriculture at 1 'clock Monday, New Orleans time. The figures will count bales of five hundred pounds weight and will no; include linters. The trade expects 14,750,000 bales, anything under that level will have a bullish effect on prices unless manipulation is used to control the market. Anything over 14,750,000 will probably stimulate a great deal of short selling, as it would be contended that such figures con firmed largely crop ideas. Both bulls and bears alike seem to expect the government to under-estimate

Tuesday will end the present ginning period but it is hardly possible that the ginning returns from now on will have the effect they have had itherto this season at less the goverument estimate is tray low and the

Col. R. E. Lee, grandson of Gen. Robert E. Lee, has been invited by the Stonewall Jackson Chapter, Uni-ted Daughters of the Confederacy, to

Mr. J. B. Polk and Miss Annie Lee Jacobson, of Charlotte, Drove to Concord Yesterday in an Automobile And Were Married at the Home

of Mr. T. D. Manage. Quite a surprise marriage was solminized yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the home of Mr. T. D. Maness, when Miss Annie Lee Jacobson and Mr. J. B. Polk, of Charlotte, were united in marriage by Rev. S. N. Watson, pastor of the First Bapist church, officiating.

The ceremony was witnessed by on-ly a few friends and relatives. The bride was attended by Miss Mary Carraway and Mr. Polk by his friend, Mr. Cottingham. They came from Charlotte in Mr. Cottingham's machine. Immediately after the cerenony the party returned to Charlotte, where the young couple will be a't home at the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Jacobson, No. 18 Grove street. The groom is a brother of Mrs. L. A. Fisher, of this city, and Mrs. H. A. Johiz, of New York, both of whom witnessed the ceremony. prescription clerk at John S. Blake's drug store.

Funeral of Mr. C. T. Bernhardt, The funeral of Mr. Caleb T. Bernhardt, who died rather suddenly at his home in Salisbury late Friday afternoon, was held from St. John's Lutheran church Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock, conducted by the pastor, Rev. Dr. M. M. Kinard, and the interment was in Chestnut Hill cemetery. Mr. Bernhardt was 69 years old, native of Cabarrus county, and at the time of his death was at the head of the Salisbury Hardware & Furniture Co., one of the largest mercantile establishments in western North Carolina. He is survived by six children, Messrs, Paul H. Linn R. and larence T. Bernhardt, Mrs. S. H. Wiley, Jr., Mrs. Arthur E. Reynolds and Miss Rosalie Bernhardt, and two brothers, Messrs. Paul M. and Harvey A. Bernhardt, all of Salis-

### Mr. G. B. Means Seriously Hurt in Accident.

A message was received here this morning stating that Mr. Gaston B. Means, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Means, of this city, and a traveling representative of the Cannon mills, vas seriously injured while en route from Detroit to New York Sunday night. Mr Means was injured by a berth in the sleeper he was traveling in giving way. The message was from Mr. Afton Means, a brother, who was with him when the accident occurred. Mr. Means stated that while his brother's injuries were serious there was no cause for alarm. He did not state the exact nature of his wounds but said that he was badly

Mr. Means was taken to New York and is now in a hospital there. Mr. Afton Means is with him.

Notice is hereby given that the regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the Citizens' Bank and Trust Company, of Concord, N. C., will be held in the office of said bank on Monday, January the 8th, 1912, at eleven o'clock a. m. for the election of officers for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of any other business, and that at this meeting the question of increasing the capital stock of said bank will be considered and voted upon.

CHAS. B. WAGONER,

Are you getting your share of the Removal Sale bargains now going or at Fishers? See new ad. today.



ted Daughters of the Confederacy, to deliver the annual address in Charlotte on Lee-Jækson Day, January 19.

OONCORD NATIONAL BANK.

Capital \$100,000. Burphus \$35,000.

4 Per Cent. Interest Paid on Time Deposits.

## PERSONAL MENTION.

Some of the People Here And Else-

Miss Louise Means is spending the

Mrs. Mark Linker is pending the day in Charlotte. Misses Jennie and Kate Smith as

spending the day in Charlotte. Mr. T. E. Rea, of Charlotte, is

Mr. M. Cameron, of Albemarle, was Concord visitor this morning.

Mr. W. C. Jerome left this morning n a week's business trip on the road Mr. Richard Boyd, of Fayetteville, s visiting his mother, Mrs. W. C.

Mr. Roy S. Sanders, of Green-wood, S. C., is visiting friends in the

Mr. Lewis Carpenter, of Greenville, S. C., was a Concord visitor yester

Miss Eva May Brown will return this afternoon from Charlotte, where she is visiting Miss Mary Sims for a few days.

Miss Ethel Green has returned to her home in No. 10 township, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Grover Love

Mrs. Cowan, of Georgia, and Miss Elma Peeler, of Trading Foard, are visiting at the home of their uncle, Mr. M. J. Corl.

Dr. F. J. Haywood, who has been visiting his son, Mr. F. J. Haywood Jr., returned this morning to his home

Mrs. H. A. Jolitz, of New York, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. L. A. Fisher, will leave Wednesday for Salisbury to visit friends.

South Atlantic States Corn Show, Columbia, S. C., Dec. 11.—Cash prizes amounting to \$10,000 and a number of valuable trophies are to be swarded the winners at the second annual South Atlantic States Corn Eposition which opened here today church, and it called the members to

### POREST HILL NEWS.

Mr. Beaver Takes Charge of Mr. Pisher's Farm.—Personal Notes of Interest

Mr. Jas. Wilson has gone to Winston to spend a few days with rela-

Mr. G. L. Fisher's farm, near Mr. Vic Caldwell. Mr. Beaver will have charge of Mr. Fisher's farm next year, but will not give up his posi-tion as clerk at Wilkinson & Widenlouses's until in February or March. Mr. W. A. Wilkinson spent a few nours in Cornelius yesterday with

Mrs. J. A. Fowler and daughter,

Miss Ida, have gone to Hope Mills to spend a week with relatives.

Mr. C. F. Cook, of Jacksonville, Fla., spent a few hours in the city last week with his brother, Mr. J. C. Cook. Mr. Cook was en route to Danville and is expected back in Concord today, accompanied by his wife. Mr. J. C. Keller, of King's Mountain, formerly an overseer at the Locke mills, spent yesterday in the

city with friends. Messrs. M. B. Cockman, J. S. Stroud and C. E. Raiford spent Sunday in Charlottte.

Mr. W. S. Edwards, of Asheville, spent Saturday in the city with Mr. J. C. Cook. Mr. Edwards visited here several times while representing the Cameron Range, but is now selling

line of hardware goods. Mr. and Mrs. John Stratford, of Kannapolis, spent Sunday in the ity with relatives.

### G. O. P. Leaders Assemble.

Washington, D. C., Dec. 11 .- Pracically all of the members of hie Republican National Committee have arived in the city for the meeting toporrow at which the time and place for holding the national convention will be decided and other matters preliminary to the presidential campaign be discussed.

Our Associate Reformed Presby terian friends here have just put a splendid new bell in belfry of their The show will continue until Friday. | service for the first time yesterday.

# Special for Monday Xmas Handkerchiefs, Neckwear and Fancy Work.

A large shipment each of the above have just arrived. By buying at this time we bought the entire lots from the importers at Special Prices. Monday we give you the benefit of our good purchase.

100 Dozen Cambric Linen-finished Handkerchiefs, white and colored border, worth 5c-Special for Monday \_\_\_\_\_ 2 for 5c

Lig lot of 121/2c and 15c Pretty Linen Handkerchiefs, plain and hand-embroidered corn-

90 Dozen Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, 10c val-

ers, 10c each or \_\_\_\_\_6 for 50c Children's Xmas Handkerchiefs in Pretty Boxes, look like 25c ones—Special \_\_\_\_\_15c

The prettiest Handkerchiefs you have ever seen in Genuine hand-embroidered at ... \_\_\_\_\_15c—25c—50c

BIG LOT OF FANCY WORK. Buy early-it's easier to find what you want.

Mexican Drawn Work, Cluney, etc., in a great variety-priced\_\_\_\_\_15c, 25c, 50c, 95c and up Such an assortment we have never shown in Pillow Tops, Center Pieces, etc., specially priced at \_\_\_\_\_\_25c\_\_29c\_\_39c\_\_50c

XMAS NECKWEAR ALL IN XMAS BOXES In Lot 1 you will find all the Newest Side

Frill Jabots, Bows, etc., worth up to 50c-Special 25c and 35c Other Special Nos. \_\_\_\_\_50c and up

New lot Coat Collars underpriced at 95c-\$1.25-\$1.50 DO YOU WEAR GLOVES?-Ask in the

Notion Department to see the Special

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