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Auto Analysis Shows There rnoon Was Foul Play Ride This sternoon

Fine Session of State A. Plon of County Commissioners Held Hurry Calls For Absent Members—No Sugar Legislation Likely at This Re-elected President-Statesville Selected as Next Meeting Place-Banquet Will be Held Tonight at Oceanic Hotel, Following Business Session.

convention in Statesville, Iredell coun- cate arrests are probable. ty, and the election of officers. The people of New Hanover county, and the people of this section will be well pleased to learn that Mr. D. McEachern at present of the local board of commissioners, was re-elected to his position as president of the association. Miss Cassie G. Mintz, who has acted as secretary of the association for several months, was formally elected today.

and the county, and particularly the hospitality of the people, for which the section is noted. This afternoon MORE TROOPS TO BE also, there will be a barbecue at Castle Hayne in honor of the commissioners. The automobiles will be in charge of Mr. George Honnet, the ever alert, and will arrive at Castle Hayne in time for the festivities.

Returning, the last session will be held at the Oceanic Hotel at 8:30 Third Squadron, Third United States extent. o'clock, after which the closing ban Cavalry has been ordered to report quet will be held. Wilmington, immediately at Fort Bliss, with thirty Wrightsville Beach, and New Han-days' rations for border service. over county has enjoyed having the them God-speed as they return to HURRICANE SWEEPS commissioners as guests, and bids their homes tonight.

Order of Proceedings. Business in the following order was

taken up when the meeting convened at 10 o'clock this morning:

Mr. Hudson, of the Farm Demonstration work, appeared and spoke for distributed to all counties of the State to the coast towns. contributing an amount equal to that provided by the State. The matter so advocated the measure. was one of interest to the commis-Hudson asked that all counties wish- The motion carried unanimously. ing this, take the matter up at the September meeting.

were asked and ideas exchanged.

Messrs. J. W. Carter, Robeson; J. H. eral Assembly. of officers.

The recommendation of the resolu- might go. tion and the president's report com-

of a State Highway Commission. next General Assembly to pass a law will be held in Statesville. providing that counties who wish it The convention took a recess until attend. may retain all convicts for the peni- 8:30 o'clock tonight. tentitary in their borders to work the State roads, the State to pay a portion of the expense and the county to pay the balance. The convicts also to be sent to other counties, if so desired. The committee wished to guard against the appointment of a State Highway Commission. There was a lenburg. ag discussion, ending in the inser-

to prevent such a commission. mild furore. The substance of the tenth, E. W. Patton. Commissioners Mills, from Wake, al- (Continued on Third Page.)

Session of Congress.

Richmond, Va., Aug. 15.—Strych-nine was placed in the coffee George M Nicholas drank at als Rockingtar With their enthusiasm unabated, county home, dying suddenly mat and with the same far-seeing view week. This was determined, by aninto the conditions confronting the in- alysis of Nicholas' stor.acn by the dividual counties and the State as a State Chemist. The molive for killwhole that characterized the sessions ing the weakny old he mit remains of yesterday, the county commission a mystery. Jane Hopkins, his house ers of the counties of North Carolina keeper, drank some from the same continued their deliberations in the pot of coffee, and is desperately ill. large and cool convention hall of the She may die. The two were the only Oceanic Hotel today. Much business cccupants of the hous?. Nicholas was disposed of, in which was the lived in squalor, though he was worth naming of several important commit two hundred thousand do lars. Retees, the decision to hold the next ports from Rockingham county indi-

IN CONFERENCE TODAY

New York, Aug. 15.-Vice Chairman McAdoo, of the Democratic National This afternoon the commissioners committee, Josephus Daniels and Senare in a 40 auto procession journeying ators Gore and Reed had an extended around the county, seeing the work of conference at Democratic headquarprogression that has been so manifest ters today on the general plan of camhere for the past few years. The paign. National Chairman McCombs. visiting commissioners are loud in who has been ill, is improving, and ever played in this country, approach their praises of the city, the beach, probably will resume work in a week.

PLACED ON BORDER

HUNDREDS TO DEATH

Bilbao, Spain, Aug. 15.—One hundred a few minutes ond the subject of his and nineteen fishermen were drowned cepartment. He, for one thing said and one hundred and fourteen fishing that the State has appropriated \$25, boats sank in a storm along the coast. ster, whose death occurred in Wilming- murder of Mr. and Mrs. John Dixon. 000 for agricultural instruction, to be The hurricane caused immense havor ton yesterday, lay in state in the capi- The negro was reprieved a second

questions. The fiscal year of the de tion be printed in pamphlet form and arrived last night at 12:30 and was met partment ends October 1st, and Mr. sent to all the counties of the State. here by Company B and Raleigh Ambu-Commissioner W. M. Long, of Meck-

Mr. T. B. Beard, of Rowan, and Mr. the present method of taxlisting un- and the burial will be with military J. A. Vance, of Forsyth, spoke for a der the supervision of the State as honors. Several Raleigh officers and few minutes each on the affairs per unfair, and a system of highway rob. various military companies will attend taining to the County Home. They bery. He suggested no remedy, but the funeral. each displayed a great deal of thought asked for a discussion. The matter along these lines, and made a good was referred to the legislative comimpression. A number of questions mittee for a bill relieving conditions to be referred to the executive com-The nominating committee was mittee for approval, and to be intronamed at this point. They were duced at the next session of the Gen-

was beyond the limit to which they

mittee was then read. President Mc next place to hold the convention ing of the State Council Jr. O. U. A Eachern's report, as carried in wes After Commissioners Mills, of Iredell M., which will be held here next week, terday's Dispatch, was accepted, with and Wake, respectively, had present beginning Tuesday night with a public WOMAN WILL HELP the exceptions of the recommendation ed their invitations the matter was session in the auditorium Attorney for local option, and the appointment voted on . I redell wanted the con-General Bickett will deliver the advention last year, and the delegates dress on the occasion. State Treasur-The committee also reported with were almost unanimously in favor of er Lacy will make the address of welone or two omissions the resolution going there. The vote was made come and L. T. Hartsell of Concord, introduced yesterday afternoon for the unanimous, and the next convention will respond. Over 500 Juniors, rep-

Officers Elected.

of officers and duly elected: President-D. McEachern, New Han-

Congressional District Vice Presi- National Committeeman Josephus Dan- PREDIUEN 11AD tion of an article, especially designed dents: First, L. W. Evans; second, R. iels was struck with Mr. Heflin's ora-J. Shields; third, J. H. Bell; fourth, J. tory. Attorney Beckwith, of Wake county. H. Mills; fifth, W. C. Tucker; sixth, A. by courtesy of the convention intro J. Floyd; seventh, J. E. Stewart; duced a resolution that created a eighth, H. C. Trott; ninth, O. E. Ford;

resolution was that the next legisla- Executive Committee—O. B. Winn, Nashville Gets Convention.

Committee too big for them to handle. boards, and in view of their good work



Stratford, Conn., Aug. 15.-The most prortant and instructive war gam ditions make possible, is now under way in this State. Two armies, red and blue, are engaged. The problem to be worked out is whether the forces of the defenders, known as the blues, can be so maneuvered as to stop the advance of the attacking force, the reds, before the New York State line

is reached. Over 20,000 regulars and National guardsmen are participating in the affair, and 500,000 rounds of San Autonio, Tex., Aug. 15.—The blank ammunition will be used. The operations cover an area of southwestern Connecticut 450 squares miles in

BODY IN STATE

Remains of Adjutant General I sinster Repose in the State Capitol- Raleigh Ready to Entertain the State Jun-

Dispatch News Bureau.

Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 15, 1912. tol from 10 o'clock this morning until time to appear as a witness against this afternoon, when it was carried to Frank G. Ladden, white, charged with the station. Many friends of the form murder. His sentence probably will Commissioner Womble moved that er adjutant general entered the build be communted to life imprisonment. sioners, and they asked a number of the entire proceedings of the conven. ing to pay their respects. The body

lance Company. The funeral will be held in Stateslenberg, gained the floor and described ville tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock

with a full military burial.

The question then came up for the has made arrangements for the meet resenting a membership of 27,000, will

campaign. Congressman Heflin, of Ala-with headquarters here. bama, whose speech here in the inter-Vice President-W. M. Long, Meck- est of Underwood was pronounced so good, has been invited to speak here. DDFCIDENT UAC

DEATH SENTENCE REPRIEVE GRANTED

Special to The Dispatch. Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 15.-Governor Kitchin today reprieved, for a third time, the death sentence of John Ross, The body of Adjutant General Lein- convicted in Cleveland county of the

CAUSES COURT SCRAPE

St. Louis, Mo., Aug. 15.-Mrs. Clara "Nearer My God, to Thee," will be Manger, leader, of the exclusive socieplayed by the Third Regiment band ty circles, has filed suit for seventy children about their manner of living? this afternoon as the remains of Gen thousand dollars damages against the eral Leinster are carried from the heads of six prominent families, alleg- the children—there were 119 of them GREAT BRITAIN NOT capital. All details for the funeral ing false arrest Neighbors' bad feel- in my party—seldom ate meat, and have been announced, these including ing grew out of a children's quarrel, their physical condition was the most participation by twelve companies and which came to climax when J. G. Cab- horrible I have ever seen. In the first Commissioner Womble advocated various officers. The Statesville Ma- ane, sought to have Mrs. Manger put place four of the smallest children had strong, Pender, and C. W. Spruell, Ber- compulsory education, but the comtie. They retired to consider the list missioners decided that the matter The local entertainment committee husband featured the community feud. dren apparently without noticing the

THE BULL MOOSE

New York, Aug. 15 .- Miss Jane Adams, of Chicago, probably will be se-Hon. Locke Craig, the Democratic executive committee of nine, at a conlected as a member of the Progressive nominee for Governor, will formally ference this afternoon between Theoopen the State campaign at Laurinburg dore Roosevelt, Senator Dixon and Geo. The following officers were recom- August 23, this being the keynote W. Perkins. She will take charge of mended by the committee on election speech. The Democrats will take no the women's movement for the Prochances, but will make an energetic gressive party throughout the country,

Washington, Aug. 15.—The Presi- woolen trust's greed. ture return to the counties the privilege of local option. The speaker, who was only on the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, where the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, where the floor by courtest, was declared out of order of the floor by courtest, where the floor by courtest, was declared out of the floor by courtest, where the floor by courtest, was declared out of the floor by courtest, where the floor by courtest, was declared out of the floor by courtest, where the floor by courtest, was declared out of the floor by courtest, where the floor by courtest, was declared out of the floor by courtest, where the floor by courtest, was declared out of the floor by courtest, which is the floor by courtest, which tesy, was declared out of order, and Leeper, H. A. Tate.

Titled off the floor. The commission:

The following on account of their respective employes to seven years. The service employes to seven years. message.

THAT WOOL VETO

Investigation Into the Lawrence Con-Causes Interesting Recollection of the ditions-Testimony Showing Workmen Were Paid Starvation Wages.

(By C. H. Tavenner.) Washington, Aug. 15 .- In the light of the Presidents veto of the wool bill, page from the hearings in connection detectives. with the Lawrence strike inquiry makes interesting reading. The witness is Miss Sunger, a trained nurse. tion 409 and 433.)

The Testimony. strikers' children away from Lawrence during the strike?

Miss Sanger: Yes sir. Mr. Pou: Did you talk with those Miss Sanger: Yes sir. I found that between Cabane and Mrs. Mangers' walking about among the other chilchicken pox or disphtheria; one child had diphtheria. Of the 119 children only four of them had underwear, and all the way from the station to Labor

keep from freezing. Mr. Foster: You say only four had underclothing; what was the condition of their outer clothing.

Miss Sanger: It was simply in rags. Their coats were worn to sheds. Mr. Foster: Were the children pale and thin?

Miss Sanger: Yes sir, and I want to say that when they had supper it would NINETY THOUSAND have brought tears to your eyes to see them grab for the meat with their bare hands. Mr. Foster: Did any of them have

on woolen clothing of any sort? Miss Sanger: No sir. Mr. Foster: And yet they all work-

ed in woolen mills? Miss Sanger: Yes sir.

It its anything good to eat May B. B.

Cabinet read and approved the veto Orchestra. Boat leaves 9 A. M. 2:30 his candidacy for the United States and 7:30 P. M.

SCENE SHIFTS TO SENATE

ride Taft's Vetoes

Recluse of Virginia Was Killed and Prominent Woman Shot by Another Arrests Are Likely-Another Drinker of the Deadly Portion is Desperately III.

Washington, D. C., Aug. 15.-Effort to reach an agreement to dispose of the steel and wool tariff revision bills, Cave, daughter-in-law of Rev. R. Lin already passed by the House over the Cave, Chaplain General of the United President's veto, failed in the Senate Confederate Veterans, was murdered today. Unanimous consent to vote on late last night, and Mrs. J. G. Jones, both measures tomorrow was object- twenty four years old, is in jail, aced to by Senator Briggs because of discussed of killing the woman because of pute about arrangement of pairs. The jealousy. The victim was a widow, Republicans decided to call in all ablaged thirty and prominent socially in sent members to meet any attempt by Southern cities. Mrs. Jones had filed the Democrats to repass the vetoed a divorce suit and lived apart from bills. Telegrams were dispatched to husband. The killing occurred in Mrs. all absentees, within easy reach to Cave's home. Mrs. Jones, the police Washington, to return to the capital. allege, gained admittance to Mrs.

No Sugar Bill This Session. Complete disagreement between the a few minutes. . . . House and Senate on the sugar tariff bill, outlined in the conference report on the measure, was presented to the This indicates there will be no sugar legislation this session.

Single Term For President. The Senate has agreed to take up tomorrow the Works resolution for a Constitutional amendment, providing a secured such an agreement.

Gives Its Endorsement. The Senate today passed a resolution endorsing the Southern Commercial Congress' commission to investigate rural credit systems in Europe. Senator Fletcher, of Florida, AMERICAN fathered the proposition.

The House resolution to investigate the patent offices passed the Senate. Pomerene Attacks Attorney General. Senator Pomerene, of Ohio, attacked the Attorney General for failure to prosecute the Standard Oil and Amerpassed an emergency resolution extending the appropriation until September 1st, for conduct of the Gov-

Hot Springs, Ark., Aug. 15 .- Sam which veto gives the woolen trust a Schepps, wanted as a material witness continuance of its privilege to plunder in the Rosenthal case in New York, the consumer while at the same time paying its workers starvation wages,

Grand Joury Still Probing,

New York, Aug. 15 .- The Grand Jury today continued investigating the Ros (Page 226, Hearings on House Resolu- enthal case. Prosecutor Whitman's Assistants are probing the real estate transactions made by the beneficiaries Mr. Pou: Miss Sanger, were you in- of the graft obtained from the gam- tional time for the final argument in strumental in taking a number of the bling and disorderly houses. The Pros- his own behalf, the Darrow bribery ecutor has information that within the trial convened an hour earlier today. up town lots.

Washington, Aug. 15 .- It is believed reasonably certain that no further protest will be made by Great Britain on behalf of the English mercantile interests against the Panama Canal bill, if it was bitterly cold. We had to run it finally takes the form reported yesterday from the conference committee. Temple after we got to New York to The British objection was laid against discrimination against British shipping. As such shipping is not now privileged to enter into American coastwise trade. which alone is to receive favored treat-file a dissolution suit against the Elgin ment in the Canal, that objection is Butter Board of Trade, it is reported.

"FANS" TO SEE GAMES TAFT TELLS CABINET

Chicago, Ill., Aug. 15.—Baseball officials estimate that ninety thousand "fans" will witness the series of three In his veto message Mr. Taft has games between the New York and Chimuch to say about the "woolen industr," and "foreign labor." He makes no mention of these poor victims of the and dollars. The games begin today. executive and judicial appropriation The closeness of the league race has bill, which has amendments to abolish aroused great interest.

> McGraw in the Race. Grafton, West Virginia, Aug. 15 .-'It | Senate, to succeed Senator Watson,

Efforts There to Over-Society Tragedy Occurs

as the Outcome of Jealous Rage-Victim the Daughter-in-Law of Chaplain-General of the United Confederate Veterans.

Nashville, Tenn., Aug. 15.-Mrs. Alva The Republican forces have been great- Cave's room and, without preliminaries, ly depleted during the past few weeks. began shooting. Defenseless Mrs. Cave was wounded mortally, dying in

LIVE ISSUES TODAY

Seagirt, N. J., Aug. 15.—The tariff issingle term of six years for President sues, the high cost of living and agriand Vice President. Senator Cummins culture development of the country, were topics Governor Wilson planned to discuss this afternoon at Washington Park. The Governor left at 11 o'clock to keep the appointment.

Bogota, Columbia, Aug. 15.-Investiican Tobacco companies. The House gation into the teath of William Mac-Master, United States Consul at Cartagena, whose riddled body was found a few miles outside of the city Monday, has established murder. There are no clues to the perpetrators.

Colombia Must Act. Washington, Aug. 15.-American Consul Kemper, at Cartagena, has noti fied the State Department that the evidence gathered shows that American Vice Deputy Consul MacMaster was murdered. The Colombian Government will have the opportunity to punish the assassins before the United States takes action.

IN OWN DEFENSE

Los Angeles, Aug. 15.-In order that Clarence S. Darrow could have addilast year one police inspector invested Darrow spoke until noon, when the two hundred thousand dollars in choice time allotted the defense expired. District Attorney Fredericks began the concluding argument at the afternoon session. Darrow declared the blowingup of The Times building, was not the result of a plot to destroy lives. He absolved the McNamaras of any guilt of murder. Dynamite was placed there wrongfully and criminally, Darrow said, but without thought of taking

AGAINST BUTTER TRUST

Chicago, Aug 15.-District Attorney Wilkerson, within a couple of days, will The board will be charged with violating the anti-trust law. The government contends that the board is able to control prices in large outlying ter-

OF OTHER VETO

Washington, Aug. 15.-The President the Commerce Court and limiting the tenure of Civil Service employes to seven years. The message may be sent the House today.

"The Inventor's Secret" Great film success today at the 5cent Grand.