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ON SCHOOL BOOKS

Prices on Books in Tennessee Are to Be Made Effective in North Carolina, It Is Explained.

MEETING TO BE HELD TONIGHT

Three Out of the Five Defense in Hall-Mills Case
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Tribune Bureau
Sir Walter Hotel
Raleigh, Aug. 26.—Three of the five text book publishers who have contracts in North Carolina will change their contracts to make the retail prices conform with those now in effect in Tennessee, and which in some cases are lower than in this state, but the other two companies will probably hold out for the existing contract, and the state may have to sue, it is believed today by those familiar with the situation, though no member of the State board of education would comment on the situatioh, pending the meeting of the board tonight at 8 o'clock with representatives of the various publishers. The publishers have already been instructed by wire to give their representatives full power to act for them at the meeting to might, and it is still hoped by some of the members of the board that all will agree to make the Tennessee contract prices effective in North Carolina, and every effort will be made to (is end. However, if any of the publishers decline to do this, the board is convinced that it has an excellent case and will not hesitate to bring suit to compel the application of the Tennessee price scale in this state.

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For this reason it is hoped that it will not be necessary to go into court, but that the publishers will agree voluntarily to put the new prices into effect in North Carolina immediately. That is why final action on the part of fife publishers is almost demanded at the meeting tenight.

There are a number of factors in the text book situation that have served to make it one of considerable complication, according to A. T. Allen, state superintendent of public instruction, who was appealed to in an effort to get the salient facts is the case.

The first considerated in the matter is the difference in the form of the contract with North Carolina and Tennessee. The contracts for books for North Carolina stipulate only the selling price to the individual school child—the final retail price. In Tennessee, the contract quotes two prices, both the wholesale price, at which the books are sold to the school children. And these retail prices the which the books are sold to the school children. And these retail prices at which the same books are sold to the school children in North Carolina, although in the majority of cases, the prices at which the same books are sold to the school children in North Carolina, although in the majority of cases, the prices are the same under both contracts.

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VALENTINO LYING IN STATE



Photo shows the body of Rudolph Valentino as it appeared lying in state in the Campbell Funeral Par Eva Miller is praying at the side of the dead man.

Fifth Annual Conference of Southern Methodist Church Opens August 31st. (By International News Service)

Montgomery, Ala, Aug. 26.—The fifth annual session of the Methodist Sunday school conference for the 600 Methodist Sunday schools of central and south Alabama and west Florida

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The attendance is expected to total 10,000 Sunday school workers.

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Awoke Mrs. J. S. Lafferty in Whose Home It Was Deserted. LAUNDRY MARK
IS ONLY CLUE

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Vickers Was in Charlotte For Examination in Effort to Get More Govern-

PRESIDENT GAV

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Democrats Charge Re lican Policy "Saves Spigot and Leaks at Bung Hole."