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Notice.

George Ipock has been appointed agent for the Journal at Ernul. He will receive and receipt for payments on subscription or advertising and is prepared to let not only the Ernul subscribers but many others in the same section including Vanceboro and Vanceboro R. F. D. 3 know how their accounts stand. If you have any business with the Journal call on Mr. Ipock.

THE TEXAS FEVER.

A map sent out by the United States Department of Agriculture shows the territory quarantined on account of the Texas fever of cattle. North Carolina is the furthest state north that has the Texas fever to any appreciable Agricultural Department.

There is a trace of it running North through the State from Macon county on the South to Surry county on the North, while a layer of counties four or five deep on the Eastern coast shows on the map in the red which indicates the quarantine. These are infested by the cattle tick which is responsible for the cattle fever. All of the counties in this section are yet under the quarantine and cattle cannot be shipped out of the section except under the strictest government regulations.

It is to be hoped that the State wide stock law or some other device that will accomplish the desired end will speedily be invoked to redeem this section of the State from the great industrial handicap of Texas fever. Steep raising on any thing like a large scale would seem to be impossible or certainly unprofitable until the beef in this section can pass muster as being as good as that raised in any other part of the country.

GOVERNMENT BY LAWYERS.

Governor Hadley of Missouri in a public address recently made stated the obvious truth that this is a government by the lawyers and always has been. Naturally a lawyer is more expert in making laws than the average person and making laws is a large part of the business of government. And then when it comes to constraining laws, of course the lawyer is in demand. Even in the executive branch of the government except in the smaller subdivisions, the lawyer is the dominant figure, more particularly now when our Governors are expected to exert a telling influence on the law making bodies.

As we have stated, the truth of Governor Hadley's statement is so patent a axiom to be a platitude. The lawyer runs the country. Vice-President Marshall, himself a lawyer, recently gave some "don'ts" for lawyers which lead to the conviction that there must be at all events a considerable number of lawyers whose code of professional ethics leaves something to be desired, though of course there are also many who do not follow any of the reprehensible practices that Mr. Marshall puts under the ban when he says:

- "Don't put a fee before a just cause."
- "Don't worship money to the extent of being willing to write a dishonest contract in order to get a large fee."
- "Be a peace maker; that is the lawyer's business."
- "Don't chase ambulances."
- "Honor your profession as your own sacred honor; therefore do not seek or confound litigation."
- "Don't accept contingent fees."
- "Use your influence against the system of allowing attorney's fees in advance in divorce cases; therein lies the evil of the divorce laws; when that has been abolished half the divorce cases will be stopped."
- "Use your influence to compel a person charged with crime to testify in the case; the innocent man cannot be harmed thereby."
- "Take the part of the known criminal, but only to see that justice is tempered with mercy."
- "Don't inquire as to your client's pocketbook before fixing your fee."

N.Y.T. OF THE FIGURE HEAD KIND.
Speaking of the work of Josephus Daniels as Secretary of the Navy, the *Charlottesville Observer* says: "The *Observer* takes occasion to say that since Mr. Daniels' induction into office the public has been gradually revising its estimate of his capacity. He is not the figurehead some had supposed he would be. He is proving an officer of observation and action. He is pulling the navy up to its hundredth anniversary and inspiring it with life and a realization of the fact that the country expects something more of it than mere ceremonial service. He is fitting all essential laws forward."

WHY BE IN POLITICS?

If a man is too proud to beg and too honest to steal, inquires the *Chicago News*, what business has he in politics? No business at all if he seeks only to profit directly in a pecuniary way out of politics. But he has great business in politics if he wants to do his duty as a citizen to the end that all the people may have the benefit of a government made better as a result of his honest and conscientious participation in the activities which underlie it.

NEWSPAPERS HARD HIT.

The firebug appears to have a special spite against the newspapers. Or if not the firebugs, providence, or the fortuity of circumstances, or what not that rules over such things. A week or so ago and the press generally was sympathizing with the Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch which sustained a costly fire. Last week the Lynchburg News was burned out; and Thursday the most serious and regrettable of all so far as North Carolina is concerned—the blaze which wiped out the Raleigh News and Observer plant.

CONVINCED ALREADY.

Representative Huelings of Pennsylvania, Progressive, discussing the Underwood tariff measure, says that if President Wilson could convince the people that the Democratic tariff views were right the Democratic party would remain in power for the next twenty years. As far as that goes, the President has already got the American people convinced. If he and his successors can keep them convinced the Democratic party with any sort of decent management should be able to put a forty-year lease over without any difficulty. And that would be gruelling on Mr. Hueling, now, wouldn't it?

The President appointed Judge Wood of South Carolina to succeed Judge Nathan Goff. Thus another chance to give a plum to Virginia is gone.—*Norfolk Ledger-Dispatch*.

Still the Ledger-Dispatch hasn't shown where the President owed Virginia anything.

The Raleigh News and Observer took long chances against the occurrence of a fire in its place of business. The loss as a result of Thursday's fire is estimated as being \$65,000 and the insurance is only \$28,000. Insurance agents should find in the experience of the Raleigh newspaper some fine talking points for the boosting of their business.

"If this social evil discussion goes much further somebody will move to cut vice out of Vice President", remarks an exchange, which we infer, thinks that the discussion is being carried to extremes. But the discussion ought to go on. The social evil exists and it exists on a large scale. It cannot be fought as it ought to be fought, that is, all along the line, if its existence and the extent of its existence are concealed.

For several days past reading matter and cartoons have been appearing in the Journal pointing out the dangers of the house fly and the methods of most effectually fighting the pest. This matter is furnished by the City Beautiful Club and is of course published without charge by the Journal, which is only too glad to co-operate in any undertaking looking to the better health of the community. We urge our readers to look for these articles and read them carefully.

WORLD WIDE MISSIONS.

The cause of worldwide missions receives a tremendous impetus in the bequest of a million dollars by the late William Chitney Borden of Chicago and China. The mother and sister of the dead man, who was himself a missionary, received nothing, but presumably they needed nothing as it is more than likely that they had become wealthy from the same source as he. The gospel is being rapidly carried to every creature. The leaders of the great movement for the evangelization of the world in a single generation were regarded as dreamers when seven years ago they announced their program. But the people are thinking differently of the undertaking now.

Montana Vs. North Carolina.

Senator Myers, of Montana, cussed a North Carolina elevator man in the Capitol at Washington. Senator was told to apologize or fight. No fight.—*Richmond Journal*.

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Personals

FRIDAY, APRIL 25.

H. B. Craven, superintendent of the New Bern Public Schools, returned last evening from a short visit at Washington.

Rabbi Mayerberg of Goldsboro spent yesterday in the city as a guest of Rev. H. A. Merfield.

Dr. G. A. Caton left last evening for a professional visit at Mansfield.

John Biddle of Fort Barwell returned home last evening after a visit in the city.

Jesse Claypoole left last evening for a two week's visit at Black Mountain.

SATURDAY, APRIL 26.

H. W. Simpson arrived in the city yesterday morning for a few days visit.

D. L. Ward left last evening for a professional visit at Richmond, Va.

J. M. Willis of Askin was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Dr. L. L. Dameron will leave this morning for Clinton for a few day's visit with relatives.

Hon. Leslie Davis of Morehead City was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

H. B. Parker of Goldsboro spent yesterday in the city. He was enroute home from a visit in Beaufort county.

A. F. Midyette of Oriental was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

H. L. Gibbs of Oriental spent yesterday in the city attending to professional business.

W. B. Blades returned last evening from a short business trip to Morehead City.

SUNDAY, APRIL 27.

Mrs. Ned Wallace of Morehead City passed through this city yesterday enroute home from Oriental where she has been teaching school.

H. A. Reel of Reelsboro was in the city yesterday attending to business matters.

Hugh Taylor left yesterday afternoon for a business and pleasure trip to Wilmington.

T. D. Wiley of Pamlico county was among the visitors here yesterday.

E. F. Miller of Norfolk, Va., arrived in the city yesterday for a business visit.

T. J. Rowe of Tuscarora was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

Carl Dixon of Olympia spent yesterday in the city with friends.

J. E. Hardesty of Havelock returned home last evening after a short visit in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hardison left last evening for a visit with relatives in Pamlico county.

J. L. McCotter of Grantsboro spent yesterday in the city.

E. A. Wood of Jacksonville was in the city last night on his way to Norfolk on a business trip.

J. H. Bell of Pollocksville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Miss Edna Johnson, manager of the local office of the Postal Telegraph Company, left last evening for a short visit at Morehead City.

Don Basnight left last evening for a visit with relatives at Bayboro.

Ned Delemar left last evening for a visit with his parents at Oriental.

Mrs. A. R. Ridgion and son Clarence left last evening for visit with relatives at Oriental.

Mrs. John Wetherington left last evening for a visit with relatives at Kinston.

J. F. Rawls of Alliance was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Miss Sadie Hollister left yesterday for a short visit with relatives at Beaufort.

A. D. Ward has returned from a professional visit in Lenoir County.

Mrs. Jane Meadows and daughter Mrs. E. H. Gorham returned yesterday from a visit at New York.

W. A. McIntosh returned yesterday from a business trip to Morehead City.

Dr. J. A. Duguid of Vanceboro was among the professional visitors in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Harris of Gilmerston, Va., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Hibbard.

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SCHOOL TEACHER DIED

Northern Lady Succumbs To Heart Disease At Swansboro.

The remains of Mrs. Sophia French who died at Swansboro on Friday morning, passed through the city yesterday afternoon enroute to Quincy, Mass., the former home of the deceased for interment.

Mrs. French was a member of the Unitarian denomination and for some time has been a teacher in a school at Swansboro which is under the supervision of this denomination. She had been ill for only a few days with a slight attack of heart disease and her death was rather unexpected.

The body was accompanied by Mrs. Addie E. Peterson, who is also a teacher in the school at Swansboro.

George W. Peck, of Milwaukee, who won a red carnation on an election day 25 years ago, has worn one every day since.

Every man must cut his own wisdom teeth.

Scoutari must have landed with a "Jill, skinnering thud," it had been falling on him.



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