

This I reckon to be success in life—fitness—perfect adaptation. I hold him successful, and him only, who has found us conquered a position in which he can bring himself into full play. Success is perfect or partial, according as it comes up to, or falls below, this standard.—Gail Hamilton.

We suggest that the head of the Russian Line Pierced" and also that of "German Loses Heavy" be kept standing. It will at least save a lot of unnecessary labor on the part of the compe who has charge of that end of the work.

Ex-Senator Marion Butler, in New York, gives out an interview in which he says that he sees success for the Republicans in North Carolina during the approaching elections. Marion has seen that same success looming ahead so often that it sounds like history every time that he repeats it. After the election he will again resume his occult demonstration.

If the Craven county Board of Commissioners can see their way clear to donate a sum of money to be used in preventing typhoid fever in this city, we believe that it will prove a paying investment. They now have this matter under consideration and if possible they should act favorably upon it.

Somebody around this town is either furnishing a lot of free gasoline or else a bunch of car owners who owe money to nearly everybody in the city are a bunch of liars. These men declare that they have no money when called on to pay their bills. Yet they manage to joy ride a goodly portion of every day.

Tonight the recently re-elected members of the Board of Aldermen and the one new member will be inducted into office and will fill the appointive offices. Rumor has it that there are to be several changes made and interest in these quite and this is the fact that rife and a large audience will be on hand to hear and witness the proceedings. The Board plan to do some great work during the approaching term of office and their entire regime will be watched with interest.

We have never felt like whooping up and howling about a "safe and sane Fourth" as far as the discharging of a few fireworks is concerned but when it comes down to a question of these toy balloons that sail about in the air for a while and then fall on some roof and set a building on fire, then we believe it is time to say something. Do away with the toy balloons and the sky rocket also and two of the greatest menaces to life and property will have been put out of the way.

LIKES STOCK LAW

Editor Journal:

I was glad to read the stock law letter from our friend Mr. O. H. Perry. He takes the right view and gives the good reason why we should have stock law. His letter is not trying to intimidate anyone, but simply gives plain facts. The day is not far distant when the ticky beef will fall flat for the want of a demand. The housekeepers of the towns are beginning to sit up and take notice of ticky beef. Many families have already cut it out. We are willing to pay more money for better beef.

A. L. W.

The fellow who shot J. P. Morgan declares that he didn't intend to hurt the money king. Seems to us that he was going about keeping from doing so in a mighty strange way.

One writer declares that a man in debt has a mill-stone around his neck. That may be so, but there are a lot of people around this town who are not letting the mill-stone worry them any.

ADDITIONS ARE TO BE MADE TO COURT HOUSE

Board of County Commissioners Now Have Plans in Their Possession. To Meet Next Monday and Decide What Will Be Done.

Plans for additions to the Court House have been drawn by Robert F. Smallwood, and were submitted to the Board of County Commissioners yesterday for approval. The plans were not accepted at this meeting, but the matter was referred to a recess meeting of the Board which will be held Monday, July the twelfth, and it is very probable that with one or two changes, they will be accepted at this meeting and the contract for the work let at an early date.

The Changes
The changes as made in the drawings of Mr. Smallwood, will be a forty foot addition to the North end of the building. A hallway will extend the full length of the extension on the first floor and on either side of this will be a large room, which will be constructed as fire proof vaults to be used by the Clerk of the Court and the Register of Deeds. Doorways will be made in the wall to each of the vaults in the present offices for entrance to the vaults. There will also be improvements made to the Sheriff's office, which includes the cutting of another entrance into the room. The extension to the second floor will be utilized as consultation, jury and rest rooms.

Grand Jury Recommends
The Grand Jury at every term of Craven Superior Court for several months have been recommending that changes be made and that the Clerk of the Court in particular be given more adequate room for the work of this office, but no action was taken until the June meeting of the Board when Mr. Smallwood agreed to make plans subject to the approval of that body.

PROTECT PRESIDENT FROM THE CRANKS

Every Precaution Taken to Safeguard Woodrow Wilson

Washington, July 5.—No information concerning the time of the President's return to Washington from Cornish will be given until he is actually here. This is a precautionary measure to protect the President from cranks.

Definite proposals looking toward an agreement of Villa with Carranza will be framed here before the end of the present week. It is learned on unquestionable authority. Lombardo, the Villa secretary of foreign affairs, will be here tonight to push the negotiations. It is declared the matter is being hastened on account of the fear of American intervention.

The final link in the chain of evidence proving that Holman, who planted the bomb in the capitol, was welded today when the police found the room in which he stopped. The landlady identified the photograph of Holt.

3 NEGROES SHOT BY GEORGIA MOB

Two are Missing—Charged with Murder of White Farmer

Macon, Ga., July 5.—Three negroes are known to have been shot to death by a mob last night near Round Oak and Wayside, two villages about 30 miles from here, and authorities today began a search for others who are missing.

Telephone wires leading to the villages were cut, and news of the lynchings did not become known here until early today when sheriff's deputies arrived with three negroes who were being held in connection with the killing of Silas Turner, a young farmer, whose death precipitated the outbreak of race feeling.

Turner went yesterday to the home of H. W. King, a negro, near Round Oak, to collect a bill from one of several other negroes who were there. A dispute resulted during which the farmer was shot with a pistol. The negroes then fled.

Turner's body was found later by friends, who were searching for him. Plans were made to avenge his death, and according to the sheriff's deputies, fully five hundred persons composed the mob. The three negroes brought here gave their names as Will Gordon, Squire Thomas and Scott Farrar. All deny that they had any connection with Turner's death. They were found by the officers before the mob learned their whereabouts.

Frank Perry left yesterday morning for a business visit to Washington, N. C.

FERTILIZER MEN TO MEET IN VA.

New Bern Will Probably Be Represented at Gathering

The 22nd annual convention of the National Fertilizer Association and the tenth annual meeting of the Southern Fertilizer Association, during the week beginning July 12, will be largely attended, and it is probable that there will be a number of fertilizer men from New Bern in attendance. The program has a number of interesting features including several addresses by prominent experts in this industry.

The Southern Fertilizer Association will meet Monday, July 12th. The Soil Improvement Committee of the Southern Fertilizer Association will also meet Monday, July 12th. The National Fertilizer Association will hold meetings on Tuesday and Wednesday, July 13th and 14th. Thursday, July 15th, will be devoted to the annual Golf and Tennis tournament of the association.

The Middle West Soil Improvement Committee of the National Fertilizer Association will hold meetings on Friday and Saturday, July 16th and 17th. Practically the entire week will be devoted to the discussion of all the important factors that make for a larger average yield per acre of better crops.

The speakers and the subjects of their addresses are as follows: Mr. Gustav Jerick, Cincinnati, Ohio—President's annual address. Mr. W. H. Bowker, Boston, Mass.—"The Relation of the Fertilizer Industry to Agricultural and Industrial Development of the Country." Mr. Charles H. McDowell, Chicago, responded to Mr. Bowker.

Hon. Myron T. Herrick, ex-Governor of Ohio, and former United States Ambassador to France—"The Need of Rural Credits." Mr. J. Rice Smith, Augusta, Ga., will respond to Mr. Herrick.

Dr. R. J. H. DeLoach, Director of Georgia Experiment Station—"The New Responsibility of the Fertilizer Industry." Prof. W. L. Jones, Jr., State Chemist of Indiana—"Fertilizer Control Laws and their Administration." Mr. Charles G. Wilson, Richmond, Va., will respond to Prof. Jones.

Prof. Henry G. Bell, Chicago—Illustrated lecture: "Science and Soil." The entertainment committee have arranged a novel and interesting program, so that the lighter side of life social frivolity, won't be neglected—but at the same time won't be overworked.

There will be a large number of ladies in attendance, as they have always been an important factor in the meetings of the association, and have added very much to the pleasure of the occasion.

Everybody in any way interested in the fertilizer industry, directly or indirectly, whether his company is a member of the association or not, will receive a cordial welcome.

LARGE SHIPMENT OF ROCK TO CAPE

Thirty and Forty Carloads Pass Through New Bern Daily

The force of men working at the quarry at Neverson where the rock for use in the construction of the breakwater at Cape Lookout is being mined, are losing no time now in getting the rock into the cars and between thirty and forty are each day being sent to Morehead City and from there it is being transported to the Cape in barges. This work is proving of real interest to the hundreds of summer visitors at Morehead City and Beaufort and there are excursion trips to the Cape nearly every day. The men in charge of the work at Morehead City have become familiar with all details of it and are handling their end in a very satisfactory manner.

AMERICAN STEAMER ARRIVES IN PORT

The St. Louis Had a Most Exciting Voyage Across

Berlin, July 5.—The American colony here made a two-day affair of the Fourth of July celebration. About 300 Americans attended Consul General Lay's reception in the Esplanade of his hotel.

Sudden changes in the plans for delivery of the German reply to the American note remained a mystery. Foreign office officials declared that the delivery is now indefinite. They refused to give a reason for the postponement. Ambassador Gerard refused to talk. He said he sent an explanatory cable to Washington.

MORGAN'S WOUNDS WILL NOT PROVE TO BE SERIOUS

Bulletins Given Out Yesterday by Physicians Were Encouraging

WHO IS HOLT?

Believed That Man Who Fired Shots Is a German

Glen Cove, L. I., July 5.—A physician's bulletin at 10 o'clock tonight stated: "Fetters passes a most restful night. Temperature and pulse normal; general condition favorable; practically out of danger." Young Morgan would not add anything, but appeared to be most optimistic when the doctor made the announcement.

Denies He's Muentzer
Mincola, L. I., July 5.—Holt, Morgan's assailant, today flatly denied that he is Erich Muentzer, former Harvard professor, who disappeared nine years ago, following the poisoning of his wife. The police are not accepting Holt's statement. They are making an investigation of his whole life.

Dr. Plaghorn, the jail physician, said he is convinced Holt is insane. He said he thought overstudy had upset his mind.

If Holt is well enough he will be returned to Glen Cove for a preliminary hearing tomorrow.

Police Plan
Boston, July 5.—Should the injuries of J. P. Morgan not prove more serious than at present reported, the Cambridge police will try to bring Holt to Cambridge and prove that he is Erich Muentzer, former instructor at Harvard and Radcliffe, who fled from Cambridge nine years ago, after the mysterious death of his wife.

This statement was made to a press representative today by Chief Inspector Hurlley of the Cambridge police department. He said he is almost positive Holt is Muentzer, from comparing photographs and descriptions.

FIRST SOLDIERS TO CAMP GLENN

Company I of the North Carolina National Guard, of Edenton, N. C., passed through New Bern last night enroute to Camp Glenn where they will pitch their tents for their ten days annual encampment. Two extra coaches were attached to the train from Norfolk for the accommodation of this company. The cars were transferred to the East bound train here.

The other eastern companies will pass through the city today for the camp. Special trains will be operated from Goldsboro and Wilson this afternoon, and by tomorrow Camp Glenn will be alive with tents.

THE SULTAN OF TURKEY DEAD?

Athens, July 5.—Rumors that the Sultan of Turkey is dead gained wide circulation today. It is reported that the young Turks are suppressing the news bearing upon political disorder. The Sultan underwent an operation for gall stones several days ago. Reports that his condition was critical reached London Saturday night.

OIL STEAMER HAS BEEN SUBMARINED

London, July 5.—The oil steamer, "Ptery Cross," from Philadelphia to Havre, France has been submerged.

TO WED SOON

Hamlet Man to Take Bride in Pamlico

The Journal acknowledges the receipt of the following invitation: Mr. and Mrs. James Spruill request the honor of your presence at the marriage of their daughter Bertha Elizabeth, to Mr. Joseph Bunyas Bryan on Wednesday, the twenty-first of July, One thousand nine hundred and fifteen, at one o'clock, at home, Oriental, North Carolina.

BRITISH STEAMER LIMPS TO PORT

Queenstown, July 5.—The British steamer Anglo-Californian, of 7,300 tons, is proceeding into this port with a van of her crew dead and many injured. The vessel was attacked and held by a German submarine. She escaped from a torpedo.

B. E. RICE BELIEVES GOOD TIMES NEAR

Says Norfolk Southern Plans Great Future for the Future

B. E. Rice, legal and industrial agent of the Norfolk Southern Railway Company, spent last night in the city enroute home from Beaufort where he had been to secure some data to be used by a company who propose to put through a big colonization deal in that section. Speaking of general conditions Mr. Rice stated that the Norfolk Southern Railway Company has in sight at the present time more colonization prospects than ever before in its history and that he is expected there to see the end of the European war in sight before they buy land" said Mr. Rice, "but in the meantime they are looking around and getting suitable places located and when the proper time comes they are coming to North Carolina." Mr. Rice made the remark that the people living in the West are rapidly learning of the vast riches which North Carolina contains for the man who is progressive and that they are anxious to get to this section and are coming here just as soon as possible. The Norfolk Southern Railway Company is doing a great work along this line and are receiving the hearty support of the people of the State.

'O GOD, I DIDN'T WANT WAR PRAYS KAISER

Amsterdam, July 5.—A dispatch from Berlin says that during a recent visit of the Kaiser to the western front, in a neighborhood where many of the German soldiers had been killed, the Emperor alighted from his horse and knelt on the ground where he uttered a prayer. Rising, he said: "Oh, God, I did not want this war."

BERT TOLSON AND MISS MOORE WED

Swansboro, July 5.—A pretty home wedding, with a few friends and relatives present, was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George E. Moore Saturday morning at 5:30, when their daughter, Miss Mildred became the bride of Mr. Bert A. Tolson. Mr. and Mrs. Tolson left immediately for Norfolk.

SENATOR SIMMONS TO MAKE A SPEECH

Will Address the Masons On Night of July 14th

Senator F. M. Simmons and other prominent men will make addresses at the regular communication of St. John's Lodge No. 3, A. F. and A. M., on the night of July 14th.

The following is the complete program arranged for the occasion: 8:00 p. m.—Regular communication; Installation of officers by J. T. Alderman, past grand master, North Carolina.

9:00 p. m.—Banquet in Lowthrop Hall; music by St. John's quartette; short talks by P. G. M. J. T. Alderman, Senator F. M. Simmons, Judge O. H. Guion, Judge S. C. Bragaw, Supt. B. M. Brinson, and other members present.

SECRETARY DANIELS HERE SHORT TIME

Head of the Navy Enroute From Morehead City to Capital

Secretary of the Navy, Joseph Daniels, spent a short while in New Bern yesterday afternoon enroute to Washington, D. C., from Morehead City where last Saturday he delivered an address at the celebration held there commemorating the one hundred and thirty-ninth anniversary of the Declaration of Independence.

Secretary Daniels was looking exceptionally well and stated that his brief stay at the seashore had done him great good. He stated that he was returning to the capital to attend to important business and that he would return to Morehead City in about two weeks and spend several days there.

Mrs. Daniels and two sons, who accompanied the secretary to the Carteret town, will remain there until his return.

SAYVILLE USES A SECRET CODE

New York, July 6.—The Evening World today declared that United States censorship of the Sayville wireless station is being evaded by the use of a secret code system invented by Dr. I. Kiteev of Philadelphia.

S. L. Harris returned last night from a few days visit to Norfolk, Va.

AMERICANS IN BERLIN JOYFUL

New York, July 5.—The American steamer St. Louis arrived here today from Liverpool. She was escorted down the English Channel by two torpedo boat destroyers.

Aboard the St. Louis was D. A. Thomas, the British coal magnate, who comes to supervise the production in America of war munitions for the Allies.

The two destroyers remained with the St. Louis two days and nights, it was said, and did not leave her until the war zone was cleared.

Mr. Thomas was met at the pier by Sir Cecil Spring-Rice, the British ambassador, and Willard D. Straight of the firm of J. P. Morgan & Company. One of Mr. Morgan's yachts was at the pier ready to take Mr. Thomas and his party aboard.

"I have come to America prepared for an indefinite stay," Mr. Thomas said. "I may stay till the end of the war, and I do not know how long that will be. It looks as if the war might last a long time. But no matter how long it lasts, there can be but one ending—Germany must be defeated."

"My business in the United States and Canada is to co-operate with Mr. Morgan's firm and firms in Canada in the purchase of war munitions for England. In this connection I want to say that there has been no criticism of the manner in which Mr. Morgan has fulfilled his contracts. What criticism there has been was chiefly in Canada, and was to the effect that Canada had not been favored so much in the award of contracts as the United States."

Mr. Thomas said he did not care to comment on the latter subject. His immediate plans he added, were not yet ripe for publication, but embraced a trip to Canada within the near future.

News of the attempt to assassinate J. P. Morgan had been received aboard the ship.

"It gave us all a feeling of nervousness," Mr. Thomas said.

ONCE AGAIN THE INNESSES INDICTED

Now Charged With Using the Mails to Defraud

Atlanta, July 6.—Victor E. Innes and his wife, Mrs. Ida Innes, now in jail in San Antonio fighting extradition to Georgia were indicted today by the United States Grand jury in the Federal building on a charge of using the mails to defraud Mrs. Eloise Nelms Dennis. Warrants were drawn and placed with the marshal's office and will be sent at once to Texas to be served.

Several days last week the Grand Jury heard from Mrs. John W. Nelms, mother of the missing girls, Beatrice and Eloise. This evidence had been in the possession of the authorities for months, but until now was never put in the proper shape for action. It concerns certain letters alleged to have been written by Innes to Mrs. Dennis asking for money for fraudulent investment. These letters are said to have been seen by witnesses, but have disappeared, and because of the fact that they could not be found the Government was slow to proceed.

The indictments mean that after the Georgia State charge of larceny after trust is disposed of the Inneses can be handled in the Federal Court, provided they are defeated in their fight for a writ of habeas corpus before the United States Supreme Court and do not fight extradition under the new charge. Innes and his wife were indicted by the Fulton County Grand Jury on a charge of larceny after trust in handling funds of Mrs. Dennis. They applied to the Texas Supreme Court for a habeas corpus writ, but the petition was denied. Similarly the Texas Court of Appeals denied the petition, and it was carried to the United States Supreme Court, which adjourned without deciding and will not meet again until October.

In the meantime the Inneses appealed to the Federal Supreme Court for a special hearing to obtain bail. The court refused bail and the pair must stay indefinitely in jail.

A case charging murder, filed in the Texas courts, was nolle prossed for want of evidence, and attention was turned to the Georgia case charging larceny after trust. Now the authorities will make every effort to bring Innes and his wife to Atlanta under the latest charge against them.

Mrs. Nelms and her son, Marshall Nelms, worked several months with the postoffice inspectors and the Department of Justice before she was successful in getting the matter before the Grand Jury.

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CROP REPORTS ARE VERY ENCOURAGING

Farmers in Craven, Pamlico and Carteret Are Optimistic

Loading farmers from several sections of Craven, Carteret and Pamlico counties who have been interviewed in regard to crop conditions in these sections and their reports are most glowing. Pamlico county has had a record breaking season in its Irish potato crop and hundreds of carloads of the tubers have been sold. Carteret county has done well with the potato also and with cabbage and Craven has had large crops of both. In speaking of the probable amount of cotton that will be taken from the fields, it is the general assertion of the farmers that the crop this season will be at least twenty-five per cent smaller than that of last year. Much of the land that was last year put in the fleecy staple has this year been devoted to the growing of tobacco and the indications are that the crop this year will be the largest in the history of these three counties. Anticipating this, a new tobacco warehouse is being erected here to take care of the increased business and to give the farmers ample market facilities.

Adjutant General Lawrence W. Young, and Captain J. J. Bernard, of Raleigh, passed through the city last night enroute to Camp Glenn where they will remain while the Second Regiment of the North Carolina National Guards are in camp. Captain Bernard is an officer of the Third Regiment and not the second, but he is attending this encampment as a Statistician officer.

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UNDERTAKER

situated at Vanceboro and with two elegant hearses, I am prepared to serve funerals at shortest notice north of New Bern. I carry on hand at all times coffins caskets and vaults in sizes and kinds to fit from infant to giant. costing from \$25 to \$175. No charge for hearse when the job is \$25 or over.

D. W. Coppage, Vanceboro, N. C.

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