

VALUE OF BREVITY_ THE G. O. P. CONVENTION-COLDEST SPOT ON EARTH-MARRIAGE STILL BEST-

President Coolidge, a man of few words, regrets that his message to Congress could not be shorter. Madame de Sevigne wrote to her daughter, "If I had had more time I should have written you a shorter letter." Considering the field covered the President's message will be found shorter than most men could have made it. His "I do not choose" proves ability to say much in few words.

ing was suppressed.

country NEEDS is population.

A monument to Theodore Roose- will be noticed that frequently fig- \$16,047.91; teacherage, \$16,071.18 velt will be erected above the ures are given for "balance on Brogden: Balance Culebra Cut overlooking the Pan-ama Canal. Roosevelt deserves the amount that was ordered taken Corbett-Hatcher: Balance honor; the monument should be a from the general school fund to building, \$500.00. supplement amounts already rais- Corinth-Holders: fine one.

All his interesting talk, advis- ed in local/communities possibly by building, \$3,250.00; addition a women to have nineteen chil- a bond issue voted on and sold be- building, heating and plumbing, dren, etc., will be forgotten. But fore the ocunty adopted in 1925 watre, lights, sewerage, \$41,841.37; the fact that he put through the the plan of not allowing district high school building, \$83,994.99; Panama Canal will NOT be for- bonds to be issued. The other fig- (Turn to page eight, please) gotten. In that he rendered great service.

Old age is the night of life. "Work, for the night is coming Put On Market Co. Commissioners Of Farmers Bank chosen as the special topic for disthe old hymn. For those that have

San Francisco is expected to get the Republican convention next year, with 23 national committeemen now pledged. That is the place for the convention. Many import-Francisco, learn something about the United States on the way, and something about national development after they get there.

thing of beauty."



County Supt. Marrow Gives Summary of Advances For School Buildings

In order that the public may be uses speak for themselves. As informed as to what the \$750,000 has been stated before, this amount In Australia workers, unemploy. bond issue under the consideration is not a new debt which the couned, tried to force their way into of the Board of County Commis- ty is contracting, but is simply a the Treasury Building. The riot- sioners at their meeting here on business-like way of funding, ac-Monday, is all about, we have ask- cording to the County Finance Act, Australia is severe in its immi- ed the county superintendent to what has already been contracted. gration limitations, and rioting give us figures from the official The summary of advances from there by the unemployed reminds audit of the school books to show the general school fund for school American workers that what a what is included in this debt that buildings is as follows: is to be funded. Archer Lodge: Balance on build-

In the figures given below, it ing, \$9,645.85; additio nto building, building

Balance to

rectors

Baptist Pastors Hold Conference

Finally Gets Medal

Local Bank Pays

Its 62nd Dividend

First and Citizens National

Bank Shows Year of

Growth - No Change In

SMITHFIELD, N. C., FRIDAY MORNING, JANUARY 13, 1928

The Smithfield Merald

Johnston County's Oldest and Best Newspaper - - Established 1882

Rev. S. L. Morgan Reads Paper on Church Discipline" Which Receives Favorable Comment

The monthly conference of Baptist pastors of the Johnston Association met in Smithfield January 9 with a good attendance. Two matters of importance were discussed. One was the coming celeoration of the 8th anniversary of the Prohibition movement Janu-

Miss Helen Baker, who keeps the books ordinarily, becomes the whole police department of North Arlington, N. J., when the police force is called away at times. When she has police powers thrust upon her in emergencies, she does everything required of a cop, even to hauling in the town drunks, if upon ker in emergencies, she does to hauling in the town drunks, if enforce our prohibition laws and

to magnify the 18th amendment to ur constitution. The other subject discussed was Church Discipline, which had been

Smithfield, read a brief paper innot saved, age is a dreary night. "Hillcrest" Was Scene Of Change Is Made In Office of Institution Pays Good Divi- troducing the discussion, which was Auction Sale Wednesday; Collector of Delinquent dend In 1927-Two New and which he was asked to offer Members on Board of Di- to the several papers in Johnston county with a view to bringing to

Officers; One New Director the attention of the church people ant Republicans need to visit San real estate development, was put Board of Commissioners held here Bank and Trust company of this discipline in our churches. There on the market Wednesday when here Monday, the services of the city is somewhat evidenced by the was unanimous agreement that all on the market Wednesday when here Monday, the services of the Honeycutt, Abell and Gray, selling collector of delinquent taxes, R. L. agents, conducted an auction sale at Fitzgerald, former county auditor the death house to the death house to the state of the second dividend of that institution paid its stockholders last year nine per addition dividends. The here we have a statement made in the annual stockholders meeting the conducted an auction sale at Fitzgerald, former county auditor the condemned woman was sobbin the condemned woman was sob

Chicago has found in Detroit a of town. All the things that at blonde beauty with long hair, and positively arranged yesterday to show a Lady Godiva at last nights. Arts Ball, Rosalind Hightowar, who will be Lady Godiva, without horse, rode to Chicago from Detroit in an aimplane, and will post to it in this development, and ni barks, and in this development, and ni barks were disposed of. The office will be the annual meeting of the stock. The office will be annual meeting of the stock. The office will be the annual meeting of the s ernoon were 199 shares in person cipline aims at reforming the cash on hand and in banks in the time no borrower has failed to more we can do," said Dana Wal

meeting and F. C. Sweeney, sec- structive. It is the end aimed at in At this meeting in which was retary. The chief transaction of the church activities. Corrective dis-the board of directors for another the board of directors for a

MURDERERS OF WOMAN'S HUSBAND MEET DEATH IN SING SING PRISON CHAIR

vertiser!

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CONSIDER THIS! The Hearld has the largest circulation of any newspaper publish-ed in Johnston County. That's something to consider, Mr. Ad-

\$2.00 PER YEAR

DEMOCRATS PLEASE

TAKE NOTICE Pursuant to a multitude of requests and demands made upon me for a meeting of the Johnston County Democratic Executive Committee for the purpose of discussing matters pertinent to the welfare of the democratic party and the coming campaign. I hereby urgently request all members of the executive committee and the various townships executive committees to meet at the courthouse in Smithfield next Monday, January 16, at 10 o'clock sharp. All democrats are invited and urged to attend.

J. B. BENTON, Chairman, Democratic Executive Committee of Johnston County.

Smith Is Secretary

Mrs. Snyder was led to the death chamber by two matrons, who stayed with her until the end.

Ossining, N. Y., Jan. 12-

(AP)-Mrs. Ruth Snyder

and Henry Judd Gray paid

with their lives in the elec-

tric chair tonight for the mur-

der of the woman's husband.

chair first, and waspronounc-

ed dead at 11:06 o'clock.

dead at 11:14.

ble sound.

Mrs. Snydefr went to the

Gray following immediate-

Mrs. Ruth Snyder went to

the chair muttering Biblical

quotations, and Henry Judd

Gray followed her to death

at 11:16, his lips moving in

prayer, but making no audi

ly and he was pronounced

As she walked to the elec Federal Land Bank tric chair she cried out: "Forgive them Father, for they know not what they do.'

Stockholders Meeting Held Tuesday; Directors Meet MRS. SNYDER TOLD OF FAILURE TO SAVE HER **Immediately Afterwards**

Sing Sing Prison Ossining, A stock holders meeting of the Y., Jan. 12.-(AP)-Mrs. Ru Johnston county branch of the Snyder heard tonight from her he The December 1927 dividend paid Federal Land Bank of Columbia, yers that all their efforts to save "Hillcrest," Smithfield's newest At a meeting of the County The condition of the Farmers the vast importance of a healthy by the First and Citizens National S. , was held here Tuesday about her from death in the electric by the First and Citizens National Bank here represented the sixty-noon in the office of J. A. Smith, chair had failed. At 8 o'clock the came to the death house to tety of the North Carolina Cotton later they left her to report that

the condemned woman was sobbin agents, conducted an auction sale at Fitzgeraid, former county auditor the scene of the property south under the Republican administra-the scene of the property south under the Republican administra-the scene of the property south under the Republican administra-the scene of the property south under the Republican administraafternoon at 1:30 o'clock. The a report of the past year's work der the circumstances.

lace, as Judge Edgar F. Haze After hearing the annual ire- son, his partner, told of the las port, directors were elected to conversation her counsel

J. L. Johnson Buys House and Two Acres

Chicago has found in Detroit a of town. All the things that at- tion, were dispensed with, and an shown growth as was indicated at as follows:

she sees nothing initiates in a all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in a all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in a all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in an all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in an all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in an all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in an all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in an all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in an all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in an all of them were sold wednesday. Jointess were unposed in an all of them were sold weather and the balance is the balance is to be carried for meeting and F. C. Sweeney, sec-structive. It is the end aimed at in a million. At this meeting in which was a meeting in which was a meeting and F. C. Sweeney, sec-structive. It is the end aimed at in a million. is vulgar; the human body is a chased by J. Lemmie Johnson, twelve months.

Berlin scientists have created is collected by the laboratory experiments a tem-reature 459 degrees below zero. but at this time they have not to the science at the scien Berlin scientists have created the coldest spot on earth, producing in laboratory experiments a tem-perature 459 degrees below zeros. Outside our atmosphere, in mys-created sonarding solar s Outside our atmosphere, in mys-
terious spaces separating solar
ists "absolute zero." On our Fah-
renheit thermometer that would
without heat.be conside was willed by a dor
the lots will be disposed of at pri-
anses were drawn, before the ra-
become supra-conductors. A thin
become supra-conductor

Taxes; Number of Tax Releases Made

Britton and Hill, a new automobile The county attorney was in- retary.

New Development Two Days Session Annual Meeting

ary 16, when the Eighteenth Amendment to our national constitution went into effect. The conference went on record declaring the confidence of the ministers in the vast moral and material ben-Charles F. Hopkins with the Congressional Medal of Honor and a citation for distinguished gallantry under fire during the Civil War that was awarded Hop-kins sixty-two years ago but which has just reached him. The delay was due to the veteran's reluctance to apply personally for the honor efits that have come to our state

ased in our dirigibles, becomes liq- ister was drawn. She also had D. B. Batten was released of rapher. ecules in matter lose their motion. greater electric conductivity.

First abstract science, then useful appreciation. Practical men may find a way to create in metals, apart from any absolute zero zard was hostess to the Priscilla O. N. Gulley and G. Thurman

(Turn to page 7, please)

Tantalizer

There are exactly enough let-ters in the line below to spell the name of a person in Smith-field, and if the right one deheld, and if the right one de-ciphers his name and will pre-sent it to The Herald office, we will present him with a complimentary ticket to the Victory Theatre. Tickets must be called for before the fol-lowing issue-Joe Mahler recognized his name last issue.

Todays -Tantalizer: fennaessjeor

become supra-conductors. A thin thread of mercury will carry suf-

lute zero. In that terrible cold mol- gone, and another trial was made, \$500 tax valuation in Wilders this time T. E. Talton's name be- township.

which may account for their ing taken out of the box. The John H. Morgan was released of ing taken out of the box. The John H. Morgan was released of fourth draw gave the radio to W. John H. Morgan was released of tax valuation on one male dog list-H. Austin.

ed through error.

J. H. Lee was released of poll Priscilla Club is Entertained. tax 1927, Smithfield township, on Kenly, Jan. 9 .- Mrs. H. M. Griz- account of being a paralytic.

last meeting of the year. The low- on 108 acres listed by them, the Four Oaks Wednesday afternoon phone and Telegraph company to mer will be charged at all unless er floor of the lovely home was taxes having been paid.

After a social hour refreshments real estate, 1927. in which the season's colors were W. R. Broadwell was released in evidence, were served. Con- of \$570 tax valuation on real es-in evidence, were served. Con- of \$570 tax valuation on real es-tate in O'Neals township. After a social hour refreshments real estate, 1927. Iurniture. The house belonged to Charlie Grady, and there was no insurance on either the house or tate in O'Neals township. After a social hour refreshments real estate, 1927. Uniture. The house belonged to through Smithfield. Work of re-building will begin about March a many checks as his account will allow without any charge what. In the furniture of Mr. Barbour, In the furn gealed fruit salad, saltines, cheese tate in O'Neals township. gealed fruit salad, saltines, cheese tate in O'Neals township. and nut and date sticks were fol-Mrs. C. E. Richardson was re-Mrs. C. E. Richardson was re-

fee and whipped cream. ship.

Moves To Selma.

taxes for the years 1919, 1920, headway that it was impossible for Selma, Jan. 11 .- Mr. and Mrs. 1921, Cleveland township, these the bucket brigade to put it out, ACCEPTS POSITION H. D. Culbreth, of Dillon, S. C., taxes having been paid. We extend a welcome to these new- estate in Meadow township. omers to our town. (Turn to page 7, please)

Suffers Fire

The fire was discovered by Mr. here.

and it was impossible even to save

F. G. Gower was released of the cause. The fire had gained such pany.

CAROLINA TEL. & TEL. CO. the majority of the banks in the to this city for the use of the ported, and her hand warm.

meet his obligations.

TAKES OVER CLAYTON LINE county in this matter, but the con- new paper which will change its The lawyer said his client spo The Carolina Telephone and templated charge was explained to name from the Kenly Observer to of her daughter, Lorraine, Telegraph company has recently the stockholders that they might the Johnston County News. A said she wanted her to grow taken over the Clayton telephone understand clearly the effect such location has been secured in the (Turn to page eight, please) system which makes that com- a charge will have. It was brought postoffice building. Mr. Benton also pany now in control of all the lines out that the idea is not to penal- runs the Benson Review, and Mr.

in the county except those at ize customers for withdrawing Deaton will be in charge here. Selma and Princeton. It is the funds from their accounts which is

temperature, conditions similar to club a few afternoons ago at the Smith were released of 1918 taxes A disastrous fire occurred in intention of the Carolina Tele- proved by the fact that no custo- MR. KIRBY TO KILL LARGE

when the house in which Robert rebuild the Clayton system putting he draws more than four checks W. Thompson Kirby of near er floor of the lovely home was taxes having been paid. thrown en suite and decorated with W. J. Tippett, O'Neals township, Barbour was living was complete-in automatic telephones. Long per month no matter how small the Kenly wishes to notify his miany thrown en suite and decorated with W. J. Tippett, O'Neals township, Barbour was niving was complete embléms of the holiday season, was released of \$430 tax valuation After a social hour refreshments real estate, 1927. In automatic telephones. Long per hour as being account may be. And if his aver-furniture. The house belonged to through Smithfield. Work of re-age balance during the month is big hog Tuesday, January 24. All

lowed by mince pie with hot cof- leased of \$1,065 tax valuation on Barbour about six-thirty o'clock, The Clayton telephone lines were At the close of the stockholders real estate in Bentonville town- the blaze being in the roof. It is owned by a stock company until meeting, a directors meeting was

ning. The first thing in order was R. Hood; vice-presidents, R. P.

the taking of the oath of office by Holding and N. B. Grantham; the directors, ten of whom were cashier, C. F. Gordon: assistant

WITH B. & O. RAILROAD present. No change whatever was cashiers, Vara E. Sanders, R. W. have taken apartment at Mrs. G. D. L. Peacock was ordered a tax any of the furniture. The stables N. D. Hall has accepted a posi- made in the personnel of the offi- Sanders, H. R. McCullers. The M. Willetta' on Railroad street, refund on \$1,250 valuation on real and barn nearby, caught fire also tion with the Baltimore & Ohio cers elected for the coming year, bookkeepers include James and were destroyed. The loss is Railroad, New York, and left yes- and the following will continue in Davis, Joe L. Boyette and Miss thaws sum dem frozen bank cred-

estimated to be around \$5,000. terday to assume his duties. their same positions: president, T. Mildred Yarborough.

"If ever there was a true pen

thread of mercury will carry suf-ficient electricity to light several hundred lamps. Helium, the gas used in our dirigibles, becomes liq. x ased in our dirigibles, becomes liq. x as a true provide the variant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, F. C. Sweeney; assistant come weak and inefficient. It loses x ashier, J. E. Peterson. Miss Ruby x ashier, J. E. Peterson. Miss Ruby x ashier, J. E. Peterson. Miss Ruby x ashier, J. E. Peterson. As a previous di-x ashier, J. The following tax releases were x ashier, J. E. Peterson. Miss Ruby cided to conform to the action of that this equipment will be moved to her. Her color was good, he

Aunt Roxie Opines By Mc-

HOG TUESDAY, JAN, 24TH

H. "Ah hopes dis purty weatha" icks."

thought that a defective flue was taken over by the Carolina com- called for seven-thirty that eve-

ever.