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NEW BERN CRAVEN COUNTY, N. C., FRIDAY, MARCH 16 1906.—FIRST SECTION.

28th YEAR

\$4,461,569.63.

Such is Total Grand Tax of the State.

Memorial Building for St. Mary's Auditor Dixon Wants Cessation of Black-burn and Holton News From Washington. Additional State Charters Granted.

(Special Correspondence.) Raleigh, N. C., March 15.—The State chartered the Cape Fear Dairy Co., at Duke, in Harnett county, with an authorized capital stock of \$5,000, which may be increased to \$25,000. E. S. Yarborough, C. J. Smith and A. Y. Kelly of Duke, are incorporators. Poultry, eggs and cheese will also be handled.

The recapitulation of the report of the State Auditor of North Carolina which is now in the hands of the State printers, shows some interesting figures as to the taxes of the State, as follows:

Real estate and personal property \$746,331.99; Income \$24,589.19; Schedule B, \$128,653.40; Schedule C, \$23,885.67; Total general taxes \$929,460.25; Pension, property and poll \$175,326.66; State general and special \$1,104,785.95; School taxes payable to county treasurers \$1,278,689.65; County taxes \$2,078,094.03; or a grand total of \$4,461,569.63.

The Planters' Warehouse Company at Apex, will do a general tobacco business, will manufacture and sell plug and smoking tobacco, cigars and cigarettes; and will also make boxes, cases etc. The capital stock is placed at \$30,000, of which amount \$1,500 has been subscribed, incorporators are W. B. Johnson, Raleigh, L. S. and P. J. Olive, S. W. Stone, H. W. Harvard, B. B. Wagner and C. W. Mills, of Apex. The establishment of this plant at Apex will also mean more business of a similar kind in that section.

C. C. Hook of the architectural firm of Hook & Rodgers, of Charlotte, spent today in Raleigh, where he was called to look after the awarding of contracts for the erection of the Memorial auditorium at St. Mary's School here. Bids were not opened today because of the absence of Bishop Cheshire, who will return next week.

"Will you not ask the papers of the State of North Carolina to request their correspondents in Washington, D. C., to let up on Blackburn and Holton, and to spend some of their time in interviewing the senators and representatives from North Carolina, at least part of the time. Holton and Blackburn seem to have become a sort of continuous performance with them?" This comment was offered by Dr. B. F. Dixon, State Auditor, and he was in earnest in the request.

It pours the oil of life into your system. It warms you up and starts the life blood circulating. That's what Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea does. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. Sold by F. S. Duffy.

O. H. Dockery Brought to Hospital.

Special to Journal: Raleigh, March 14.—Hon. Oliver H. Dockery, nearly seventy years old, and the Republican nominee for Governor of North Carolina in 1888 was brought from his home at Mangum, N. C., to Rex Hospital, Raleigh, for special treatment, today.

A Store and Lot in Oriental For Sale

A Lot 55x100 feet, and Store 22x60 feet with Shed 12x40 feet. For information apply to J. W. JORDAN, Oriental, N. C.

Wanted to Buy All Kinds of Southern Fruits and Vegetables

for CASH or will handle on consignment. Let me know your prices on what you have—or will have.

Stephen Whitton, Jr., Commission Merchant 29 York St., Utica, N. Y.

OPTION ON ACRES

Eight Thousand in Carteret County Held at 65 Cents.

At Present Time State Might Average \$1.25 Per Acre, Coin Harvey to Entertain Governors and Distinguished Men. Pardon Granted.

(Special Correspondence.)

Raleigh, March 13.—A special meeting of the Board of Education was held today in the office of the Governor to consider the disposition of an 8000 acre tract of land in Carteret county by an option to R. L. Woodard of Pamlico. Definite action was not taken and the result will not be announced until next week. Mr. Woodard has held options on this land to purchase at 65 cents per acre and his present option expires March 31st. He stated that the figures at present set by the State would average about \$1.25 per acre. Of this land about 3,000 acres are in timber but Mr. Woodard states that timber is not fit for sale on more than 1,000 acres, the principal part of this tract being in muck and swamp which can be penetrated in many places to the depths of 20 feet.

Governor Glenn is in receipt of a letter from W. H. ("Coin") Harvey, president of the Club House Hotel and Cottage Co. of Monte Ne, Ark., conveying an invitation to be present and to respond to a toast at a banquet and ball to be given at that place May 23, 1906. The Governor is also requested to name a special committee of representatives, ten in number, to attend to represent and to speak for the people of the State. A pass on the Monte Ne railroad also accompanies the formal invitations, but the Governor has not accepted that. The committee will be announced later. The organization is for the purpose of developing the industrial and social relationships of the Arkansas people and especially among the cotton people of the country. The programme will be a varied one, and there are expected as special guests of the occasion the Governors of twelve States and ten representatives from each of those States. The United States Government will send twelve men from the departments of census and agriculture. From New York and Liverpool over 300 members of cotton exchanges, about the same number of cotton merchants, 48 mill representatives from New England mills and 200 members of the Southern Cotton Association and Farmers' Union. It is estimated that the entire attendance will number nearly a thousand.

The Governor has granted a pardon to Robert McLendon, of Anson county having wired it at the request of the solicitor and county physician, who stated that the man would die in prison unless released. The man was in for twelve months having been convicted of larceny.

SPECIAL TRIAL APRIL 17TH

For Congressman Blackburn at Greensboro. Cases Revenue Officers Continued.

Special to Journal.

Greensboro, N. C., March 13.—In the Federal court here this afternoon, being the adjourned session of the special term for the continuation for trials of indicted revenue officers, on prayer of counsel for defendants for continuance, on account of sickness of attorneys, Watson and Aycock, Judge Boyd continued same to a special term beginning September 4th.

Judge Boyd has called a special trial of the circuit and district courts, to meet here April 17th to try Congressman Blackburn, under three indictments for alleged violation of law, in practicing before the department. It is said Circuit Judge Goff will preside.

Has Stood the Test 25 Years.

The old, original GROVE'S Tastesless Chili Tonic. You know what you are taking. It is iron and quinine in a tasteless form. No Cure, No pay. 50c

To The Ladies.

The K. of P. Band is very much in need of funds at present, as they have the expense of buying two new instruments at a cost to them of over \$100 and so they ask that all the lady friends of the band to kindly assist them in holding a Shadow Party and Ice Cream Supper next Monday night, and to make the affair a success they must have the assistance of the fair sex, so they request that all who will help them, to meet in their Lodge room in the Street Building, third floor, Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock to perfect the arrangements. The Band is at an expense of \$50 per month to keep them going, and as they are always willing to aid worthy causes they feel it is no imposition in asking for aid for their maintenance.

The Tribmen Cornet Band will be present and will play in union with K. of P. after which both will play in concert.

MUSIC FESTIVAL CONCERT

At Greensboro April Sixth By Home Talent.

Organization New Baptist Church. Co-partnership Formed. Big Sale Horses. New Park and Athletic Grounds for Ball Games.

(Special Correspondence.)

Greensboro, March 13.—A new Baptist church was organized in West Greensboro Sunday at three o'clock. The meeting was held in the chapel of the State Normal and Industrial College and a large and enthusiastic crowd was present, a subscription of \$3,920 was raised with another thousand in view. The new church starts out with 45 members. Chas. E. Maddry a graduate of the university and recently from the Southern Baptist Theological Seminary of Louisville, Ky., has charge of the work and already money has been raised towards paying for the church which is to be a neat brick building and to be known as "Forest Avenue Baptist Church."

April the sixth, has been fixed for the date for the Music Festival Concert by home talent. The Home Talent Festival will be assisted by members of the choral association, which is now rehearsing practices for its annual May Festival, with all that the name implies of the combined forces of orchestra chorus, solists, quartets and a somewhat more popular character than the classical works usually given is what will be rendered for the benefit of the Student building of the Normal College. The orchestra is doing finely and will number 25 pieces. The chorus will number over one hundred voices. Some of the singers taking leading parts are Mrs. T. J. McAdoo, Mrs. John Michaux, Misses Ethel Harris, M. Jamison, Nan Wood, A. Hoyle and Mrs. B. C. Sharpe, Messrs. S. V. Taylor, F. O. Lawson, J. Westley White, Dr. Wheeler, W. C. A. Hamel and L. Duffy.

Messrs. Shaw & McMath, who have recently formed a co-partnership for the handling of lumber, wholesale and retail, have rented the yards on Lewis street formerly used by the Cape Fear Manufacturing Company and more recently used by Mr. John A. Hodgins. The new firm starts business today.

Penny Brothers & Company held the largest horse sale ever conducted in this city. Over 200 horses and a large number of mules were sold. The sale lasted from 10 o'clock a m until 4:30 p m and was attended by a large number of people.

The work of moving the Cone Athletic Park began today. The new grounds are located farther out on the same avenue and will be a great improvement over the old park. A great number of college games have already been scheduled to be played here during the season.

To Cure A Cold in One Day.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets Druggists refund money if it fails to cure E. W. Grove's signature is on each box. 25c.

Saved Bones and Whiskey.

Maysville, Ky., March 12.—Under the alleged influence of whiskey, Augustus Crawford, of this place, lay on the Louisville and Nashville railroad track on the outskirts of the town and went to sleep.

Shortly after a northbound passenger train came along, striking Crawford squarely in the side, hurled him a distance of 105 feet. When picked up it was found that not a bone was broken nor was there a scratch on his person.

The distance the man was thrown was measured by the conductor and his crew. Crawford had five bottles of whiskey concealed about his clothes, none of which was broken.

Interior Decoration for March.

Interior Decoration for March is of special interest to those who contemplate building, or those who wish to readorn their homes. Wall treatments for county homes, on the proper hanging of pictures, serviceable sofa pillows, the billiard room for a small house, furniture for a summer home, are among a number of most interesting and profitable articles to be found in the March number of this periodical which besides these are many other articles of value to those who have homes. Write to Clifford and Lawton, publishers, and subscribe for Interior Decoration, 19 Union Square, New York City, \$1.00 a year.

Eczema, Tetter, Salt Rheum, Itch, Ring Worm, Herpes, Barber's Itch.

All of these diseases are attended by intense itching, which is almost instantly relieved by applying Chamberlain's Salve and by its continued use a permanent cure may be effected. It has, in fact, cured many cases that had resisted all other treatment. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Davis Pharmacy and F. R. Duffy.

AWAIT BLACKBURN'S TRIAL

Revenue Officers Indicted Want to See Result

Defendants Ready to Plead Guilty Will Judge Results by Congressman's Suit. Costs Deposited For Matthews Case Appeal. Damage of \$2000 Paid.

(Special Correspondence.)

Greensboro, March 14.—The next regular term of Federal court is due to convene here the first Monday in April, being the second day of the month. It can last but two weeks and there are many indictments to be tried before the civil docket is reached. A special term of the Circuit and District court is called to meet in Greensboro Tuesday, April 17th to try Congressman Blackburn under indictments found against him at the recent term of court at Asheville. It is said that United States Circuit Judge Nathan Goff will preside at this special term. It is said that the failure to try the present indictment against the revenue officers will have an important bearing on the Blackburn trial. It is generally rumored that those defendants who were ready to plead guilty will now hold off until the result of that trial is known. If Holton fails of confirmation and Blackburn is acquitted, it is said these defendants' lawyers will have no fear of future prosecution in the court. It is also said that some of these defendants are in possession of evidence which will prove very damaging to the Congressman relative to matters outside of his practicing before the departments which may be used at the next term of court here to procure indictments against him of an entirely different nature.

Counsel for Dr. J. B. Matthews today deposited fifty dollars with the clerk of the court to secure the costs of an appeal to the Supreme Court from the judgment of murder in the second degree rendered against him last week. It is understood that no effort will be made to give the \$5,000 bond required by Judge Ferguson for the release of the prisoner pending his appeal.

A large number of prominent fire insurance adjusters and representatives spent yesterday and last night here in conference over the estimated damage to the Odell Hardware Company stock by the fire in the office building last week. The Odell Company were not prepared to give an accurate statement of lost or damaged property yet owing to the disordered condition of their office work and of the goods damaged by fire, water or smoke, and those destroyed in the basement below or the floor above the office floor, and named next Tuesday as a convenient time for the insurance men to come again, at which time the company will have completed its inventory and prepared a statement of its estimated loss. Pending this statement the insurance representatives returned to their respective homes today. It is now said that the loss will be much greater than was at first estimated and will possibly reach \$25,000.

GRAVEN'S EDUCATIONAL PROGRESS.

County Superintendent Brinson's Report on Schools and Their Development. New Buildings.

In an interview with Supt. S. M. Brinson, who has recently completed his school visit in Craven county for this winter, the Journal has learned some most satisfactory news, as to the educational situation in this county, outside of this city, as well as regarding some matters in this city.

Mr. Brinson has visited schools in every township, not every school, but 57 in all, and while most of the schools are about over for the term, there are a few still in session. The outlook in all townships is favorable and everything is encouraging, and particularly in the way of better school houses and new school houses, is the prospect bright. At Fort Barnwell there is to be a new school building to cost \$1,200, and at Cove where there has been a consolidation of two school districts, also a \$1,200 building. Vanceboro is to have a new building, which is to be erected under the enterprise of a local stock company of citizens, who organized after the special tax election failed, determined to have a new school building. At Bachelor and Croatan it is expected that new school houses will be erected.

This county has taken up its full allowance for rural free libraries, and has applied for more.

In the matter of the colored school in this city, which lost its building by fire, Supt. Brinson, had no encouraging report to make, as the funds so far secured were insufficient to start the erection of a new school building at present.

The Original

Foley & Co., Chicago, originated Hovey and Ter as a throat and lung remedy, and on account of the great merit and popularity of Foley's Hovey and Ter many imitations are offered for the genuine. Ask for Foley's Hovey and Ter and refuse any substitute offered as no other preparation will give the same satisfaction. It is widely known. It contains no opiates and is a safety for children and delicate persons. For sale by Davis Pharmacy.

THE GATE CITY

Late Happenings From This Active Metropolis

Free Land Site for Manufactory. Elks Auditorium. Rector Resigns. Phone Service Over Southern. No Federal Court. Dates for Circuit Court of Officials.

(Special Correspondence.)

Greensboro, March 15.—Mr. Garland Daniel, a large property owner here and one of Greensboro's most enterprising and public spirited citizens, has offered to deed areas of valuable land adjoining the city and on the railroad, free of charge as sites for manufacturing concerns.

For some time a committee of the Lodge of Elks has been quietly maturing plans for the erection of a large lodge auditorium, lodge and office building. Recently all the lodges and fraternal societies in the city have conceived the idea of co-operation for the purpose of erecting a grand "Union Temple" or "Fraternity Home," having lodge rooms and auditoriums for every lodge in the city, with a general club room apartments. While this scheme is in embryo committees from all the organizations are being formed and the suggestion has been found a most popular one.

The vestry of St. Barnabas' Episcopal church on Monday received a letter from Rev. H. Baldwin Dean tendering his resignation as rector of the church. Failing health causes Dr. Dean to resign. He wrote that he wanted to come back and resign in person but the state of his health was such that he could not.

The Southern Railway has just completed the work of installing a telephone service in every station of the Danville division. The wires used for telegraphing are used for the telephones. The use of telephones it is thought will considerably facilitate the carrying on of the company's business. It is often possible to telephone over a wire when telegraphing over it is impossible.

There was no session of the Federal Court yesterday morning. It was expected yesterday that E. F. Sprinkle of Reidsville, would be present and the formal proceedings of entering the mandate of the circuit of Appeals approving Judge Boyd's sentence two years ago of the defendant to the penitentiary at Atlanta would be had. Last night by agreement it was arranged for Sprinkle to appear Friday and to submit himself to the judgment of the court.

An order was received from Circuit Judge Nathan Goff this morning to the effect that a regular term of Circuit Court of Appeals would begin in Richmond the first week in May, for hearing appeals from Maryland, Eastern Virginia, and West Virginia. On May 21st, the court will begin its session in Asheville to hear cases from South Carolina, the Eastern and Western Districts of North Carolina and the Western District of Virginia.

An inadvertent injustice was done some of the defendants indicted in the Federal Court here for alleged frauds against the government, by the statement in the correspondence yesterday that John W. Hasty was present while many were absent, it is learned this morning that every one of the defendants, represented by Messrs Adams, Bynum, McNeill, Aycock, Hand, Watson, to-wit: Officers Hasty, Samuel, Hardin, Smith and Walker were on hand, ready to know the order of the court. Their absence from the bar, and the statement by Judge Boyd that it would be useless to try Hasty and have to try others over again, gave rise to the impression that he alone was present.

Mrs. T. C. Cozart, secretary of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union in North Carolina, addressed the students at the Normal and Industrial College at 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The address was made under the auspices of the Young Woman's Christian Association of that institution and was largely attended and enjoyed by the student body.

Stolen by Gypsies.

One of the most thrilling and dramatic stories presented in moving pictures is that of "Stolen by Gypsies", one of the features of the marvelous new program of Archie L. Shepard's Moving Pictures on their engagement next Tuesday at the New Masonic Opera House. As the story unfolds the scenes are thrilling and the heart is touched by the strong sympathy the scenes and action illicit. No more heart interest has ever been drawn from the motion picture, because the scenes are real and the characters true and life-like. The abduction of an only child by the roving band of gypsies is the foundation of the theme which develops a wonderful series of dramatic episodes. The sweet devotion of the mother and father throughout their great sorrow is the pathetic picture of true heroism. A thrilling battle makes a strong climax, beginning with the surprise of the camp, the attack, and the running fight on the road, where justice balances the scale and settles the score.

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THEY ARE COMING

Our buyer has just returned from New York, where he went in search of all the new things of the Spring and Summer Styles, and the same are coming in daily.

We will have on sale Monday the following fabrics:—Mercerized Taffeta, Batiste, Jacquard Zephyr, Pongee Silk, Linen Finish Chambray, Organdies, and Muller. These fabrics are unusually pretty, being very dainty. Patterns suitable either for children or Ladies.

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