

French ships which are waiting for him, fout of active commission just for beverage purposes, as asked for as long as possible.

ber.

There's one law that the last Gen- ting through some very helpful and eral Assembly forgot to pass; a law needful legislation. The battle was which would save North Carolina editors from many an evil thought the temperance forces. I believe all and that was an act making it a fel- legisla ion would have been defeated and 70 per cent of the crop is now ony for a man to rush into a newspaper office, frantically shout "gimmeapsper" and then rush out just as frantically without even saying "muchobliged" for "thanksoldtop". Cf you. course its all right for a subscriber laws I am sure you will agree with who has failed to receive a copy me that we have made a long stride of his paper to call for the same or forward. even telephone to have it sent'aroun i

but the fellow who day in and day out atterly distegards the fact that it costs real money to publish a newspaper and who seems to take a dehight in getting his copy free of charge ought to be squelched.

MISS BARTLING LAID AT REST

sirable program.

for the victory.

everage liquor traffic."

wther outbreaks.

GARZA IN CHARGE

Tight Rein

Convention troops are now patrol-

simination with General Villa, who

eports that his military operation

Beautiful and Impressive Funeral Yesterday Afternoon

Sad but impressive ceremonies yesterday afternoon marked the last and rites over the remains of Miss Mable Bartling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Bartling who reside on Spencer avenue, Ghent, and who died while undergoing an operation at the Methodist Episcopal hospital. Philadelphia, Tuesday afternoon. In life this young lady had numbered her friends not by the score but by legions and in death they gathered to pay mute tribute to her memory and to drop a tear upon the snowy white casket, in which lay all that was mortal of such a true, christian baracter and to comfort and cheer mother and father, sister and brohers in their hour of trial and tri

The casket bearing the body was aken from the home to Centenary dist church a few minutes arevious to 4 o'clock and that edifice lled with friends of the family no had come to join in the mourn-

Enclid MeWhorter, pastor reh, conducted the coreisted by Rev. J. N. H. opening yesterday and today condi-tions are rapidly becoming normal. all of the Presbytorian ohu ever which Rey, McCher President Garza has been in comand he paid a most beautihute to her, as did Bev. Dr. scall. During the service a impressive vocal selection was the north are proceeding an

of liquo particularly strawberries are reported in very fine condition and present by the moral and church forces of indications are for an increased yield

the State, we were successful in get- Winter wheat and oats are also in good condition. Large shipments of horses are still being made to the a warm one and a victorious one for warring nations in Europe. Cotton is being marketed rather more freely by the Senate but for the active and believed out of the hands of the immeriate support given us by the growers. Building operations show church and pastors throughout the slightly more activity and the un-State, for which I desire to thank employed are more readily finding When you read the enclosed employment. Bank statements made in response to recent governmental calls as a rule show up well in comparison to former statements and "We have already served notice

there appears to be ample funds that this battle will continue until we for present business requirements have prohibited the receipt of liquor Some concession in rates are rein this State, and the work will go on ported on prime commercial paper. until the last blockade distillery is The rediscounts at the local Federa destroyed and national prohibition is Reserve Bank show a steady increase enacted; and I ask your constant and Retail trade is fair, showing a slight continued support and the support of st mulus from approach of the spring your church that the Anti-Saloon Collections continue slow STOSSOTT: League may carry forward this de-"I feel that a day should be set

"I feel that a day should be set apart to give thanks to God for the FISHERMEN REBEL victory we have won, and, after ad AGAINST NEW LAW vising with our central committee we ask that on Sunday, March 28, the last Sunday before the law be utes to tell your congregation someruly and the Law thing about these three laws, and Takes A Hand then, in prayer, give thanks to God

"We also request that you give your people an opportunity of making a cash contribution to help wipe out our indebtedness of \$955.83. 1 am sure that there are some members in every congregation who would like to contribute 25 cents, 50 cents of \$1.00 for this purpose, and we want them to have the opportunity "Yours for extermination of the were made friends of the fish law and assistant manager. Walter Weaver,

law in the channel of the inlet; had town. While thus occupied Magisrefused to remove them at the request | trate Gillespie was appealed to. of the deputy fish commissioner and defied him to remove them. Mr. LeRoy hastened to the seene of dis- halt. As the magistrate approached Provisional President Garza resumed turbance and by persuasion and ap- Edward Blankinship trouble began,

their nets out of the prohibited areas. arrested and lodged in Pocahontas ing the city and no gatherings are Expecting trouble and determined to jail. permitted. Business houses began enforce the law at any cost, he had the sheriff of Dare county, A. H.

the services of the county officer

W. C. Willett, returned last night ioners which was held here yester

ton.

charges against Postmaster Briggs, charges that did not affect his tenure of office.

Other Charges The department of state today chartered the Southland Farm and Real Estate and Exchange with \$3,000 of the \$50,000 capital paid in. The home office is in Dunn and P. S. Cooper. R. 'O. Townsend and J. Lloyd Wade are the incorporators. The Cherokee Chemical Company, of Andrews, Cherokee county, with school \$300 of its capital paid in \$100.000 authorized, is chartered by Edward

K. Slagle, D. S. Russell and John Leach of Andrews.

In Consequence Notorious

"Bad Man" Is

Slain

J. G. Delamar returned last night

C. J. Heath, of Ernul, attended

TRIED TO SHOOT

charge of the body and, according to his statement on the stand, made The following written by B. H. every effort possible to dispose of Thompson, of Aurora, and published the dead man in the usual way.

in this week's issue of The Progres-After the body had remained out sive Farmer, contains interesting facts of the ground for 55 hours Scarborough says he told the woman and that should be read by every farmer in this section. It gives several her mother that he could dispose of it to the medical school at Chapel reasons why the farmer should co-Hill. He told her what this meant Agricultural fairs: and she consented to have the under-"Does an agricultural fair pay a taker sell the body to the medical farming community? Fifteen years

Interstate Secretary Wilson, of the ago the Aurora section established Y. M. C. A., is in the city for the a stock law. There was a few farmto raise \$3,500 which is necessary to stock, but very little headway was defray the expenses of the association made. Six years ago Beaufort Counfor the coming year.

UP VIRGINIA TOWN THE TITANIC CASE home disgusted. **BOBS UP AGAIN**

> New York, March 18-Attorneys a subscription of \$5 each, to run five for Titanic claimants won an importvears and got 80 subscribers, and

Boissevain, Va., March 18-Ed- ant point in their fight to collect damsome of them were business men from the town of Washington. We ward Blankinship, a farmer living ages from the White Star line today have had our fair for four years and about a mile from here, one of a when Judge Augustus N. Hand of the still have money in our treasury. We quartet alleged to have attempted to United States District Court signed an charge 25 cents admission and give shoot up" the town, was shot and order allowing one of the claimants, killed last night by Magistrate George Gilbert M. Tucker, to withdraw from Gillespie. Charles Yates, another the proceeding here and start suit in member of the quartet, was wounded. England.

While Edward Blankinship was dy-Practically all the other judges of Elizabeth City, March 18-State ing on the operating table he called on the United States District court have Fish Commissioner J. H. LeRoy has his brother Charles to avenge his refused to sign similar orders on the just put down in a tactful and peace- death, thus starting another mount- ground that the claimants by filing their demands for reimbursement in

Edward Blankinship, with his the United States District Court law to occur this season. He handled brother Charles, and Thomas and have made themselves defendants the case so discretely that what Charles Yates, came to town armed in the proceeding here and therefore cannot withdraw until it is concluded. In the proceeding in the federal courts the White Star line is seeking to limit its monetary responsibility for the sinking of the Titanic. under the fish commissioner, whose duty it to step outside. This the manager the United States admiralty law, to is to enforce these laws. refused to do. The quartet then went the value of the wreckage recovered A band of fishermen at Hatteras outside, firing their guns along the and the freight and passenger moneys taken by the owners of the ship on its last trip. This would amount to about 97,000 to be distributed The men were about 300 yards pro rata among persons holding from him when he ordered them to about \$12,000,000 worth of claims. The claimants contend that the line is responsible for the full amount of the damage, inasmuch as the sink-The Yates brothers escaped in the ing of the ship was due to the neglimountains. Charles Blankinship was gence of its officers. The advantage of allowing claim

ants to sue in England lies in the fact that should the court here uphald the 700 pounds at 15 months old. right of the line to a limitation of it liability the British courts would al-

low them a greater pro rata share. The English law, based on the tonnage of the wrecked vessel, would hold the line liable to about \$3,000-

perience There

Bids will be opened on the first Monday in April being April 5%h, 191. Mail bids to the County Auditor. New Bern, N. C.

J. F. ROBINSON

Seed Potatoes--- H. operate with the business men in the Sultan Co., 30 Middle St., Phone 755

WANTED-A live responsipurpose of aiding the local association ers who began to improve their ble man to represent us in Craven and adjuining counties, in selling monuty held its first fair at its county seat ments and all kinds of Washington, and this community was well represented. There was so little cemetery work. We have a interest manifested by the business good proposition for the men of Washington we all returned right man. Address with references, OWEN BROS. "Instead of depending on Washing-MARBLE & GRANITE CO. ton for a fair therefore we decided to have one in this section. We started Greenwood, S. C.

IN MEMORIAM

about \$500 each fair for premiums. Please allow me space to announce "This fair started a rivalry on stock. the death of Mrs. Mary Ann Donerpoultry and farm products, the good son, the young wife of Mr. Van Donderived from which will never be erson, who departed from this life told. Visitors at our fairs seeing the of sorrow, October the fifteenth 1914. fine quality of eorn and farm pro-She was sixteen years, six months, ducts give us a market at home. and twenty eight days old. "There have been several thousand

She suffered greatly for about two bushels of corn sold here on board weeks before she died. All was done cars for market price, saving all for her that loving hands could do. freight. The demand for hogs and but the Lord saw best and isa d poultry is wonderful, and we obtain "Come up higher." So we hope she fancy prices. We saw such great imis resting in the arms of Jesus. She provement by having good stock, we leaves a husband, one shild, a dear were determined to see what could father and mother, four brothers. be done on the hog alone. There was one sister and a host of relatives and a hog club of five farmers organized friends to mourn their loss, but we the first year to try a pair of pigs, mourn not as those who have no each to see how little they cost and hope for we know she is sweetly resthow much they could be made to ing in the arms of Jeaus. She number this year. There have been kind and loving and was loved by L. M. Bonner's beat as to age, his three weighing 1,370 pounds, heaviest Bethany. A precious one from us 540 pounds, B. H. Thompson beat in weight but not in age, weighing 556 pounds. We are convinced that by having good green pastures 10 Tis hard to break the tondar courd Tis hard to break the tender cord months in the year for our hogs that

months in the year for our hogs that when love has bound the heart, tis we can make them weigh from 600 to hard, so hard, to speak the words, we must forever part. Dearest loved one we must lay thee in the peaceful

J. E. Daugherty, of New Bern, R. grave's embrace, but thy memory F. D., returned bome last night after will be cherished, 'til we use thy spending the day in the city site nd- Heavenly face. God bless and ing a special meeting of the County fort all and may they for to hor, is the prayer of a lovi

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comes effective, you take a few min- Pasquotank Men Get Un-

ful manner the first rebellion against ain fued in this section. the enforcement of the state fish threatened to be a serious situation with rifles and revolvers. The men at Hatteras quietly passed off and are alleged to have entered the store the offenders were won over into vol- of Pocahontas Consolidated Colliers untary compliance with the law ans Company, where they demanded the

Merican Swears He'll Hold A had set their pound nets contrary to main road which goes through the Mexico City, March 18 .- Martial law was proclaimed here today. Order has been completely restored since

is office, but he intends to hold a peal to their sense of honor as law- resulting in the fatal shooting. tight rein in order to prevent any ableing citizens prevailed upon them to comply with the law and take

Davenport, to accompany him, but from a short business visit to Kins

were not needed.

from a few days visit to Hyde county, day,