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This is the tax listing month. What is the true value of your property?

It is now Dr. Theodore Roosevelt. At Cambridge, England, last week the University of Cambridge conferred the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws upon our ex-President.

The comet was seen in the Western sky several nights last week. While its tail did not show as long as it did made a pretty scene for several each night hours.

President Taft's trips are very expensive. He has already exhausted the allowance of \$25,000 a year for traveling expenses and a few days ago asked Congress to give him another allowance, but the law makers refused.

Rev. L. S. Massey has been elected in the least way injure this paper or editor of the Raleigh Christian Ad- its editor. vocate to succeed Dr. T. N. Ivey, who becomes editor of the Nashville Advocate. Mr. Massey has been serving as pastor of the Methodist Church at Oxford. We welcome Mr. Massey into the newspaper field.

The North Carolina Press Association will meet at Wrightsville Palmyra on the 15th. of Feb. 1853 Beach next week, beginning Wednesday morning. The editors will be Martha Elizabeth Hyman, although quartered at the Tarrymoore hotel and that means a good time for all. This hotel has made quite a reputation for entertaining large gatherings in 1871 to Edgar Emory Powell. as well as summer visitors. The Five children were born to them, good time and we hope to be there. We are anxious to see a large del- Alice H. and Mr. Aquilla P. Powell. egation from Halifax County at the One son Robert Emmet passed away Annual meeting of the North as a child and lies beside his mother. Carolina Good Roads Association at Wrightsville Beach Wednesday and Cheshire. While not able, owing to 8th, and 9th.

Our little query about the likeness of the Raleigh State Democrat and Greensboro Daily News last week seems to have hit the News in a tender spot, judging from the way

it wails back at us. Well, that is just what we wanted to do, but we were fearful that the editor of the News would not be able to catch the point. The News is perfectly welcome to what consolation it gets out of references made to THE COMMON-WEALTH. It makes us feel good because our shot hit a vital spot with our contemporary. The hit dog hollows every time, and the Greens boro Daily News is no exception to this rule. We may be simple but considered. not enough so to try to run a Repub-

lican newspaper nor are we going to sail under false colors. The Repubin the East yet it was visible and lican party of North Carolina is boss-ridden and the News was revived last year to speak for the bosses of that party-the pie brigade, and

> there is no doubt but that the editor gets his instructions from the ones who pay him at the end of each month. The News says things because it is paid to say them and

therefore nothing the editor might say about THE COMMOMWEALTH can

In Memoriam.

Written for THE COMMONWEALTH.

On May 19th. 1910 there passed onstitutional treatment. Hall's Caaway at her home in this city one tarrh Cure is taken internally, acting whose christian character and many directly upon the blood and mucous ovable attributes had endeared her surfaces of the system, thereby deto all who knew her. Mrs. Alice stroying the foundation of the disease, Elizabeth Powell was born in and giving the patient strength by

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building up the constitution and assistthe daughter of Aquilla Pierce and ing nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its educated away from home her early urative powers that they offer One years were spent in that neighbor-Hundred Dollars for any case that it hood until her marriage on the day fails ta cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address, F. J. Cheney & Co.,

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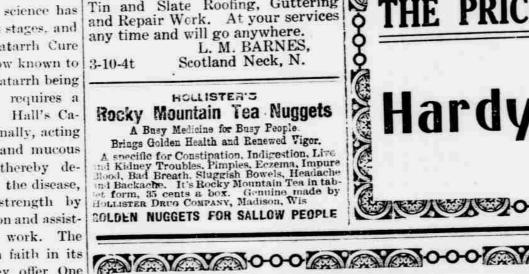
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Written for THE COMMONWEALTH. On last Saturday, at the Rectory, Mrs. C. G. Bradley was hostess at a delightful meeting of the Round Table Club. As the guests entered they were served with delicious iced emonade by Miss Lizzie Hyman. The program for the year, a brief study of the Colonial History of North Carolina was concluded with an instructive exposition of the Public School System of the State by Miss Sallie Baker. From a number of subjects presented by the committe appointed to suggest subjects, a cross section of history was chosen by the club for study next year The renaissance period was decided upon as the special "section" to be

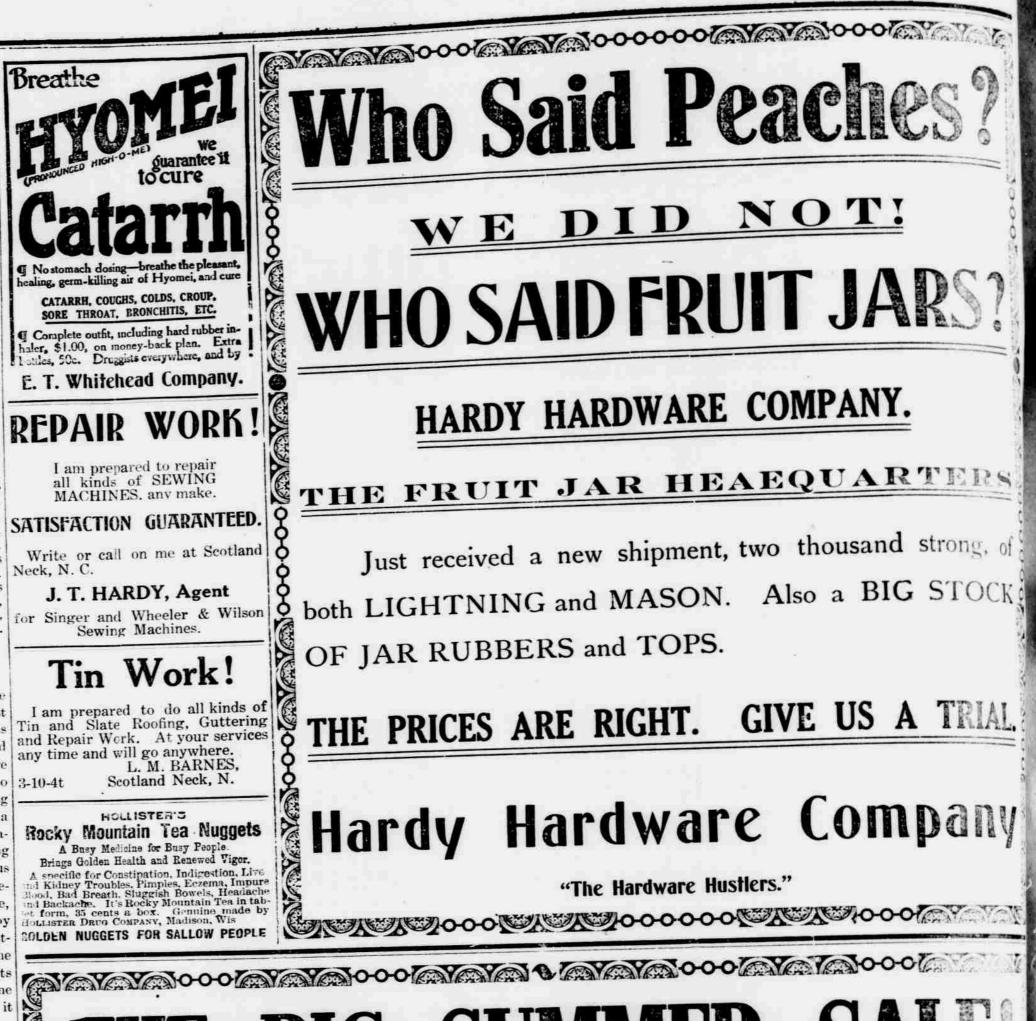
Dainty refreshments were served by Miss Bettie Hill and Miss Lizzie Hyman. The members of the club who enjoyed Mrs. Bradley's charn ing hospitality were Mrs. Charles Albertson, Mrs. H. I. Clark, Mrs. Purrington, Mrs. G. S. White, Mrs. Jarl Bowers, Mrs. W. H. Josey, Mrs. W. R. Bond, Miss Sallie Baker Miss Elanor Smith and Lena Leggett. Neck, N. C. Other guests present were Miss Elizabeth Smith, Mrs. W. E. Smiht, Miss Bettie Hill, Miss Lizzie Hyman, Mrs. James B. Hall, and Mrs. Ed.

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following her eighteenth birthday editors are surely going to have a three boys and two girls, four of pation. whom are still living, Mr. Edgar E. Powell, Mrs. Harriet E. Eure, Miss Mrs. Powell was confirmed in Trinity church in the year 1900 by Bishop

Thursday of next week. Let every- her semi-invilid condition for the body that possibly can attend do so past few years, to be active in any and learn more about the building large degree, her good works were of good roads. The hotels will give many; and her bravery under sickness special rates to all who attend and to all who came in contact with her. the railroads will sell reduced tick- Never failing faith in the love and ets. All aboard for the Good Roads wisdom of her heavenly Father Convention at Wrightsville, June marked her last lingering illness throughout which her courage and brightness shone. She passed away

The following editorial is copied surrounded by those whose hearts from the Albemarle Enterprise of comforted by the certainly that havlast week, with the hope that it may ing finished her course in faith she be of some benefit to parents just at is now resting her labors. Her body was laid to rest in the churchthis time who have children at home yard on May 20th. 1910 by her rector. from school. The Enterprise says: Many of those not only near and

"We see in one of our exchanges dear to her but those, as well, who a note sounded to parents to keep only knew her by reputation were their boys employed in the summer present, all giving thanks for the when not in school. If parents do good example of one who had been not look after this important matter, delivered from the burden of the certainly the boys will not. Three or flesh and is now in joy and felicity.

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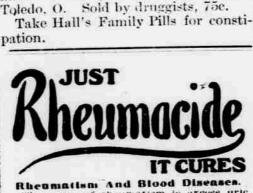


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