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NEWS FROM EVERYWHERE.

Items of Interest to Our Readers, Gathered from Current News Dispatches.

Fredrick Archer, of Selma, will head the Greensboro schools next year. He was chosen by the advisory board over several candidates. Mr. Archer has had considerable experience, having served in school work at Winston-Salem and Selma. The salary was fixed at \$2,400 and he will be provided with an automobile or other means of transportation.

Automobile accidents are getting to be a common occurrence. Practically every paper carries the news of an accident or a death as a result. The most favored of the drivers should begin to take note of the effect of reckless driving.

More encouraging reports are coming from different parts of the State to the effect that crops are showing up favorably and are responding to the recent change in weather conditions.

Rocky Mount is the last to fall in line in furnishing a Red Cross ambulance. This donation is made by the United Daughters of the Confederacy.

Rather than pay a fine of \$25 the eleven suffragists chose imprisonment. It will be remembered that they were arrested at their Fourth of July demonstration in front of the White House.

Plots to destroy crops in some of the western States have been discovered and every effort will be made to take care of the proposition. The Industrial Workers of the World seem to be involved, according to reports from Sioux Falls, S. D.

SENATE STILL WRESTLING WITH PROHIBITION.
(By International News Service.)

WASHINGTON, July 7. — The "drys" won another victory today when the Senate refused to modify the Cummins amendment prohibiting the withdrawal from bond and the importation of distilled spirits, the vote being 45 to 38.

The Senate also rejected the Reed amendment, authorizing the President to permit withdrawal of liquor in bond if public interests required it. By a vote of 65 to 17 the Senate adopted the Snoot amendment directing the President to requisition alcoholic spirits held in bonded warehouses and pay the owners actual cost plus a profit of not over ten per cent.

Schedule of GASTONIA-DALLAS TRANSFER LINES.

Lv. Gastonia 7:19 a. m.
Lv. Gastonia 8:00 a. m.
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Lv. Gastonia 4:25 p. m.
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Lv. Gastonia 6:05 p. m.
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SHOT "BURGLAR," BUT IT WAS HIS WIFE.
(By International News Service.)

CHICAGO, July 7.—Charles Sikorski awoke suddenly at midnight with the feeling that some one was in his room. He reached under the pillow for his gun and waited. As the moon broke through the clouds he saw a form silhouetted against the window, and the person was going through his trousers' pockets.

"Can't be my wife," Sikorski muttered as he took aim and fired, she's left me."

It was, though. Mrs. Sophia Sikorski, 24, who had left during a quarrel in the afternoon and had returned to get some funds, was shot three times in the abdomen. She was seriously wounded.

Sikorski was arrested. He told the police he thought the intruder was a burglar.

The Good Roads Association convenes in Asheville today for a three-days session. A very interesting and elaborate program has been prepared.

President Wilson has issued a proclamation for government control of exports beginning with July 15. The president declared that the government's policy will be first to give consideration to American needs and next to meet as far as possible the requirements of the Allies and lastly, to supply the neutral countries wherever possible.

ROSSVILLE, Ga.—Mrs. Kate Lee Able, of this place, writes: "My husband is an engineer, and once while lifting, he injured himself with a piece of heavy machinery, across the abdomen. He was so sore he could not bear to press on himself at all, on chest or abdomen. He weighed 165 lbs., and fell off until he weighed 110 lbs., in two weeks.

He became constipated and it looked like he would die. We had three different doctors, yet with all their medicine, his bowels failed to act. He would turn up a ten-cent bottle of castor oil, and drink it two or three days in succession. He did this yet without result. We became desperate, he suffered so. He was swollen terribly. He told me his suffering could only be described as torture.

I sent and bought Theodor's Black-Draught. I made him take a big dose, and when it began to act he fainted, he was in such misery, but he got relief and began to mend at once. He got well, and we both feel he owes his life to Theodor's Black-Draught."

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TERRIDLY SWOLLEN
Suffering Described As Torture Relieved by Black-Draught.

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P. & N. CHANGES ITS SCHEDULE TEMPORARILY.

The Piedmont & Northern Railway company is preparing to put in the new \$150,000 steel girder bridge at Mount Holly and in doing this, it will be necessary for the road to use the Seaboard's tracks from Rhyne's station to Mount Holly.

The public is asked to note the temporary schedule which goes into effect at 1:20 a. m., July 5.

Leave Charlotte 8 a. m., 12 noon, 3 p. m., 6 p. m., 11 p. m.
Leave Gastonia 7 a. m., 11 a. m., 2 p. m., 5 p. m., 9 p. m.
The schedule will be resumed in about a week, when the new structure is completed. The steel for the bridge has arrived at the river and work will commence at once.

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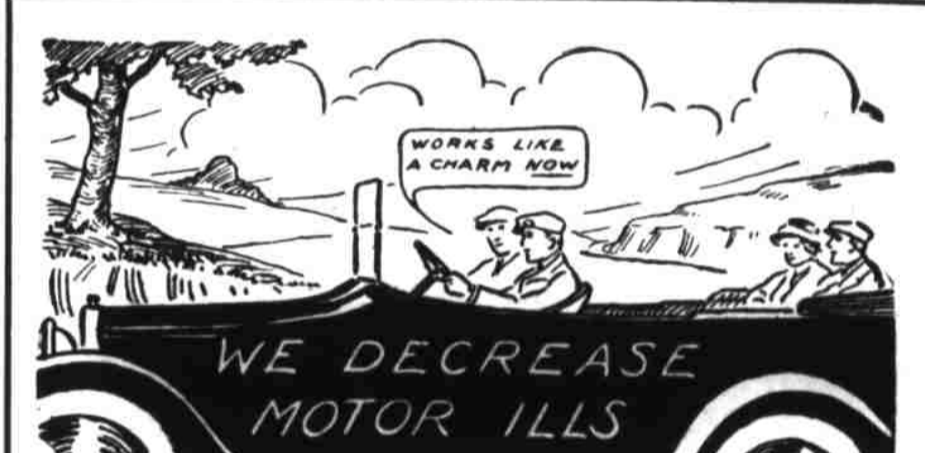
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CALL FOR CO-OPERATION.

Shippers Are Asked to Aid Railroads in Relieving the Car Shortage — Prompt Loading and Unloading an Essential.

Special to The Gazette.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 9. — An appeal to shippers and consignees to "do their bit" towards improving the freight car supply by prompt loading and unloading at warehouses and side tracks has been issued by the Southern Railway System. It is headed, "Won't You Help Us Serve Our Country," and is as follows:

"Under existing war conditions the transportation of troops and of munitions and supplies for the Army and Navy and for our Allies in Europe must take precedence over all other kinds of traffic.

"The railroads of the United States are performing their full duty to the Government and are striving, at the same time, to serve all those dependent upon them for transportation with the least possible delay.

"Drastic rules to secure the most efficient use of every available freight car are being enforced so far as conditions can be governed by the rail-

roads.
"But there are delays beyond the control of the railroads.
"Shippers and consignees can 'do their bit' and cut down the time used in loading and unloading cars at their warehouses and side tracks.
"Every hour counts.
"Cars should be loaded to their capacity.
"The transportation demands of the Government and of the American people call for co-operation to the fullest extent."
—(Adv.)

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