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As if there were not enough trouble  
scattered around through the world,  
China is trying to produce another  
revolution.

John Sharp Williams suggests that  
the pages of the Congressional Record  
be enriched by the work of a first-  
class cartoonist. But what cartoonist  
would want his work buried like that?

A Chicago dispatch tells how Sec-  
retary Bryan entertained himself and  
four others at a midnight lunch costing  
forty-five cents. Have to give the  
Commoner credit for doing his best to  
live within that twelve thousand dol-  
lar income.

Even the Balkan States are beginning  
to appreciate the blessings of peace.  
Experience is a good teacher. After  
a little, the most war-like of these  
small, but very warlike, nations will  
be found accepting Mr. Bryan's peace  
pact.

The Journal acknowledges the re-  
ceipt of the premium list of the fifty-  
third State Fair. John A. Mills is pre-  
sident and Joseph E. Pogue, whose very  
name suggests the State Fair, is again  
Secretary. The list is very compre-  
hensive and the Fair will no doubt  
prove quite as great an attraction  
this year as it has always been.

As was expected by those who have  
kept up with the progress of events  
even moderately well, Progressives are  
voting for some of the sections of the  
Simmons-Underwood tariff bill. A  
number of Republicans of all factions  
have declared that they favored a  
revision of the tariff downward and now  
is the time for them to show whether  
they were in earnest or not.

**FIGHT AHEAD FOR BURLESON.**

Postmaster-General Burleson's plan  
to increase the size of Parcel Post  
packages transmissible through the  
mails and to carry them at lower rates  
is not to be carried out without con-  
siderable of a fight. The railroads  
say it would mean a tremendous loss  
to them and of course it would also  
hit the express companies hard. It  
is also claimed that the Postmaster-  
General exceeded his authority in  
ordering the changes complained of.

It seems that the Parcel Post up  
to this time has taken a class of business  
that the express companies did not care  
much for any way. Now it is proposed  
to take over the handling of a class of  
business that has been profitably  
both to the express companies and to  
the railroads which receive fifty per-  
cent of the pay received by the ex-  
press companies for the carriage of  
packages.

A bill has been introduced in the  
Senate to repeal the section of the  
Parcel Post law under which Mr.  
Burleson proceeded when he issued  
his order for an enlarged parcel post  
service, and all the indications are  
that the chief of the postal service  
has entered into a large sized contract.

**A REBUKE FOR HUERTA.**

President Wilson's decision that mu-  
nitions of war shall not be shipped  
from this country to either the Con-  
stitutionalists or the Federalists in Mexico  
was probably a wise decision though in  
the nature of the case with affairs  
in Mexico in such an unsettled con-  
dition one course with respect to it is  
about as apt to be right as another.

If other nations would follow suit  
and refuse to sell either faction in the  
war-torn republic the implements and  
supplies of war there might be real  
progress made in the direction of ef-  
fecting a cessation of hostilities.

Heretofore the sealing of arms to  
the Federalists has been permitted, but  
the rebels were not allowed the same  
privilege. It was claimed by the latter  
that this gave Huerta the one advantage  
needed to keep him in even the precari-  
ous position of nominal authority  
that he has enjoyed.

**A POPULAR RAILROAD PRES-  
IDENT.**

One of the wisest railroad men of this  
generation is W. W. Finley, president  
of the Southern. We do not know that  
he is very effective as a practical  
railroad man, but in the very important  
line of accelerating sentiment favor-  
able to the railroads and of doing it  
in such a way as not to be offensive,  
he has few equals in the  
whole country.

is a past master.  
The Southern used to be not over-  
popular. But under Mr. Finley it has  
outlived much of its unpopularity.  
One reason that he has made good  
is that he has been a great booster  
for the Southern, the portion of the  
country served by the Southern. One  
is just compelled to think well of a man  
when he is perpetually calling attention  
to the fine points of the country in  
which one lives.

Mr. Finley has also been wise in  
cultivating the newspapers. Some  
railroad men affect to move in a differ-  
ent sphere from that of ordinary man-  
kind, and far beyond and above the  
sphere in which the newspaper man  
moves. Mr. Finley has taken news-  
paper men into his confidence,  
has sought their aid and co-operation  
and has acknowledged their service  
to society, as witness his very sym-  
pathetic and cordial address at Asheville  
to the Press Association which was  
but of a piece with many other utter-  
ances of his.

The directors of the Southern did  
a good day's work for that road when  
they elected Mr. Finley president.

Senator Bristow alluding to Mr.  
Bryan asks: "Upon what meat doth  
this our Caesar feed?" Mr. Bryan has  
told them what he drinks, grape juice  
and now they are after his meat.

The Republicans in the Senate are  
going to find out, after a while, that  
the Democrats of that body have fully  
made up their minds on what they are  
going to do to the tariff and that  
they are going to do what they have  
decided to do. So far there has been  
gratifying unanimity of action on the  
part of the Democrats and there are  
no signs whatever that important  
differences of opinion are going to  
develop. Democrats who object to  
individual schedules will support the  
bill as a whole.

There are no rules for spelling pro-  
per names, and this old maxim has  
received much additional exemplifica-  
tion in the way some of our exchanges  
have handled the name of the new gen-  
eral passenger agent of the Norfolk  
Southern, Mr. Leard. This gentleman  
has been fairly conspicuous in railway  
circles for years, yet half the newspaper  
that carried the item of his appoint-  
ment, called him Laird. The incident  
probably shows that the bright young  
men who "do" the local for their  
papers don't keep very close tab on  
names beyond the immediate vicinity  
where they live and move and have  
their reportorial existence.

**GOOD TO THE SCRIBES.**

Score once more for the newspaper  
man as an especial object of solicitude  
on the part of President Wilson.  
John P. Murphy, of Knoxville, Tenn.,  
for years publisher of the Knoxville  
Mercury, has been appointed postmas-  
ter of the United States Senate. It is  
the opinion of a great many people  
that newspaper folk do more work  
for less pay than any other class of  
workers. President Wilson must belong  
to this class for he certainly does seem  
to be partial to the scribes. It is  
possible, however, that the fact that  
a brother of his was for years a hard-  
working writer for the Nashville Banner  
of Nashville, Tenn., explains his fond-  
ness for the representatives of the  
Fourth Estate.

**PROBABLY A HOAX.**

A dispatch from Knoxville, Tenn.,  
says:  
"Three children of Mr. and Mrs.  
John Cooper, of Townsend, Tenn.,  
were fatally bitten by rattlesnakes  
late yesterday and while Mrs. Cooper  
fought for them an infant she had placed  
near the bank of a stream fell into the  
water and was drowned."

This sounds very much like the dis-  
patch which was sent out from Green-  
ville, we believe it was, about a year  
ago, telling of a similar combination  
of fatalities alleged to have transpired  
in Craven county. We suspect that when  
the truth is known about this Tennes-  
see affair it will be found to exist  
only in the imagination of some not over  
scrupulous correspondent.

**A WORTHY UNDERTAKING.**

In helping along the anti-fly cam-  
paign the City Beautiful Club is doing  
a practical service that is of the highest  
value. The members of the Club should  
have the hearty co-operation of the  
public generally. The fly is a most  
active propagator of disease. Whoever  
impairs his capacity for producing  
sickness is a public benefactor.

Of course it is well understood that  
no matter how much the City Beautiful  
Club spends in prizes all the flies  
in New Bern will not be killed. But the  
more of the little pests that do get  
killed the better it will be for the com-  
munity.

The main benefit, however, from such  
a praiseworthy undertaking as that  
launched by the City Beautiful Club  
is the emphasis that it gives to the fact  
that the fly is exceedingly dangerous,  
and that persons who value the health  
of themselves and their families, and  
who want to save the expense of doctor's  
bills and to avoid the sorrows which  
death brings must be ever on their  
guard against the fly.

The anti-fly campaign will result in  
better and more effective screening  
against the fly now and hereafter  
and it will also have its direct and im-  
mediate results in the slaughter forth-  
with of several millions or more of one  
of mankind's most deadly foes. All  
success to it!

**SELECTING HUSBANDS AND  
WIVES.**

Dr. L. B. McBrayer, of Asheville,  
in an article in the current bulletin  
of the State Board of Health, in-  
quires of parents:  
"Father, mother, do you give as much  
attention to the selection of a husband  
by your daughter, or a wife by your  
son? Do you inquire as particularly  
into his or her ancestry, and into the  
physical condition of his or her being,  
as you do when you go to buy your  
hogs and horses and grain and flowers?  
If not, why not? If you do not, who  
is playing the fool? Is not the matter  
of raising children that are to be 'bone  
of your bone and flesh of your flesh,'  
as important a matter as planting an  
apple orchard or stocking your farm  
with cows and hogs? Don't you know  
that defects of mind or body are just as  
surely transmitted from parents to  
offspring as are defects in hogs, or  
cattle or fruits or flowers? It is true,  
anyway, whether or not you have  
ever stopped to think about it. And,  
thank God, the converse is also true.  
Strong characteristics are also trans-  
mitted in the same way. Strong men-  
tality, strong character, strong bodies,  
etc., are transmitted from parents to  
their children, just as the strong points  
in the hog or cow or fruit are trans-  
mitted to succeeding generations. Do  
you want your child to marry a person  
who, while apparently healthy, has in  
him a strain of insanity, feeble-minded-  
ness, or other defects of mind or body  
or character, and which defect is just  
as sure to crop out in his offspring  
as there is a God in heaven? If not,  
is it not time that you were giving  
this matter your most earnest consid-  
eration?"

An affirmative answer could be given  
to all of these questions without getting  
anywhere. All of those desirable things  
enumerated by Dr. McBrayer the fond  
parent covets, and covets eagerly.  
But parents are not consulted about  
these things. Young men and women,  
rightly or wrongly, usually settle  
these matters for themselves and often  
before parents know that anything un-  
usual is going on have themselves tied  
up irrevocably or at least supposedly  
so. They are the ones to whom the  
eugenicists ought to address their remarks  
the truthfulness of which no one can  
successfully deny.

**THE SCHOOL HOUSE AS A CIVIC  
CENTER.**

It is obvious that the schoolhouse  
is in most communities used only during  
certain hours of the day, those hours  
when the rest of the community is  
busily engaged in bread winning work.  
It occurred to the gentlemen who  
started this movement that inasmuch  
as the schoolhouses belonged to the  
community it was perfectly legitimate  
that the community should use them  
for its own entertainment and school-  
ing, when the young people were not  
occupying them; and that, therefore,  
it would be a good idea to have there  
all sorts of gatherings, for social pur-  
poses, for purposes of entertainment,  
for purposes of conference, for any  
legitimate thing that might bring  
neighbors and friends together in the  
schoolhouses. That, I understand it,  
in its simplest terms is the civic center  
movement—in short, where by meeting  
each other the people of a community  
might know each other, and by knowing  
each other might concert a common  
life, a common action.—Woodrow Wil-  
son.

**HOW A LITTLE AD. RECOVERED  
A BICYCLE.**

This little ad. was put in the Journal  
Thursday morning:  
**BICYCLE found.** Inquire of Marinda  
Chase, No. 60 Pavie avenue.

A few days previous, Joe Franks,  
drayman for the New Bern Grocery  
Company, had left his wheel in front  
of the store on South Front street.  
A little later when he went for it,  
it had disappeared. When his attention  
was called to the advertisement in the  
Journal he hastened to No. 60 Pavie  
avenue and there recovered his wheel.  
A son of Marinda Chase had found it  
in the colored baseball park.

**NEW BERN'S REPLY.**

**New Bern Accepts the Evidence and  
Many Journal Readers Will  
Profit by It.**

Which is the more weighty proof—a  
few words from a New Bern resident,  
whom we know and respect, or volumes  
from straggling distant towns? There,  
can be only one reply.  
Mrs. C. Pennington, 27 East Front St.  
New Bern, N. C., says: "I suffered ter-  
ribly from backache, and sharp  
shooting pains across my loins. Often  
I was so lame that I could hardly straight-  
en after stooping. I knew that my  
kidneys were disordered for the sec-  
onds were very unnatural. I used just  
one box of Doan's Kidney Pills that I  
got from the Bradham Drug Co., and  
this was sufficient to remove my aches  
and pains. Doan's Kidney Pills have  
been of greater benefit to me than any  
other kidney medicine I have ever tak-  
en." (Statement given January 24  
1908.)

**THE BENEFIT LASTED**  
Mrs. Pennington was interviewed re-  
cently and she said: "I can still recom-  
mend Doan's Kidney Pills, for they gave  
me permanent relief. You may con-  
tinue to publish my former endorsement  
of this remedy."

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**Personals**

**FRIDAY, JULY 25**

Edwin Richardson returned last evening  
from a business visit at Goldsboro.

Charles Humphrey, of Goldsboro,  
was among the business visitors in the  
city yesterday.

H. R. Bryan, Jr., returned last evening  
from a business visit at Raleigh.

M. L. Sultan spent yesterday at  
Kinston attending to business matters.

Rev. J. B. Phillips, pastor of the Tab-  
ernacle Baptist church, returned last  
evening from Augusta, Ga., where he  
has been conducting a revival meet-  
ing.

Z. V. Rawls, of Bayboro, was among  
the visitors in the city yesterday.

Mayor L. J. Moore, of Pollockville,  
spent yesterday in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. George N. Ives return-  
ed last evening to their summer home  
at Newport after spending the day in  
the city.

S. M. Brinson left last evening for  
Morehead City where his family is  
spending the summer.

Benjamin O'Neil, Sheriff A. H.  
Stephens and L. T. Smallwood, of  
Oriental, were among the visitors in  
the city yesterday.

H. A. Repl, of Reelsboro, spent yester-  
day in the city attending to business  
matters.

G. A. Jones, editor of the Snow Hill  
Square Deal, was in the city yesterday.

G. M. Mattocks, of Maysville, was  
a business visitor here yesterday.

J. F. Rawls, of Alliance, was in the  
city yesterday.

Miss Mary Rouse left yesterday  
morning for Kinston where she will spend  
a few days with relatives.

Col. James A. Bryan left yesterday  
for Washington, D. C., where he goes  
to attend to business matters.

George Green, Jr., left yesterday  
for a visit of several days at Beaufort.

Mrs. Z. V. Rawls, of Bayboro,  
spent yesterday in the city visiting  
friends.

Miss Mary Scott Monroe, of Golds-  
boro, is a guest at the home of Dr.  
and Mrs. N. H. Street, No. 18 John-  
son street.

**SATURDAY, JULY 26**

Col. P. M. Pearsall left last evening  
for Morehead City where he will spend  
several days.

Miss Grace Martin, of Wilson, is  
visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
T. D. Hewitt.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hancock left  
yesterday morning for Beaufort where  
they will make their home.

Mrs. J. Leon Williams left yesterday  
for Cedar Point where she will join a  
camping party for several days.

Stein H. Baanight left yesterday  
for Cedar Point where he will be a  
member of a camping party.

Thursday's Greenville Reflector says:  
Miss Alice Ward, of New Bern, came  
in Tuesday evening to visit Miss  
Annie King.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Hollowell have  
returned from a short visit with rela-  
tives at Beaufort.

Mrs. J. P. C. Davis and children  
left yesterday for a visit with rela-  
tives at Morehead City and Beaufort.

L. A. Mann, of Newport, was among  
the business visitors in the city yester-  
day.

Paul J. Delemar, of Oriental, spent  
yesterday in the city attending to  
business matters.

Charles Turner has returned from a  
visit with friends in Western North  
Carolina.

George Duncan, of Beaufort, returned  
home last evening after a business  
visit in the city.

H. L. Gibbs, of Oriental, was among  
the professional visitors in the city  
yesterday.

G. V. Richardson, of Dover, passed  
through the city yesterday en route  
to Askin for a short business visit.

T. J. Roberts left yesterday for a  
short visit at Vanceboro.

R. T. Wade, editor of the Morehead  
City Coaster and H. H. Hamlin, of  
Beaufort, passed through the city  
yesterday en route home from Ashe-  
ville where they attended the annual  
meeting of the North Carolina Press  
Association.

Miss Fannie Heptinstall, of Norfolk,  
Va., is a guest of her aunt, Mrs. George  
B. Waters, on Pollock street.

Master John and Little Miss Fay  
McDaniel of Clarks, are the guests of  
their uncle, Dr. E. G. Hargett.

Mrs. E. H. Gorham, of Morehead  
City, arrived in the city yesterday  
morning for a visit with relatives.

Miss Mary Parker left yesterday  
for a visit with relatives and friends  
at Pantego.

J. B. Blades went down to Morehead  
City last evening for a short visit.

Freeman S. Ernul, Sergeant R. P.  
Montague, Policeman E. H. Griffin  
and Hardy Whitford attended the pic-  
nic held yesterday near Askin.

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few days.

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public, without in any way im-  
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threshes and fans them all in one oper-  
ation. One man and two mules do  
the whole thing. We will have one in  
stock soon. Be sure to come and look  
it over. Picking your peas is a small  
matter now.

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