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Entered at the post office in Ne whern N. C.second-class mail matte part of May.

. . . . . . . . there was the usual curious crowd ۰. • A THOUGHT FOR THE DAY • The prisoner, at the appointed hour,

Of the felicities, the most charming is that of a firm and " genetle friendship. It sweet- " ens all our cares, dispels all \* our sorrows, and counsels us \* in all extremities. Now, if \* there were no other comfort ' " in it than the base exercise \* of so denerous a virtue even \* for that single reason a man \* would not be without it; it \* is a soverign antidote against \* all calamities even against " the fear of death iteslf .-- " \* Seneca.

Too much credit can be traced tions of a warning to the members back as the cause of many a man's of the younger generation. He asid downfall.

. . . . . . . . .

No, Geraldine, just because a it necessary for a man from that young woman is interested in pyro- county to die in the chair for murgraphy is no reason that she is fond der, but declared that his deed of pie.

Reports from Boston are to the effect that a bean famine in imminent in that city. Sort of a case of nota bene.

"All is not gold that glitters" raved the philosopher. Naw, and every time you see some fellow dolled star witness for the state, his tesup in the latest togs that is no rea- timony including an alleged confesson that they are paid for.

The Virginia wife who entered suit ing of the merchant. He said for divorce after twenty-two years that he was in need of money for of married life on the grounds that medicine, but that he had no idea her husband had given her only two of killing Mr. Mann. His evidence dresses in this period, certainly could was practically the same as his connot be accused of acting hastily in fession. jumping into the courts.

Those chaps who are anxious to the electrocution occurred today, Bell



at Raleigh

merchant, Bell, colored, is from

Durham. He was sentenced by

Assembled in the death chamber

was brought in by Warden T. P.

Sale, after the necessary arrange-

ments had been made, such as test-

THE DEATH PENALTY Washington, July 8-Gonzales' Carranzistas were within ten miles of Mexico City, according to State De- At Least There Were Sev-

Colored Man From Durham partment advices. It is inferred that the Zaptistas have been defeated or Electrocuted Yesterday have withdrawn from the capital. It is reported that Carranzistas, under General Hil, are short of ammuni-

Raleigh, July 8-Willie Bell, the tion. They have been attacked by first person to die in the electric chair Villistas near Leon. The Justice Department today deon any other day but Friday, paid clared the conspiracy charges against row that has arrayed the communithe penalty today at 1:30 for the Huerta be pushed. He will not be al-



The Amalfi Falls a Victim J. Mack Paul, of Belhaven and the to an Austrian Submarine

ing the current. The Rev. James Rome, July 8-The Italian armor-Satterthwaite, rector of St. Ambrose appeal. ed cruiser Amalfi, of 10,000 tons, has Episcopal church, who had been his spiritual adviser during the days of been torpedoed and sunki n the upper adriatic by an Austrian submarine. waiting, accompanied Bell, saying the service as the end drew near. The crew were saved.

replevined and got the cows back. The greatest air fleet Italy has con-There was the usual anxiety on the Belhaven then sold the cows to A. centrated since the war begain joined Miller; who, by the way, is one of part of the spectators-a spirit of expectancy, which was to have its in the attack upon the Austrian fort- the Belhaven town councilmen. Mrs. ress city of Gortiz and the positions culminating in a nauseating climax. Spencer got claim and delivery pa-When the last of the death-dealing southdard to Trieste today. Several current had been sent through the fires were started when Italian aviators bombarded the railway north of victim's body, he was pronounced dead and taken out to be prepared Opicina and the railway station at Nabresina. for burial.

General Cadorna reported today Bell confessed in Durham before they belong. that his army has captured 1,400 he was sentenced and the accompanying remarks assumed the propor-Austrians since July 4. NO NEGOTIATIONS

he was sorry to have brought his county into the limelight by making

should serve as a severe warning C. C. Matthews Attempts he will go direct to Mexico, today against man taking man's life under

any circumstances. The evidence during the trial besides the testimony by the coroner and the physician that attended Mr.

Mann, Bell's victim, was that Bell Mathews, a young man, living at before his arrest had admitted the No. 7 West Clay street, attempterime. Ed. Bumpass proved the ed suicide at his home yesterday afternoon shortly after 2 o'clock, by sion of Eell. Bell followed the taking a large dose of carbolic acid.

state's witnesses and told of the kill-The city ambulance was hastily summoned. At the time of the call summoned. At the time of the call the ambulance was in South Rich- MORE THAN TWO nond, attending a sick man, and the police patrol wagon was called into service. Officers Hooker and Warriner went along and were of material During his confinement in the

service to the doctor, for the would-be death cell at the state prison, where suicide put up a strong fight.

Those chaps who are anxious to see a real battle don't have to go to proved a very good prisoner. He was for the accident which occurred at Path of the Storm Reached Europe to get a glimpse of such. in frequent companionship with his Seventh and Clay streets a few min-

editor attacked what he termed pastor of Filgrin Congregati church, St. Louis, Mo., spoke by the wind and laid to one side of "Neal and Nealism." The matter has this the right-of-way. Not a person was EXPLOSION ON SHIP morning on "The Religious Motive Fundamental in Young People's

**BY BOVINE BOSSY** 

eral of Them and They

**Caused** Trouble

work."

MEXICO CITY BELHAVEN BAFFLED

Fifty homes at, Durdenne, Me wree reduced to splinters and pile of briefs. Only three deaths we peried.

St. Charles, after a night of larkness-the electric light plant having been put out of comm loday looked upon the ruins of the eatire central portion of the city, including more than 100 residences. The property damage in St. Charles alone, it is believed, will aggregate nearly a half million dollars. The damage to wheat in St. Charles Elizabeth City, July 8-A mild and St. Louis counties is estimated at

ruminative every-day cow belonging more than \$100,000. A dozen towns to Mrs. Claudia Spencer, of Pantego in the counties were isolated last Beaufort county, is at the bottom of a night as miles of telephone and tele-row that has arrayed the communi-graph wires were a tangled mass. ties of Pantego and Belhaven against. From St. Charles the tornado swerved across the Missouri and And the end is not in sight. Mississippi rivers into Illinois. There A Belhaven policeman got a halter it branched out, sending cloudbursts on Mrs. Spencer's cow and impound- to Rock Island and to Mounds, near ed her the cow. No. It was six Carlo. The business section of both by his wife while he lay a sul-cows, instead of a cow, come to these towns were flooded. by his wife while he lay a sul-

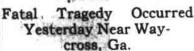
## **Twelve Dead**

warrant from a Pantego Trial Jus-Cineinnati, July 8 .- Twelve are tice, for the arrest of Chief of Police by an explosion on board of the known to be dead and more than British liner Minnehaba, heavily a score known to be missing, and town of Balhaven. The case came scores injured and many buried in the to trial and the Pantego Justice fined ruins of buildings and hulks of steam- other inflamable materials, five Chief Paul and his town \$20. Belboats that sank, as the toll of a tor- hundred and seventy miles southhaven and its Police Chief took an nado that awept Cincinnati last night. Four coaches of a passenger train

Mrs. Spencer then got out claim were blown from the track down an the fire was received here today and delivery papers and went to Belembankment, killing three and seri- in the following wireless from haven and got her cows. Belhaven cusly injuring sixteen.

Dozens of buildings are down. The damage is estimated at a million dol- under control with steam. Much lars. Whole families, asleep at the smoke in hold. Deem it expetime, were buried in debris when the buildings collapsed.

pers and took the cows away from Miller. Miller replevined and got TRIES TO STOP the cows away from Mrs. Spencer again. The poor cows are bum **ELOPERS: KILLED** fuzzled and don't know just where



Waycross, July 8-Trying to pre-

vent W. J. Griffin, a married man, from eloping with his niece, Miss Adafternoon four miles north of Manor. companied him to Griffin's home, was haha.

her recovery doubtful.

man, but it was probably a slight previous day. He would have had wound, as he made his escape and plenty of time to place the bomb has not been located. aboard the ship.

The Inman girl is attractive. She which began a year ago.

Henry Inman from shooting Griffin that she had aboard 10 cases of lieving this, Mr. Wetherington, or when Griffin, in firing at Inman, cordite, 2,800 cases of loaded shrap-aimed badly and four of the five nel shells, 1,400 cases of trinite tulol, opposed to the stock law, but after

BOMB SET BY HOLT The Minnehaha, Off at the American House in Washing Halifax, Reports Near Disaster --- Fire in One and round of John Dunn, and gave his address as Indian Head, Of Her Holds---Ship Rushes To Land---Heavy Laden With Rhae woman and his mother be notified was written on the back of a

PROBABLY CAUSED BY

Munitions of War.

laden with war munitions and

No Passengers

had undoubtedly caught the wire-

east of Halifax yesterday.

note signed "Mamie," which read "Dear Charlie: Just had to go out, New York, July 8.-Frank Holt's but will be back just as soon as I last warning which was voiced can, so please wait for me. Will expla n when I come back.

"MAMIE."

that a steamship would sink This note the Rhae woman said she at sea on July 7th, was followed left for him Saturday when she had to leave the house.

## VIRGINIA COUPLE IN SHADOW IF DEATH

Richmond, July 8-It was reported The news of the explosion and from the Virginia Hospital at 10:30 this morning that there was no change whatever'in the condition of Mrs. Captain Claret: "The fire was Smoot or of her husband. The condicaused by an explosion and is tion of the young wife was stated as being extremely critical, while the husband was said to be about the dient to make Halifax. Due off same. No operation can be per-Chebutco Head about 9 o'clock formed on Mrs. Smoot at this time, on Friday morning. Advise agas the physicians fear that this might hasten death, therefore neither of the bullets can be removed. The The Minnehaha carried no pass-The eighteen-year-old wife and her engers .... She had a crew of approxihusband lie in adjoining rooms at mately one hundred. Captain Claret the hospital.

> WAS MISINFORMED AS TO STOCK LAW

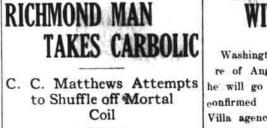
J. E. Wetherington Now Has Different View of This Law

In an interview with a Journal reporter a few days ago, J. E. Wethington, a prominent farmer of Jasper, stated that the reason that he was so bitterly opposed to the proposed stock law, was because he had been informed by his brother-in-law, that everybody would have to fence in their cleared land, build a concrete house to keep the stock in, have his hogs dipped every eight days and pay a man one dollar per head for dipping

them. Mr. Wetherington was under the impression that this was absolutely correct for his brother fold him that he got his information from a very prominent New Bern attorney. Bepposed to the stock law, but

being informed as to what this law

would mean to him and all other



WITH CARRANZA Washington, July 8.- The departre of Angeles for Boston, whence

confirmed the declaration of the Villa agency that there will be no negotiations with the Carranzistas.

Richmond, Va., July 8 .- C. C. The Carranza agency also denied that there will be negotiations. It said that "when we take Mexico City, we may talk." The Villa agency said Villa had shown a readiness to make a temporary truce. It is now up to Carranza."



From Nebraska to Ohio

DAMAGE HEAVY

Ruin

Yesterday Near Waycross, Ga.

probably fatally wounded, and Miss Inman received wounds that make last Sunday. Holt made his attempt

Griffin was shot once by Henry In- on the life of J. P. Morgan on the

The Minnehaha was requisitioned is 19 years old. She went to the by the British Goverment at the Griffin home yesterday. Just when beginning of the war and was rethe couple planned to elope is not leased for general freight service known. Mrs. Griffin stated that two months ago. Since her release everything possible was done to she has made two trans-Atlantic break up her husband's infatuation trips carrying each time a cargo of munitions of war.

The manifest of the ship shows The girl was trying to prevent

less warning sent the liners Saxonia or the Philadelphia concerning Holt. Hold No. 3 was where the fire started and according to line officials this did not contain any explosive material. That the fire broke out there adds

strength to the suspicion that there die Inman, Charles Inman, 22 years was an infernal machine aboard. old, was shot and instantly killed this The Contdon Marine Department was prepared to send a government Ware county. Heury Inman, who ac- vessel to assist in aiding the Minne-

ents."

Sailed Sunday The Minnehaha sailed for London

Instead go home with some New minister, who taught him that al-Bern man who is taking a stranger though the way of the transgressor to dinner and who has not beforehand warned the wife of the approaching visit. belief.

We talk in caustic terms about the way the English are censoring changed in order that he might the news. Yet, it is done right here have time to see his brother who was in the good old U.S.A. for instance, serving on the public roads.

who remembers reading an account of the bringing to the surface the United States submarine that went to the bottom a few weeks ago with a score of more men on board? Fact of the matter is, the details were too harrowing to be given too much publicity.

sued an order giving all owners of the The Southern Railway Company property condemned at has just compiled a list of the auto-Lookout until August the second mobile accidents occurring at railto file an objection to the findings way crossings in six states. North of the committee appointed to con-Carolina included, and this shows demn the property. A committee that during the past year there were composed of S. W. Smallwood, of sixty-nine of these and North Carothis city and G. D. Canfield and Mr. lina heads the list with twenty-seven, Taylor of Morehead City, were apwhile her nearest competitor is South pointed some time ago by Judge Carolina with fourteen. Such a con-Connor to meet on the property dition as this shows one of two and pass on the value of it. This things, either the automobilists in meeting was held several days ago North Carolina are more reckless and the value of the property as than those of other states, or the fixed by the committee was sevenrailroad is not observing the proper teen hundred and eighty dollars.

precaution to protect their crossings, and, as the railway company knows that it will be subject to suit in case ANOTHER JUDGE of an accident that can be laid to their negligence, it is not imprJper to assume that in the majority of cases the accidents were due, at least in part, to the carelessness of the drivers Lauringburg Jurist Claims of the machines. Until automobile drivers make up their mind to obey traffic laws and to be careful, this toll of human life will go on and on for time everlasting.

New Bern is not a small city by character Judge W. H. Neal has startany means and many are of the op- ed proceedings against E. J. Tillman inion that its police force is too small, editor of The Laurinburg News, and However, the Aldermen are of th J. L. James. Papers have been a rved nion that the city is not in pos" on James and will be served on Tilltion to enlarge it at the present tim man tonight.

department perfect there mus

is hard, the church says that the would not have been on the scene sins of men are forgiven through Heroic measures were resorted to by the physicians at the Virginia Hos-Bell was to have died the latter part of June, but his sentence was

Cape

JUDGE CONNOR

Judge Henry G. Connor has is-

**AFTER AN EDITOR** 

He Was Horribly

Wronged

recovery.

me," said Mathews at the hospital last night. "The first chance I get I will take some more poison.

utes later. Had the call to attend him

not been sent out, the patrol wagon

to have been the cause of the man's **ISSUES AN ORDER** attempt upon his life.



deavors Pledge War Against It

Chicago, July 8-A world without liquor nation by 1930, was the slogan proposed today for 4,000,000 Endeavorers by Daniel A. Poling, presilent's associate and citizenship superintendent of the United Society of Christian Endeavor at five separate neetings of the fifth world's Christian Endeavor convention, in session here. Superintendent Poling will, address the entire convention tonight. Superintendent Poling's address in part today, tollows:

International Christian Endeavor Convention adopted and proclaimed to the country the resolution which is now the fighting slogan of every tem-American continent-a saloonless naniversary of the landing of the Pil-

The damage to buildings and crops is estimated at between \$500,000 "Two years ago in Los Angeles a

n thousand New Bernians every the manner in which some of the for- tion will emphasize and amplify the buildings which formed the town of program along progressive, construc-

an be seen that they must keep on way concerns Mr. James and further "But today assembled as we are he go. To make New Bern's po than that the latter is a friend, the in a world convention, shall we not newspaper man is at a loss to know take the far vision-the vision that found dead there. why he is included in the action, knows no lines of state or equatry? Between Gilmore and Wentzville a some system, some given so rules and these must be observed in in case of flagrant and frequent be suspended. As we under-could be suspended. As we under-

pital, and it was reported last night that Mathews had good chances of Thousands of Dollars Worth of Property Laid in "You needn't bother about saving Dayton, Ohio, July 8 .- According Ill-health and despondency is said and rain storm which extended from IN THE YEAR 1930

Four Million Christian Enon the Ohio.

ple.

"Four years ago the Atlantic City ings were unroofed. tion by 1920, the three hundredth an- and telephone service was demoralized and buildings unroofed.

"We were called visionary then: today we are honored as prophets of by a tornado late Wednesday, show a new era, for now millions of people are fully persuaded that by 1920 the several score injured. Three others

> In St. Charles 162 blocks practi-St. Peter were blown to fragrants, but only a few personal injuries were

reported. Gilmore, Mo., was nearly ed out, yet only one man was wiped out. yet on found dead there.

shots struck her, one entering her 1,548 cases of cartridges and among head, one lodging in her shoulder, and two going through an arm. The Griffin and Inman families are barrels of oil and 1,941 barrels of among the most prominent of the county.

the inflamable materials aboard were 65 packages of petroleum, 2,290 wax. The chemicals include 83 barrels of formaldehyde and 95 barrels of boraic acid. There are also aboard 230 horses and 223 cases of automo

biles and a large quantity of zinc and copper plates and products.

**Bullet** Into His

Brain

Charley Wesley Turner, a first class

committed suicide by firing a pistol

bullet into his head in a Washing-

ton hotel yesterday morning. The

woman is Mamie Rhae, 302 Bank

street, who refused to go away with

That the suicide was premeditated

etters and post cards written by

Turner show. In the room of the

Washington hotel where the body

was found at noon yesterday was the

The note was written on the reverse

from the Rhae woman Saturday when

Turner last Saturday.

following note:

fireman on the U. S. S. Baltimore

Craven county farmers, Mr. Wetherington stated that it put another light on the subject and that he would carefully consider the proposition before casting his vote against it, After spending several days at Camp McWhorter, near Morehead City, the local troop of Boy Scouts have returned to the eity, being brought into port yesterday after-

noon by J. R. Pope on board his yacht, Uneeda. While in camp the Scouts TAKES OWN LIFE were in charge of Rev. Euclid Mc-Whorter, pastor of Centenary Methodist church of this city. Each Charles W. Turner Fires and every one of the members of the troop thoroughly enjoyed their vacation. According to their account of the affair they had a glorious time and are looking forward to the next Norfolk, July 8-Despondent over trip with much anticipation. love affair with a Norfolk woman,

## THE SITUATION IN MEXICO IS GRAVE

Washington, July 8-Increasing anxiety was felt in official circles today over the situation in Mexico City. No word had come of the result of the fighting there between the Carranza and Zapata forces, but meager official advices reported a renewal of hostilities in the capital's outskirts.

With reports at hand describing conditions in the Mexican capital as "pitiful" and rapidly growin worse on account of the food shortage, officials anxiously awaited the out come of the fighting because of its possible effect on the safety of foreigners there. It was hoped that side of a note which he had received United States Consul General Shaklin and Charles J. O'Connor; in she was prevented from keeping an charge of American relief me engagement with him. She said last in Mexico City, would soon be able night that she had received a letter in Mexico City, would approximate of to arrange for the transportation of food supplies to aid the famine-stricken population of the capital. Mr. O'Connor, the Red Cross repre-positive, suppris that the relief and three post eards from him since he went to Washington. The letter informed her that when she received it he would be dead and on the back entative, reports that the re problem is an immense one.

> CHILDREN AT PLAY UPSET A **GUN: 1 DEAD**

Chattanooga, July 8-Mary Joe Leack, 3-year-old daughter of Carl Leak, bookkeeper of the Chickamauga Knitting Mills, at Chickamauga, Ga. was shot and almost instantly killed at the home of her parents today. The playful antics of a number of aildren who were romping in the som with the victim, caused a loaded notgon, which was standing in a srner, to fall and discharged its ontents into her body,

of one of the picture post cards was cribbled this message; "I won't be here much longer. It is now 8 o'clock. Much love and a thousand kisses." The card was nailed late Sunday and was signed, 'Charlie." The woman said Turner came

hore Saturday on a 72-hour leave, she declared she had known him for only two or three weeks. According to shipmates of Turner who was about 28 years old and has een in the navy seven or eight ears, having finished two enlistments ad served a year on the third.

According to a special disp

today from eastern Missouri swept that seven persons were killed and .

THUNDER STORM STRIKES NEW BERN

o figures compiled today more than Wind and Rain Galore, But LOVE SICK SAILON fifty persons were killed and several score injured by the violent wind No Damage Was Done

Nebraska to Ohio, last night, The property damage is estimated New Bern vesterday afternoon got at several million dollars. The greatest loss of life the tail end of the storm which swept was in

Cincinnati and its vicinity, were over the West on the previous night 33 are known to be dead, and fifteen Shortly before 6 o'clock threatening clouds began to gather and thee were missing. Eighteen of the dead were deckhands who were drowned by indeed ominous in appearance. A the capsizing of the tow boat Convoy little later came the deluge accompanied by considerable wind. So

In Eastern Missouri the storm far as is known no damage was done. Reports from Kinston and other

towns between New Bern and that city were to the effect that the downpour had also struck those places. The most striking thing in connection with the storm was the appearwere almost wiped out. In St. Charles and St. Peters there was no ance of the clouds after the rain had loss of life and in Gilmore only one ceased. The whole sky was colorwas killed. In Lincoln and Custer ed a "sickly" green and the appearcounties, Nebraska, wind and hail ance was far from pleasing.

caused heavy crop damage and in New Bern has so far had its share the village of Gallaway several build- of the storms that have visited this section during the summer but so In Southern Illingis the storm far no damage has been done by them. caused heavy damage. At Mound Last year there were less than half City the business part of the town a dozen real bad thunder storms while was flooded. In Central and South- in the previous year, the year of the

ed and many injured. Telegraph quent occurance. . . . . . . . . . . .

SAYVILLE STATION

"If anything happens to me notify Miss Mamie Rhae, 302 Bank street Norfolk, Va. My name is Charley Wesley Turner of the U. S. S. Baltimore. Notify my mother, Mrs. Sallie Genie, Fort Sill, Okla."

perance organization of the North ern Indiana three persons were kill- storm and flood, they were of fre-

St. Louis, Mo., July 8 .- Reports . NEW MAN IN CHARGE OF

. . . . . . . .

Washington, July 8.-Secretary of the Navy Daniels today announced that he has sent Capt. Bullard, head of \* the dovernment radio service, \* to take possession of the Saytille station in the name of the United States. Neutrality

\* violations are given as the \* reason for this step.

Daniels acted under an exe-cutive order. The station will be operated similar to the \* Tuckerton station, which the government took over on September 9.

Laurinburg, July 8 .- Alleging a conspiracy for the defamation of his grims at Plymouth."

and in consequence a great amount The action of the judge grows out of work falls on the men who now of an article in last week's News in

the force and to do this which Mr. Tillman questioned the arly means that they have to be motives of the jurist in some litiga- definite program for aggressive ac- and \$1,000,000.

dantly on the go. When one sits tion both were interested in; and also tion against the saloon was presentan and considers that three po- promised to devote some space in his ed to the Christian Endeavors of cally were demolished, but not one a watch over the welfare of next issue to an article dealing with North America. The Chicago conven- life was lost. Forty of the sixty

night, then it can be understood mer judge's propety was acquired. program a just what they have to do and it This article, says Mr. Tillman. in no tive lines.

legalized liquor traffic will be a black are missing. memory of a harbarous past.

assumed the proportions of a tornado, demolishing 162 blocks in St. Charles, a town of about 11,000 peo-St. Peters, a town of 300 inhabi tants and Gilmore, a village of 100