# WILL BENEFIT THE SOUTH.

Spirit of the Times is Most Hopeful For Southern Agriculture.

and Development Agent of the Atlanbound to react after the war is over in favor of safe farming as against the old, one-crop, un-aie system.

We all know that the past fifty years the South has been humpered in its economic struggle by an un- in Dunn, N. C., in 1894. Later this means of preserving child life and tion.

Before the war, when transport tion facilities were inferior of those today, the average Southern farm

truest sense, and provided his table should have a canning plant. from the surplus products of his

or credit system. Thus, when farmers requested credit, the financial and mercantile interests furnished of practical usefulness. it to them in consideration of a

ank and merchant, yet unsafe for after by ladies who have been apthe farmer, and unsafe for all in pointed by the Department of Agrithe long run, was cotton credit alone culture. They draw salaries ranging

the times, especially in Atlantic Coast been well trained in some practical Line territory, in the interest taken packing house or college of agriculin agriculture by the leaders in ture where such training is taught. South Emerron said, "When God turns loose a thinker the earth trembles," and when Southern agricul- lost more than 90 per cent of their done. Of Sampson county the book tural problems are taken up by the pack. thoughtful element of our growing communities, their solution is sure to be the natural result.

One of the advantages accraine to the South through the war and ure. . the diminishing food supply, is the fact that we will be forced by the conomic trend of the situation to lone already has a plant for his own think seriously and act promptly and practicably relative to agricul- pering tools, a crate to fit in kettle canning club members to co-operate favor of Mr. Smith. Mr. Jose Frank-

telligence of the South has preachhas availed little because the econ- how to run it. situation is reversed, and the need training they need along this line ture, morality, emitation, and home accept the work familiar with his of food for ourselves and our allies they could teach our farmers how life. fighting for Democracy in Europe to erect their plants and how to stands as the supreme necessity for pack the goods. human action.

which will be predicated upon a safe the building up of all industries. and sane system of diversification in farm production.

I was much impressed a few years 5-14-17. ugo by a story told me by an Ameri can newspaper man who while inter viewing Rudyard Kipling at his English place, was shown a mason digging as far down as five feet for a Former Ambassador To Great Bri. cles. The State Board of Health concrete foundation for a wall. "Do you see how substantially he is doing that"? asked Kipling. "That should be of interest to an American, who Choate, former United States Am- ber of cases, and sanitary convenien is used to seeing things done in a bassador to Great Britain, died at ces were installed in every one of build for the ages. Once here I ask- this city. ed a man why he plowed so deeply, Mr. Choate had been ill only since single case of contagious or preven and I asked this mason why he went this morning. He had taken a very table disease occurred. so far down for his foundation when active part in the entertainment in two or three feet would do, and this city of the British and Prench ted against flies by screening homes they both made the same answer—a war missions and attended services and destroyed breeding places. or a motto: "We do it this way, he yesterday morning." said, 'for the honor of the land."

ciple of patriotism and is so ap- tions of the future. plicable in our present situation. It Let us start now and build for clay road was built from the village

stable government, and bases upon that the farmers of the American it the structure of truth and justice constitution reared this Government."

## THE CANNING INDUSTRY.

Twenty-three years ago I served s an apprentice in a large Northorn Canning establishment and learn-Allen Maull, General Advertising ad how to pack fruits and vegetables At that time I was living at Sal-

in its economic struggle by an unsafe system of agriculture, for which business was moved to Buie's Creek the farmers are not alone to blame. The business and financial interests must accept their fair share of the responsibility in helping create and maintain the system under which coats, bought a farm located one and maintain the system under which coats, bought a farm located one began. For the first more alies are so began. For the first year of war satisfactory to the sound as tion.

Immediately afte the Board took the oath they re-deted R. L. God-win has redoubled there since the war two years and his jork has been so began. For the first year of war satisfactory to the sound as well as the country to the sound as the country to mile from the town and erected an- her infant mortality rate was higher the people generally flere was no opother canning plant which is now in than in previous years, but for 1916 position.

operation on a practical basis.

I have had an experience that is for that country. was self-supporting, and the south worth while that has continued

Every farmer cannot run a canfarm, marketing his cotton in his ning plant on a commercial basis ning plant on a commercial basis on time, in his own way and in his own market and keeping his own market and keeping his own bank to vitalize the other latent resources of his own community.

Economic and social changes were ning plant and teach all boys who least. Our Agricultural College at "The questions are, Are, these 1, ing abolished. Mr Raleigh should have a complete canning plant and teach all boys who they not worth fighting flies for? Are Mr. L. U. Bizze Economic and social changes were ning plant and teach all boys who they not worth he efforts of keeping forced upon the South by the reconstance of the Light and wastruction period through economic pack all fruits and vegetables. Our them clean and feeding them clean, the color than always sold for the Light and Wastruction. Cotton has always sold Farm Life School at Lillington should cool milk? These questions are parsmith successed II. R. L. Warren as for cash, and is reasonably sure in do the same thing. Any Farm Life ticularly for parents to answer. But Health Officer. its harvest; it is easy to handle and School or Agricultural College that where parents are not capable of adapting itself, by the natural condi- does not teach its agricultural pupils answering them and acting upon their ceed himself. how to pack all fruits, vegetables, pickles, jellies, preserves, jame, catsups, etc., is far below the standard

> There are 70 odd counties in North Carolina that have girl Canning Clube. These Club girls are looked

I notice in one county of our State last season the girls who pack-

ed peas, apples, corn and tomatoes

Our Farm Demonstrators are be-

This is a day of technicalities for Doubtless, out of the experience practical business and the man who munity development, such as the of the next few years the South will can do a thing safely is now in de- State Extension Service, through emerge triumphant with a system mand. Knowledge, co-operation and which the State Department of the of agriculture, forced by the necesity capital are always in demand, for Yours very truly,

G. I. SMITH

## JOSEPH H. CHOATE CLAIMED BY DEATH

tain Passed Away in New York.

displays a deference to the nourish- the South a system of agriculture to the school-house, which is the coning earth—the prolific mother of us that will not only sustain our present all, but to the natal soil of the man generation, but those of the future, who has the real interest of his coun- against the oppression of the econy at heart.

He is the real patriot who plows like the Rock of Gibralter as a ..... deeply and builds well, not for his ment to our constructive intelligence days alone, but for posterity. He and ability. Let us remember; that seeks to lay onduring foundation of it was "For the honor of the land"

OUR LAST LINE OF DEFENSE TOWN OFFICIALS TAKE OATH PRESIDENT KEENLY INTEREST.

tect the Children, Particularly the Same Mayer and Beard of Alde Bables.

"Children mean more to America it was the lowest rate on record Mr. Herbert Mckly, who has serv-

a real cash crop, and not merely a such a process.

I am also familiar with the closed top-both processes for all vegetables that can be packed.

In that period the farmer practiced the principle of diversification in its that can be packed.

Every farmer who owns a farm of the principle of diversification in its the principle of diversification in its that can be packed.

There was another candidate for this position, another candidate for this position, the government or the speculators. There was matter of control by either another candidate for this position, the government or the speculators. The appending it will require the passage of the there's the fly, baby's worst enemy. It brings to it directly orto its food the did to force of the passage of the pending legislation to overthrow them. It brings to it directly orto its food he did in favor of hir. Parker. all kinds of filth and often disease

Mr. N. B. Band was named as the Department of Labor and the Bugerms, particularly the germs of cnChief of Police and Mr. O. T. Wilrean of Education are working to-

communities to answer. The bubies the various communities to answer. The bubies the various communities are not yet responsible for their lives."

SAMPSON COUNTY CITED AS suggestions, they are for towns and themselves are not yet responsible

CRITERIA

book for last year, just out, has paid North Carolina quite a compliment in the report on the effect of home emonstration work in the South. Sampson and Anson counties are cited as examples of what has been

ing how to pack the goods. I notice ty, North Carolina, furnishes an extended instructions sent out to pack the instructions sent out to pack cellent object-lesson on the manner cutive session. After the meeting sweet potatoes is a miserable failgresses. In 1914 nine girls organizuse. He can buy one tipper, 2 cop- ganized among the mothers of the and one fire pot for heating tools.

For many years the best basic inThis will make him a complete outmarket. The success of this undercuting Attorney and Mr. E. Lee Vicemarket. The success of this under- cuting Attorney and Mr. E. Lee Vicetaking aroused a great deal of in- Recorder. ence. The strongest arguments more than 25 or 30 dollars.

a community organization. A meeting has served the people faithfully and have been used in its favor, but it. The next most desirable thing is was held in the late summer and a well, and to the best of his ability. community club, of both men and He has endeavored to be impartial been stronger than the economic ing made up of College students and ite program along six lines, namely given satisfaction. Mr. Smith has necessity to grow food. Today the if such Demonstrators could have the social activity, education, agricul-served as recorder before and will

"In these enterprises the community had the assistance of many public forces in the State interested in com-State Agricultural College and the United States Department of Agriculture were co-operating in the employment of county men and women agents, the State Board of Health State Department of Education farcommunity organization made it easy to secure the services of these agenmade a complete survey of the sanitary conditions of the community Diseases were eradicated in a num But here in Sussex they 11:30 o'clock tonight at his home in the 115 homes. During the school son, of Benson. term following this service not a

"A special campaign was conduc

ing a community-service week a sand

Will Serve Dung Another Year.

the Coast Line recently stated that amburg in Sampson County, N. C. When I returned home I put up a hopeful for Southern agriculture."

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Continued Mr. Mauli, "The interest and tomatoes the first year.

The cath of ones was taken by and to the world today than ever Mayor J. W. Turage and Messrs.

Washington, May 13.—President Wilson is keenly interested in the food situation in this country and has packed huckleberries and tomatoes the first year. This was the first canning plant that which will protect the children put up in Sampson County, N. C. I increased my capacity and continuation of the first canning plant that which will protect the children was administered by Squire E. Lee. food production and to control the and safeguard baby life. Here in This is the same Board that has distribution and prices of food. Both I increased my capacity and continuation of the food bills have been introduction. ed the business in Sampson County us, it is nothing more than common no change being saide in the last ed in the House and will be hurried for several years. I established the first canning plant its needs and put into action the missioners going in without opposit the yield of food stuffs is now the

Light and Wawas also named

Street commit

1. M. Driver. Mayor pro tel talks by R. L.

meeting adjourned to meet in regu lar session the following night. At Tuesday night's meeting the regular routine business was transacted, after which the matter of reommending a man for Judge of the Recorder's court came up. There was declared open again a vote was taken with the result that C. J. Smith to decide the matter, declared in

women was organized, with a defin- and fair in his decisions and has duties and well qualified for the

## TWO FIRES THIS WEEK

Home of Mr. Holland Distroyed and Damage Done at Tilghman's Mill

cupied by a Mr. Holland, located about one-half file beyond the city provisional government. limits on the East Broad street mer's unions, and other forces. The The fire was begond the reach of the provisional government, repres

they both made the same answer—a war missions and attended services phrase I have since learned is comat the Cathedral of St. John the Dimonly in use in Sussex, like an adage
vine with Foreign Minister Balfour
ty held a fair in Sampson county, city fire department responded but
the exhibits including farm and gard. id, 'for the honor of the land."

The phrase embedies a fine prin- that shall serve the untold general hold products, and school work. Dur-

# ED IN FOOD SITUATION

He Asks Congressmen To Pass Bills Quickly As Posible to Cover Em-

unfinished business of the House.

The control measure is being con sidered by the House Committee on use their influence to defeat the con-trol bill. Opposition to that propoor that country.

cd as clerk to the Board for the the food gamblers. Officials of the "As the summer approaches, baby's past several years tendered his reddepartment of agriculture feel that was financially independent—was self-financing because it was self-financing because it was self-financing because it continued through a period of 28 years. I am familiar with open-top-both processes feeding; because its cotton crop was for all fruits that can be packed by

is appealing every day to people to Wilson has written the Governors of his efforts to utilize school boys an Jas. A. Taylor girls for garden work, thereby ding a million more producers to the field forces already at work. "The sees as follows: can be doubled within a year," said committee, Ellis a statement issued by the Department of Agriculture today." That can be doubled within a year," said E. Noel. ment of Agriculture today." That Ellis Goldstein could be accomplished if everybody in position to help will do his part in that direction \$600,000,000 worth of food can be added to the annual supply this year by increasing yield of poultry, which would add meat and eggs to the table."

## MELBA PAULINE HERRING.

Herring is Laid to Rest at Clinton. Clinton, May 14.—The remains of Melba Pauline Herring, the twenty-months-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Paul S. Herring, arrived here Saturhe died early Friday morning. The funeral was conducted from the residence Saturday afternoon and the interment was in the cemetery hore. Rev. Fred T. Collins, pastor of the Baptist church here conducted the

three grandparents, and many other to become alarmed." tend to Mr. and Mrs. Herring their

# THE RUSSIAN SITUATION GROW.

Petrogard, May 15.-Via London The executive committee of the delegates, after discussing yesterday the internal situation in Russi decided by 41 votes against 19 to favor the participation of represen-

Before voting in favor of the par

The Real "Stuff."

Calling it the real stuff would be not be company shop of patriotism that Kinston druggists and Theatre owners have shown. According to reports these men have valued the soldiers money as "no good" and all wearers of the national agent."

If you would live with mind at ease, do what you ought, not what ease at the shows in that city, Free been sunk in the last week than in the month previous.

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Calling it the real stuff would be not to ship sesseping attack is very large.

Those in touch with the anti-sub-marines have very chem-was life. Sunday night at seven o'clock at the home of the bride's father, Mr. M. A. McColl were married. It was a pretty home wadding. Ethel Jolly, Helen Sawyer, Myrile Moore, and Wr. M. A. McColl were married. It was a pretty home wadding. Ethel Jolly, Helen Sawyer, Myrile Moore, and Robt. Pate, Alex Bykes, and C. Carl Fitchett were attendants. Rev. W. L. Maness, pastor of Methodist method. Brooklyn Eagle.

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Calling it the real stuff would be not house the kind of actual attacks of whith the anti-sub-marines have shown. According to a light the number of the last fortaight. This has been particularly favorable to alriptance activity. According to a light the number of the sevence of Mr. M. A. McColl were married. It was a pretty home wadding. But hat will be of much value to them in after li

## REAL ESTATE TRANSPRS

Allen M. Shaw to W. R. John 18 4-5 acres in Lillington township. consideration \$564. G. T. Owen and others to Mrs.

P. A. Lewis, one lot in Dunn, con-F. D. McNelll and others to S. R. Prince 25 acres in Upper Little River

7 acres in U. L. R. township, Bessie Lee to G. M. Tilghman, Ho-

P. M. McKay 14 2-5 seres in Duke

7. A. Lee to Moses Tripp 2 lots in Duna, consideration \$100 and other curb speculation to the curb spe

D. W. Adams to J. C. Byrd and Bros. 320 scres in Stewart's Creek wills Byrd to H. E. Truelove 155 acres in Stewart's Creek town

onsideration \$77.50. Willis Byrd to B. F. Truelove 1% eres in Stewart's Creek towns consideration \$75.—Harnett Report-

## WAR TIME PROSPERITY PRE-DICTED BY ARMOUR

Chicago, May 15 .- Continuation of he prosperity of the country in spite of the war, and continuation without experiencing any tempera depression will follow the adoption the Illinois state council of defense, cruiting; and of the advisory committee of Por the

the council for national defense. "The prompt adoption by the nation to prosecute war without exour said today, discussing the ecop-

the expenditure of bugs sums of er to issue search warrants for isers. Other conditions peculiar to power to emb nation will enjoy a period of business ed hy administration affic and industrial activity the like of modified once, but the which has never before been seem provision was rectored after and which is assured whether the sity had been explained bear lasts several months or several in a day's session behind close.

"There is some reason to believ

## PUBLIC PLAY GROUNDS

The Dake Work in Charge of Prof. B. F. Dalton.-Couple Marry.

Duke, May 15 .- One hundred sixty ave children met Prof. B. F. Dalton Monday morning to be enrolled in food-tuffs conservation in the sen-systematic and organized play in the ste, by a vote of 46 to 37 reversed open air for the summer. Some of the larger towns of North Carolina have tried out the public play grounds and found them very acting factory, but Duke is the only small town that has emploed a man especially for this work. The Park has been fitted up with apparatus censcilimits on the East Broad street road, was totally destroyed by fire. The fire was beyond the reach of the provisional government, representatives of the general staff visited the responded to the alarm, and the flames which were fanned by a stiff wind son destroyed the building. A few pieces of furniture and housefew pieces of furniture and housetimits on the East Broad street the participation of the socialists in the been fitted up with apparatus especiative of the child-been fitted up with apparatus especiative and a fool conservation step, but at tacked as really a prohibition move.

An amendment by Seaster Thomas to surprise the surprise of wind son destroyed the building. A few pieces of furniture and house-hold goods were skeed, but most of the furnishings were burned. The feurnishings were burned. The follow the example of M. Guchoff, is son, of Benson.

A small fire Traeday afternoon destroyed one of the out houses at Tilghman's mill. The house was used for depositing shavings from the mill and had it not been for the ground and had it not been for the ground the fire hard began gotten under control beforethey arrived on the scene. The damage was not a great deal.

The Real "Stuff."

Spoke most earnestly of the serious deschools here and has been elected to the mass position for the next year. He has recently spent some time in Raleigh with C. H. MacDonald superintendent of the city play grounds making a special study of the best methods of handling this cleas of work. Monday morning the children were organised into groups and will have special hours each day in the park. This organized play means a great deal to the people of the week's lômes through submarines to be insued tomorrow will be the most favorable in several weeks. The number of ships torpedeed is well below the average, while the number of ships escaping attack is very large.

The Real "Stuff."

### ADMINISTRATION ESPIONAGE BILL PASSED BY SENATE

edrafting of Many Imper victors May Be Expecte Hee Passed Bill.

by a vote of 77 to 6, tos

A similar bill has passed the he and virtual redrafting of many

Moses Tripp to Z. A. Lee 2 lots in Dunn, consideration \$1.00 and restriction upon manufacture valuable consideration.

As completed, the ac-

(not in the house measure). Authority for the postoffic

ment to ceasor mails and ex-matter deemed seditions, anarc or treasonable, and making its melling punishable under heavy penalties (not in the house bill):

For punishment of espions fined in most detailed terms, ing wrongful use of military infor-

For the seisure of arms

For increase

Speaking of the possibility that ions for newspapers cens overcautiousness might result from partial prohibition, tog war economy suggestions, Mr. Armondo and suggestions, Mr. Armondo and suggestions, war, culminated in final Vigorous efforts to retain The floral tributes were many and beautiful, coming from many sympathizing friends among whom the little ed for a while, but conditions are pressure that the public will soon see if such that the public will soon see if clause. As the house bill c

a provision by the jury of culpubil-ity for violation of consorship rega-lations to be promulgated by the Pre-sident, the administration is expected to bring strong pressure for drafting in conference of a compromise Reverses Itself on Prohibition. On the question of prohibition and