Miss Lida Davis Thrown From Carriage When Horse Makes Dash For Freedom And Dies Few Hours Later.

Late vesterday afternoon a horse belonging to Mr. W. C. Willett and which of \$300,003,030 to China are in conferwas hitched to a trap in which were Misses Bertha Witlett, Lida Davis, Lela Land and Violet Folks, became frighten being made are still excellent, ed at some trivial object and made a wild dash down Craven street. The hitch in the proceedings at London on young ladies screamed for assistance but owing to the fact that the thunder garding protection of her political ining hoof beat- of the frightened animal drowned the full import of their cries knowledged that with the withdrawal no one came to their aid.

Miss Davis, who is the daughter of which would, figuratively speaking. Capt. W. H. Davis, No. 124 Broad street put the fat in the fire. It is pointed awaying vehicle but miscalculated the frightful force.

the vehicle until the frightened animal the government only. tu n d into a tel-phone pole a few feet further on. A number of persons rushel to their a sistance and succeeded in either was injured.

M as Davis was placed in an automobile and rushed to a physician's office where an examination of her injuries was made, It was found that the skull was frectured at the base of her brain and that she was perhaps injured internally. Later she was taken to Siewart's sanitorium where all possible aid was rendered her, but she died shortly after 9 o'clock.

Miss Davis had a hast of friends in the city and the news of the accident to cert of the powers regarding China cast a pall of gloom over the entire eity. But for the fact that the unfortunate vistim attemp'el to jump from the vahicle there is not the least doubt but that she would have escaped unhurt as did the other young ladies.

### Five Joy Riders Killed.

Chicago, Ills., May 21-Joy riders, three men and I wo women, were drowned, when their automobile, going thirty miles an hour plunged into Calument river at Ninety-second street bridge, The victims identity is unknown. One

body was recovered. The bridge bad been awung to allow a boat to pass. The watchman's warning was un-

Scientest say that flies and mosquitoes are germ bearers. Why not take the precaution by screening your home against the pest? J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

### LITTLE HELL NOTES.

Jones County, May 22. - We are having some fine weather now and our farmers are making une of it. They are all busy chopping out cotton.

Hello Loco wake up, don't sleep as long as od Rip did

Most of our boys around here went last night to serena te the bride and groom, Mr and Mre, Frank P. Collins. Mr. Stephen Howard of Loco spent Saturday night and Sunday at Rev. B. F. Eabanks.

Mr. John ie Simmons has returned hom . from Oak Ridge where he has on at school. He will spend his sum mer vacation at home.

Mr. Cust's Howard of this p'ace at tended the party at White O k S. turday

Mr. Paul Jones and Mr. Louis S. Estantis, both of this place took a fly ing trip in their new automobile to Mrs. Molecy Collins Sunday. On their re-turn home their automobile ran in the turn home their automobile ran in the ditch with them but nobody was seri

Mr. Frank Parsons was in our mids

Mr. Jim Riggs and Mr. Goy Eubank both of White Oak spent Sunday at Mr

Mrs. Katle Eubanks and family from near Lees Chapet spent Saturday nig and Sunday at Rev. B. F. Eubanks.

We are glad to say the smallpox pa tients are all well on Little Holl, haven't heard of any new cases right

"DLUE EYES"

TO CUME A COLD IN ONE DAY Take LAXATIVE BROMO Qui

The State Department Learns Prospect of Making It Is Good.

Washington, May 21 - Despite persimistic reports from London, where the bankers of six nations which have been acting in concert on the proposed loan ence, officials of the state department maintain that pro pects for the loan

It is admitted that there has been account of the attitude of Russia reterests in Manchuria. It is also acof Japan and Russia from the proposed Just after crossing South Front street joint loan is threatened, a proceed rose and prepared to jump from the out that installments of the sum arvehicle. Although highly excited her ranged for by the six-power banking companions tried to restrain her but group are being made weekly to the without avail. She leap d from the Chinese gov. rument are likely to continue. The advances are to be condistance and struck the pavement with sidered separately from the proposed loan of \$300,000,000, as the former are The other yourg ladies remained in for the immediate running expenses of

State department officials are kept accurately informed on every development in the si uation, both at Pekin, ment, and from London, where the bankers themselves are conferring on the matter. The department is receiving its information from the American group of bankers as well as from the American diplomats in London and Pe-

The American bankers, it is known, maintain harmony among the international banking groups in order that the may be kept intact. A breaking away from the group of a y one or two powers would be a severe blow to the state department's hopes.

#### WILLIAMS' KIDNEY PILLS

Have you neglected your Kidneys? Have you overworked your nervous sys tem and caused trouble with your kid-neys and bladder? Have you pains in loins, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too fre quent a desire to pass urine? If so, Wil-liams' Kidney Pills will cure you-at Druggist, Price 50c. Williams' M'f'g. Co., Props., Cleveland, O.

### Miss Davis' Remains Laid At Rest.

With a beautiful and impressive cere nony the funeral of Miss Lida Davis, whose untimely demise was chronicled in these columns yesterday morning, was conducted from Centenary Metho-dist Church yesterday afternoon by Rev. J B. Hurley and the remains were laid to rest in Cedar Grove cemetery.

The floral offerings from her many friends were beautiful and attested the esteem in which she was held by all who

### Steamer Santona Seized.

New Orleans, La., May 20 -The Montes Line steamship Santona was seized in the harbor last night by the United States revenue cutter Davey, charged with violating the terms of President Tafe's proclamation of March.
14 h, prohibiting the shipment of arms and ammunition to Mexico.

The Santona which had cleared and iled for Progresso, Mexico, had on ard 110,000 pounds of rifle ammunion and 10 cases of carbi

Agents of the stamship company reduced copies of the consular bills of ding showing that the war munitions night. He was accompanied by his girl aboard the Santona were consigned to friend, Miss Ernest Conway. the Governor of the State of Campeche, Mexico. The ship's manifest filed at the customs house had no mention of these munitions.

> Whether mosquitoes bite or not they are carriers of disease germs We can help keep them out of your house. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

### Boy Drowned at Stonewall.

Stonewall, May 20 h .- The Sabbath ragidy that not only brought grief to one family, but shocked and saddened the entire community, the drowning of a bright and promising boy. A num-ner of hour were in backing in the river here, diving from the pies, when one of hem, Frank, the son of Mr. Jemes Casy, a resid at of this place, failed to some again to the vorfece. It is supramp or atruck comoth

Who is Wanted by the Police on Several Charges Capt-

Sheriff J. W. Biddle received a telegram late yesterday afternoon from the bief of Police at Omaha, Neb., which this city of several large insurance com panies, but who a few months ago left

ured at Omaha, Neb.

instructions from the local authorities Up to a few weeks prior to the time that Pratt decided that the environments of this city was not all that could be desired to a man in his condition, he was held in esteem by all who knew him. Representing several of the largest insurance companies in the United States he had fu'l control of their business in this State, In some way they became aware of the existing condirepresented took their agencies away pigments constitutes the L. & M. semi-from him. From that time on Pratt peste Paint. It's made so that by adsent at thing in a whirlwind fashion.
He filled the city with worthless checks, borr wed money and gave worthless ready for one Paint is produced at a mortgages, and finally forged a leading cost of \$1.75 per gallon. Anybody can ttorney's signature to a note for \$350. mix the Oil with the L. & M. in five removing them from the vehicle before where the agents of the banking groups This he carried to a local banking inare dealing with the Chinese govern stitution and succeeded in having it painting a

> ciation, succeeded in eluding arrest until located at Omaha, Neb. In conversation with Sheriff Biddle will be urged to exert every effort to he informed the reporter that a deputy would be rent after Pratt and that he would be brought back to New Bern and placed on trial, probably at the next term of criminal court. The charges against Pratt are serious, and if he is proven guilty a long term in the State prison awaits him.

despite all effrrts on the part of the lo-

cal police and the detectives put on his

track by the Banker's Protective Asso-

#### Railroad Men Cannot Wear Stop Signals

Chicago. May 22,-The fancy red ou'er garments of scarlet hue have been forpidden to all employees of one West ern ral oad while they are on duty. The announcement was made to the day's work, by order of the officials of of the negro element to revolt was suc

the company. The order, which was one of several ssued to the employees for the betterment of the service, was brief and to the point:

"No employee shall wear red colored outer garments, as they may be taken for stop signals,"

Call us up and let us figure with you for your screen wants. J. S. Basnight Hdw.

# CHARGED WITH MISUSING FRANKS

Nelson Asks That House Investigate Sending Out of Matter Attacking Witnesses of Mest Inspection.

Washington, May 20 .- Charging tha the Department of Agriculture is daily circulating under a frank matter atacking witnesses who have testified in the preliminary hearings on the meat spection service before the House artment of Agriculture. Representa ive Nelson of Wisconsin, Saturday in oduced a resolution which wou d pro vide for a special committee of five members of the House to investigate by what authority t the Department of Agriculture circulates "alleged news matter" under frank. Mr. Nelson is the au'h w of the resolution for a fu'i evestigation of the meat inspection ser-

Representative Moss of Indiana, chair man of the House committee on expenditures in the Agricultural Departmen urprised that committee today by an cing that under his direction a stigating the packing centers. Re-F. Harmen of Fremont, O., one of M en scientists who Mr. Ne'son has of red in order to substantiate hi nmittee agreed to hear both Dr.

ome home to dinner on time that own town late to be elected pre-

Wishes Will be Complied

With.

es V. T. Richeson, who paid the Chief of Police at Omaha, Neb., which sta ed that Harold T. Pratt, who for several years was the representative in nell, will be buvied in the family burying ground at his old boyhood home in Virginia. This was made certain this afternoon when the aged father tele-graphed \$100 to Douglas Richeson, who took charge of his brother's body after inexpectedly after having committed several offenses, had been apprehended in that city and was being held pending the execution, and wiced him to bring the body home.

The funeral services will be held eith er tomorrew afternoon or Friday morn-

#### Metal and Seed.

White Land and White Zinc made from the Metals Lead and Zinc - are tions and several of the companies he Plazesed. A little Oil mixed with these minutes, It seves from \$5, to \$25, in discounted and secured the money. That | Call on Gastill Har. ware & Mill Sup-

night he left for parts unknown, and ply Co., New Bern, N. C.

#### Commencement Program.

Sunday, May Twenty-sixth, 11 a, m Sermon before Young Women's Christian Association by Rev. R. H. Willis, Littleton, N. C. Tuesday, May Twenty-eighth

11 a. m. - Assual sermon by Rev. R. Craves, Darham, N. C.

9 a. m., to 6 p. m.,—Art Exhibit.
6 p. m.—Class Day Exercises,
Wednesder, May Twenty-ninth
10.30 a. m.—Graduating Exercises. 11.30 a. m.-Literary Address by Prof. R D. W. Connor, Raleigh, N. C. 8;30 p. m. - Annual Concert,

# Conspiracy In Cuba

Washington, May 22.-The Cubian gevernment expressed confidenc that employees last night at close of their they recently discovered conspirancy cess fully suppressed, according to state dedurtment edvices In Santa Clara and Pinar Delrio proviences a large mber of negroes were arrested harged with revolutionary conspiracy.

### Congress To Curtail Cotton Speculation

Washington, D. C., May 22-Deter mined to curtail speculation in cotton, Congress Yesterday passed a bill pro iding for exact formation in spring as to the number of acres of cotton in cultivation and in the autumn the procuctio from the same acreage, The House put its seal of approval on the legislation when it accepted the Sena'e amendment to the House bill, making reports un rop in August, September and October

### Students Dine On Fried Snake

Cincinatio Ohio, May 21.-A black Army Engineers Direct Their Efmake which a number of male stud in Antioch College here caught and were to use for dissecting purposes, was skinned souked in sait water and later fried, and today the majority of those fried, and today the majority of the who partent of the dinner are a scared lot, fearful lest their escapade may prove disastronaly for them. The decision to serve the reptile for dinner came after several hours of discussion when one of the number suggested th iden, which he thought would be in lin with numerous other pranks done by college students. The students approved of the plan and gathered enoug Doctors are reapleg a harvest as the coult of the carrying out of the idea.

Improve your lawn and protect your flowers with flower guards. For sale by J. S. snight Hdw. Co.

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# tertain Thousands Of Members Of Each Branch Of Church

In 1913, Louisville, Ky., May 21.—Atlantr, Mississippi river continued to fall yes-Ga, was selected as host for the 1913 General Assembly of the Northern Presbyterias Church yesterday. Rechester and Atlantic City, which were contend ers, withdrew. Atlauta plans to entertain thousands of members of each branch of the Presbyterian Church in

Forty two missionaries from all parts of the world are scheduled to tell some of their experiences and make recommendations for future work, at the anmual meeting of the Woman's Board of Foreign Missionsi which is in session in connection with the General Assembly.

Among the speakers are Dr. J. E Williams, vice president of the Nankin University; Dr. William Dagar, from Ellat, Africa; Miss A. M. Jefferson, from India: Rev. J. W. Waddell, from Brazil, and Dr. A. W. Halsey of New York, secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions.

The Woman's Board of Home Missions also convened in annual session. Reports of committees advocating the policy of providing definite pensions or annuities for all ministers based upon the period of services rendered, and the recommendation of a church-wide movement to secure a permanent endowment fund of \$10,000,000 to be provided between the board of ministerial relief and the ministerial sustenation fund, largely occupied the attention of the general assembly at the morning's ses-

#### Special Train to Oriental Sunday

On account of the unveiling exercises of a monument by the Woodmen of the World at Oriental Sunday, May 26, a special train will be operated between New Bern and that place. The train will leave New Bern at 9:30 a, m. and will return at 5:30. The fair from New Bern the round trip will be \$1 00. Stops will be made at all stations along the each of these places will be given. Information may be obtained from the ticket agents at those stations.

#### Pollocksville Democrats Endorse Hon Chas. R Thomas.

Pollocksville, May 21,-The Demo cratic primary held here last Saturday to appoint delegates to the convention to be held at Trenton on May 25, nominated a full set of Ward and Davis delegates and endorsed Hon, Chas. R. Thomas for Congress. Everything passed off harmoniously, the best of feeling prevailing throughout the meeting.

It looks as if the greatest fun milionaires get out of it is the things they can do to those who aren't.

forts to The Atchafalya

New Orleans, May 22.-With the work of closing the Hymelia crevasse well underway, available engineers and army officers interested in the relief and rescue work today directed their efforts to the Atchafalya basin, where crevasse waters are threatening sec tions heretofore untouched, imperiling lives and property.

Citizens of upper St. Landry parish after receiving the warning of the United States engineers that waters flowing through the northeastern part of the parish might endanger their lives, today fied to Washington. La.

Water in Melville, coming from the Alto break, was reported from six nches to three feet deep in several tores. Those who got away have al ready left that town. Engineers and laborers are gathered at Alto where the work of tieing the break will probably start tomorrow.

Flood waters continue to rise at Mor-

gan City, where the merchants have rected elevated floors in their stories. Z. M. Carrawan was elected. Captain L. V. Cooley, representing Upon motion of Mr. A. R. the New Orleans Flood Committee, left for the Black river and Atchafalya section on the steamer St James today-for the purpose of investigating condi-tions and report to the committee as to the best methods as to seeding supplies

A heavy downpour between two and tree o'clock this aftern on flooded New Orleans streets for 20 minutes or more. Streets in the business section war-small rivers and it was impossible for destrians to venture on many side-

# Former New Bern Insurance Man Clarence, V. T. Richeson's Last Georgia Metropolis Plans To En- Fear Is Entertained That Relief Syrians at Goldsboro Offer Mr. S. Boats Will Not Reach Ma rooned People,

New Orleans, La., May 21st,-The south and reports received at the office of the United States engineers here

concerning the leves were favorable.

The situation along the Atchafalaya river south of Odenburg, the acone of Sunday's crevasse, ore critical accord ing to reports, and relief hosts were dispatched to the newly inundated secndated section to rescue the endangered people

crevenue: Neita, Segoe Carrent, Elba, Rosa, Morrow, Palentto, the largest town in that section already is covered with warrenders. with water from ooe to two feet deep and will be flooded by the waters from the Odenburg break to a depth of from their store at Mt. Olive and secrefour to eight feet.

Most of the women and children had been taken out of that country. A de-cided surprise was accasioned today, when the backwater from the Atchfa lays entered the outlying section of contention of the creditors is that it Morgan City and at noon had reached a was a clever scheme to swin ile them depth of from 3 to 5 inches in some of the business streets.

More than 100 refugees from the country south of Odenburg reached Opelouses this afternoon Many of them expressed fears that the relief boats would not reach some of the ma-

rooned persons in time.

More than 150,000 refugees are now being fed and clothed by the army and

#### Took His Wife's Body From Tomb.

local relief committee.

Chicago, May 21.-At Naperville, hirty-five miles west of Chicago, Carl Hillegan, a wealthy business man, last night disinterred the body of his wife, as Farrah." The referee ordered Farwho died two works ugo, and in the darkness carried it to his home, one of the most pretentious in Naperville.

He stood guard with a loaded shotroute and special round trip rates from

It is said that the death of Mrs. Hillegan made her husband seriously itl. At the funeral he solbed that his wife

was being stolen from him. Sheriff Kuhn, of Bupage county was summoned by the Naperville marshal. It is said that he and his d. puties will wait until Hillegan falls from exhaustion before they attempt to subdue him

### NOTICE.

No. 1, Red Heart 5x20 Shingles," and all kinds of Shingles on head, Late us Mule, a good, nice and gentle work Horse. Al this for less. Lime a spec ialty; Rubber Brefing, good Paints s 60 cents per gallon. Will sell it all for less. Rooms furnished or unfurnished for light housekeeping. - See Big Hill the Old Reliable Shingle Man, office 153j South Front street. Phone 556 residence, for all kinds of Shingles.

### Bridgeton Democrates Elect Delegates

Bridgeton, May 21.-The Democrats of Bridgeton met last Saturday and elected Mesers Phomas Helton and D, H. Fleming as delegates to the county convention to be held on May 25. Owing to the fact that the date of the primary had been misunderstood there were only a few present. No endorsements were made.

Mrs. Susie Wissier, a widow, has been elected mayor of Dayton, Wyo., on the independent ticket. A majority of votes were cast by women

Vancebore, May 20th .- The Demo afternoon May 18th for the purpose electing delegates and alternates to

Mr. G. A. Whitford was chairman and presided over said meeting. A preciset executive committee, consisting of Dr. H. Johnson, W. C. Waite, N. B. Ipoek, B. R. Warren and

Upon motion of Mr. A. R. Whitford off every Democrat in good standing was oc-clerted a delegate to attend the county

Mr. N. M. Lau

W. Smallwood Money to

Decide Bankruptcy Case in Their Fa-

Goldaboro, May 22. - Quite a little ex-

itement was created here yesterday by the alleged attempt of a Syrian, E. J. W. Smallwood, referee in bankruptcy who is here to hear evidence relative to Farrah's petition in bankruptcy. E. J. Farrah and Corrie Farrah his wife, doing a merchandise business at Mt. Otive, filed a petition in bankruptcy some and live stock.

Besides to Odenburg and Woodside, which are already under water, the folnel W. Smallwood, of New Bern, presidays prior to filing this petition removted same at some place unknown to the witness. The goods which were hauled just been received by the firm, and the of their money, and they are praying the court to order Farrah and wife to produce the goods in question or their value in money. After hearing this evidence an adjournment was taken for dinner, and during this time Farrah approached Mr. Smallwood and drawing a large roll of bank notes from his ocket, amount not known, offered them to Mr. Smallwood to decide the matter in his favor. Mr. Smallwood indignantly refused the offer, and when he resumed the hearing at 2 p. m. he announced the facts to the attorneys. The attorney representing Farrah and wife immediately withdrew from the case saying to the court that they "refused to represent further such a man rah and wife to produce the \$6,000 of assets they had made way with and at the request of the attorneys for the creditors placed Farrah and his wife in hould give a bond of \$4,000 to remain within the jurisdiction of the court until the matter was settled. At a late hour tonight this bond had not been given, Mr. Smallwood was very fair to Farrah and his wife and seemed very reluctant to place them under arrest, and stated that he wished to give them very chance to do the right thing and that deepite Farrah's outrageous acsions as to offering the bribe he wished to give him all the assistance possible to straighten his affairs.

### After Train Robbers.

Hattiesburg, Miss., May 20,-Two nen, thought to be the robbers who ooted an express car on a New Orleans & Northeastern Railroad early Wednesday, of \$50,000, are hiding in a swamp near Laurel, Miss. Sheriff Bennett and his deputies left here this afternoon on a special train with bloodhounds to take up the trail.

Kentucky has discovered that she will have a surplus of twenty million gallons of liquor this year, What's getting the matter with the colonels, apy-

# WHITE OAK RIVER NOTES,

The weather is fine now and everybody is rushing their farm work, Miss Etta Smith, of Loco, spent Sat-

urday night and Sunday with Miss Aurora Collins, of this place. Mr. Frank Parsons and Miss Lyds Gooding will be married on the 22d of June, Mr. Stephen Howard will be be t man and Miss Alena Gooding, sister of the bride, maid of honor, We wish

them a long and happy life. Miss Maggie Carr spent Saturday ight with Mrs. Battle Colling, at

relcome visitor at Mrs. Mobiev Collins inday afternoon.

Mr. Curtis Howard and Mr. Ernest Conway, of Little Hell, were in our midst Saturday night and Sunday, Mr. Lewis Eubank, of Little Hell,

Mr. Johnnie Reuse, of near Pollocks iil, was here Sunday.

Mr. D. M. Parsons was a visitor her Master Percy Collins spent for tersoon with Master Hight Co.

Miss Bessie Lattleton visited Miss over Collins Saturday afternoon, D.