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"This Argus o'er the people's rights  
Doth an eternal vigil keep;

No soothing strains of Maia's son  
Can lull its hundred eyes to sleep."

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## THE WOODILL MURDER

### Coroner's Verdict a Compromise--Eastman Guilty or Accessory.

Eastman's Remains Buried Early Sunday Morning--It Was a Lonely and Solemn Affair and No Minister Officiated.

St. Michaels, Md., June 28.—The verdict of the coroner's jury in the Woodill murder case was "that Eastman killed Edith May Thompson Woodill, or was an accessory to the murder."

It was a compromise verdict, as four of the members of the jury refused to sign until the words "was accessory to the murder" was added.

The theory that Edith May Woodill was lured to "Lame Bob" Eastman's bungalow without knowledge of where she was going and that she was drugged and detained there against her will, was advanced yesterday, when a further search of the shack, which the superstitious folk of the neighborhood forevermore will shun as haunted, revealed a small bottle which a hasty examination shows contained a mixture of narcotic drugs. There were strong traces of morphine in the nearly empty phial.

This discovery tends to bear out the theory which the people of the community who knew the girl long have wanted to believe. They never listened to the idea that she was involved in a drunken orgy at the bungalow.

It has been contended that she lost her life in repelling the advances of the man who acknowledged his guilt by snuffing out his life when it seemed that the hands of the law were about to be laid upon him.

## MAY SELL MATTAMUSKEET.

Special Meeting of the State Board of Education.

A special meeting of the state board of education will be held in Raleigh this week to confer with J. O. Wright, drainage engineer of the United States Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Wright has been North in the interest of the State board of education with a view to finding purchasers for Mattamuskeet Lake, a 50,000-acre body of water in Hyde county, which it is desired to have reclaimed for agricultural purposes.

It is understood that Mr. Wright has located prospective purchasers.

## BISHOP'S RETREAT ENDED.

Ministers Heard Address on Emmanuel Movement--Leave Today.

The concluding session of the Bishop's Retreat, which has been in progress at Wrightsville Beach since last Tuesday was held yesterday morning, when the ministers heard an address from Rev. Mr. Batchelor, of Boston, on the Emmanuel movement. He handled his topic excellently and was cordially received by the ministers, who manifested much interest in what he had to say on this subject.

The ministers attending the Retreat assembled with a large congregation at St. John's Episcopal Church Sunday morning for the ordination service, when Rev. N. C. Duncan was formally ordained to the Episcopal ministry. The service was most impressive, the ordination being by Rt. Rev. Robert Strange, Bishop of the Diocese of Eastern Carolina. The sermon at this service was preached by Rev. John B. Gibbie, of Windsor, and was a very fine discourse.

On Sunday evening a service was held at the chapel on Wrightsville Beach with sermon by Rev. Claudius E. Smith, of Elizabeth City. It was an able discourse and the service was well attended. The ministers leave for their homes today, after a most pleasant and profitable gathering here.

## JOY!

Mothers know real joy who have seen the quick relief given to the little ones by Viek's Croup and Pneumonia Salve.

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### DENTIST.

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## CONFERENCE OF SOCIOLOGISTS.

Three Days' Program of Many Interesting Topics by Noted Persons.

Sagamore Beach, Mass., June 29.—Noted sociologists from all parts of the United States are assembled here to attend the third annual sociological conference at this place, which beginning today will continue in session until Thursday night. In accordance with the custom of these conferences the set speeches are limited in number in order to give every member of the conference an opportunity to discuss the various topics selected for the different sessions.

According to the program the following topics have been selected: "The Social Progress of the Past Year," by Paul U. Kellogg; "The Whole World's Social Unrest," by William T. Ellis, a Philadelphia Journalist and sociologist; "The Negro in a Democracy," by Ray Stannard Baker, whose recent book, "Following the Color Line," has thrown so much light on conditions in the Southern states; "How Industrial Education Will Bring Social Reconstruction," by Robert A. Woods, head of the South End House, Boston; "The Cost of Crowding Women Workers," by Mrs. Raymond Robins, a social reformer of Chicago, and the first woman to speak at a Sagamore conference; "The Social Message of the Hebrew Prophets," by Rabbi Stephen S. Wise, Ph.D., of New York; "The Transition From the Present to a Co-operative Society," by Prof. Walter Rauschenbusch, D.D., of Rochester Theological Seminary.

Mr. George W. Coleman, the organizer and chairman of the Ford Hall meetings in Boston, will preside at the sessions of the conference and will also act as chairman at the discussions which follow the delivery of the main address upon each of the topics selected.

## OUTLOOK FOR COTTON CROP.

Detailed Report by States Shows Decrease of 9.7 Below Last Year.

Memphis, Tenn., June 28.—The report of the National Ginners' Association gives the average and condition of cotton up to June 24 as 7.5. There has been an abandonment of acreage of 7 per cent, according to the report, making the total acreage 9.8 less than last year.

Detailed reports by states: Alabama, condition 7, acreage abandoned 14 per cent., crop very grassy in nearly all sections, plant small and from two to four weeks late.

Arkansas, condition 7; acreage abandoned, 4 per cent.; crop very good in west and north, very grassy and small elsewhere; boll weevil in twenty-four counties worse than last season, some fields being abandoned on account of them.

Florida, condition, 90; very little loss acreage; most sections good.

Georgia, condition, 79; acreage abandoned, 5 per cent.; crop, grassy, most sections not all chopped yet; plant generally small and from one to three weeks late; some complaints of lice and black rot.

Louisiana, condition, 56; acreage abandoned, 13 per cent.; some sections very good shape, but so many weevils they are destroying all the squares as fast as they form; much cotton being abandoned or planted in something else on this account.

Mississippi, condition, 61; acreage abandoned, 13 per cent.; plant generally small; poor stands and grassy.

Missouri, condition, 86; very little loss in acreage; crops late, but good.

North Carolina, condition 77; acreage abandoned, 4 per cent.; crops grassy in most sections and some two to three weeks late.

Tennessee, condition, 77; acreage abandoned, 7 per cent.; crop small and grassy.

Texas, condition, 80; acreage abandoned, 5 per cent., principally in the dry section where the rains came too late; condition north and east Texas best in years, but weevils are reported more numerous than usual, and this fine prospect may be changed in a very short time. South Texas had plenty of rain, plant generally small and from four to six weeks late. Weevils reported in large numbers doing damage already. West Texas still very dry except four counties some places have had no rain in six months. With plenty of rain this section will produce from 50 to 60 per cent. of a crop.

An extra session of the Illinois legislature will likely be called for this fall to again take up the matter of a primary election law. The primary election law passed by the special session last year has been declared unconstitutional by the Illinois Supreme Court. It was the third state primary law to be declared invalid by the Illinois court.

A man's credit is usually good when he doesn't need it.

## A COMMENDABLE THING.

Goldsboro's Public Comfort Room; How It Is Doing Its Allotted Work.

Editor Argus: It's the unselfish things that go to make up the things that make life worth living. The merchants of Goldsboro formed themselves into an association to better themselves, to get acquainted with each other and to improve the general trade condition.

To do this they realized that the first thing to be done was to have a general meeting place and a place where the customers of these merchants could go with their wives and children. The room was fitted up by the ladies of our town—they gave a couch, a table, chairs and rocks, so our visitors can go there, rest at ease, can write letters, can have their bundles sent there, can get a cool drink of ice water in summer and find a warm fire during the cold winter days. Every effort was made to make this Public Comfort Room just what it is called—a Public Comfort Room—a room solely for the comfort of our country friends and customers.

What pleases us most is the fact that we have accomplished what we planned to do, as our daily register will show.

A thing that adds so much to the comfort of our daily visitors is the fact that we have a lady in charge of these rooms who makes it her business—to look after the comfort of all callers, and they are numerous.

It has been our pleasure to several occasions to take merchants from abroad to inspect our Public Comfort Rooms. Each and every one of these representative merchants went away remarking that "this is one thing I will have to recommend to my town upon my return."

We feel that we have reasons to be proud of the fact that we are looking out for the comfort and welfare of our country friends and deem it a pleasure in doing so.

## A GOLDSBORO MERCHANT.

## FARMERS' WAREHOUSE.

Goldsboro's Tobacco Market Gains Valuable Worker.

The Argus announces with genuine excitement that Mr. J. E. Jones, more recently of LaGrange, but formerly a warehouseman of this city, is again to be on the Goldsboro market, having leased the Farmers' Warehouse.

There is not a better tobacco warehouseman in the State than Mr. Jones. He knows tobacco from the bed to the leaf factory, and its quality and value are quickly recognized by his trained eye, and he always requires the buyers to bid all that every pile on his floor is worth; so that the farmer who brings his tobacco to Goldsboro the coming season may rest assured that it will command every cent it is worth.

Every one who knows J. E. Jones—and every tobacco grower for fifty miles around knows him, knows, too, that he works like a Trojan for his patrons—that he stands for his patrons and no buyer ever gets a pile of tobacco on the floor of his house till the top price of its value is bid.

The Argus congratulates Goldsboro and the farmers of this section that Mr. Jones is to be on our market this season.

## THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Goldsboro and Vicinity.

Showers tonight and Wednesday.

It's still a question whether love is an asset or a liability.

It's nice to live in the country—nice for your city relations.

## A FEW FACTS ABOUT LIVER TROUBLE.

A dull, sluggish liver always brings a dull, sluggish feeling to the entire body. When the liver works properly the blood courses through the body in a bright red stream. When the liver is inactive the blood becomes dull and muddy, and it is full of poisonous matter. A great many people try to get a fine, clear, pink and white complexion by rubbing things on their faces. They might rub a lifetime and the same yellow complexion would remain—for the liver causes it. Only bright, red blood brings fine complexions. Blood loaded with impurities from the liver sends the impurities out through the pores of the skin and turns the skin a brownish yellow.

To get rid of the dull, heavy feeling and muddy, yellow complexion get the liver to working again. Two 50c bottles of BLOODLINE will do it nine times out of ten. If you are troubled with Constipation and Straining use BLOODLINE LIVER PILLS with the BLOODLINE.

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## KEEP IT UP

### Yesterday's Game With the Tobaccoists Was Simply Superb

The Tobaccoists Got Up in the Air in the First Inning and Could Not Get Together Again At All, At All.

The Goldsboro Giants made a good start yesterday afternoon to carry out the injunction and the desire of The Argus that they take all three games on the local diamond from our brilliant opponents, the Tobaccoists.

Early in yesterday's contest the Giants put the visitors "up in the air" and kept them there throughout the game.

It was a battle royal and the local "fans" simply went wild, while the playing of the game by the Giants proved them to be what The Argus has ever claimed for them, the best team in the league.

Otis, the superb, was in the box for Goldsboro, and Fulton was behind the willow, and although the former was pretty well crippled, having both a lame ankle and lame finger, he allowed only four hits, and struck out seven.

The new umpire, Mr. Accorsini, is a joy on the field, and his knowledge of the game, his alert watchfulness and his prompt decisions add everything to satisfaction of the spectators and to the snap and energy of the players.

The features for Wilson were a double play, Bird to Suiter to Mills and Cooper's three-bagger; for Goldsboro, three fast double plays, the fielding and batting of Zanelli and Doak and Fulton's work behind the bat; "Kid" Smith also made a pretty running catch of Holt's line drive in the fifth, doubling Armstrong's at first by a fast throw from deep centre.

## The Tabulated Score.

Goldsboro	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Smith, cf.	4	0	0	2	1	0
Gettig, 3b.	4	1	2	0	0	0
Steinbach, 2b.	3	2	1	0	2	0
Crockett, lb.	4	2	2	1	1	0
Doak, if.	4	3	3	3	0	0
Zanelli, ss.	4	1	3	2	2	0
Stubbe, rf.	4	1	1	0	0	0
Fulton, c.	4	1	2	9	1	0
Otis, p.	2	0	0	0	2	0
Flinn, p.	0	0	0	0	1	0
Seal, *	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	34	11	14	27	10	0

\*Batted for Otis in eighth.

Wilson	AB.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Suiter, 2b.	2	1	0	1	4	0
Cooper, cf. and lf.	3	1	2	2	0	0
Yerkes, ss.	4	0	0	0	2	0
Miller, rf.	4	0	1	1	0	0
Bird, 3b.	4	0	1	1	2	0
Armstrong, lf.	2	0	1	1	0	0
Moore, cf.	0	0	0	0	0	0
Holt, c.	4	0	1	7	1	0
Mills, lb.	4	0	1	1	1	0
Lane, p.	3	0	0	3	0	0
Dobson *	1	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	31	2	7	24	12	1

\*Batted for Moore in ninth.

## Score by Innings.

Goldsboro	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Goldsboro	0	0	0	2	1	1	1	4	0
Wilson	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1

Summary—Earned runs, Goldsboro, 9; Wilson, 1. Stolen bases, Gettig, Steinbach (2), Doak (2). Sacrifice hits, Smith, Steinbach. Two-base hit, Doak. Three-base hits, Zanelli and Cooper. Innings pitched by Otis, 8; Flinn, 1. Hits off Otis, 4; Flinn, 3. Struck out: By Otis, 7; Flinn, 0; Lane, 3. Hit by pitcher, Suiter, one play; Zanelli to Crockett, Fulton, Smith to Crockett, Flinn to Fulton, to Crockett, Bird to Suiter to Mills. Left on bases: Goldsboro, 4; Wilson, 6. Bases on errors, Goldsboro, 1. Umpire, Accorsini. Time, 1:56. Attendance, 900.

## Where They Play Today.

Wilmington at Raleigh.  
Rocky Mount at Fayetteville.  
Wilson at Goldsboro.

## Games Yesterday.

Raleigh 7; Wilmington, 3.  
Fayetteville, 3; Rocky Mount, 2.  
Goldsboro, 11; Wilson, 2.

## Standing of the Clubs.

Club	Won	Lost	P. C.
Wilson	21	12	.636
Raleigh	21	13	.618
Goldsboro	21	15	.583
Wilmington	17	20	.459
Fayetteville	12	21	.364
Rocky Mount	11	22	.333

The woman who marries a cranky old bachelor is as big a fool as he is.

## TYPHOID PROMULGATOR.

The Ubiquitous House Fly Its Chief Spreading Agent.

The activity and fecundity of the typhoid fly is remarkable if it has access to stable deposits. It deposits about 120 eggs in a batch. In about ten days these eggs are hatched, and in ten days perfect flies are developed. These young flies pair promptly, and these thousands of flies are produced.

The department at Washington says the fly deposits by "specking" even more possible pestilence than it carries on its legs. Between the two it is the unmistakable bearer of at least three-fourths of the typhoid germs that afflict mankind.

If stable men could be induced or compelled to keep all stable deposits where flies cannot reach them the multiplication of flies would be reduced. But after a fly gets to work then the insanitary outhouse becomes a source of constant danger.

"After all," says the Cincinnati Enquirer, "the best safeguard is this: Screen your doors and windows securely against this pest and see that the screens, if broken at any time, shall be promptly and tightly closed up. Have conveniently at hand in safe places, for the pests that sneak through, well-arranged and distributed fly poisons. Your home may be kept secure against these annoying and murderous things of six legs and millions of bacteria. You will not then take into your stomach, as you eat or drink, the typhoid, the cholera, the bowel complaint or any of the other troubles, not excepting tuberculosis that are being so industriously distributed by these little devils at the rate of a 'speck' each every five minutes in addition to the loads on their bodies and legs. That annoying fly that trails its pestilential deposits over your butter and bread and meat, and that finally sinks into the milk or cream to drop a few hundreds of thousands of these bacteria, may have just flown to you from the feculence of typhoid deposits or of consumption."

## Wilmington Lady Drops Dead on Street.

Wilmington, N. C., June 28.—This community was shocked tonight to hear of the sudden death of one of the city's most esteemed citizens. Mrs. Lottie DeRosset Myers, widow of Capt. Charles D. Myers, fell dead on the street.

Mrs. Myers was the daughter of the late Dr. Armond J. DeRosset, of this city, and she was well known throughout the country. Many connections and relatives live in Connecticut and New York.

## Fatal Automobile Accident.

New York, June 29.—One man was killed and two men and a woman seriously injured today by the bursting of an automobile tire. It is asserted that the machine was going at fifty miles an hour when the accident occurred.

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TAKE  
**SIMMONS'**  
**LIVER**  
**REGULATOR**  
FOR  
**SPEEDY RELIEF.**

## SALE OF HOTEL FIXTURES.

By virtue of power of sale contained in a mortgage executed on the 20th day of June, 1908, by C. F. Thomas and wife to O. J. Fitzgerald, the undersigned will on Monday, July 19, 1909, at the Court House door in the County of Wayne, in the city of Goldsboro, offer for sale for cash to the highest bidder at public auction, the following property contained in said mortgage, now located in Wayne Hotel, near Union Station in City of Goldsboro, to-wit: Bedroom suits, dining room furniture, office fixtures, kitchen range and fixtures, blankets, sheets, pillows, mattresses and springs, dishes, toilet sets, carpets and rugs, and all other property contained in said mortgage.

This 21st day of June, 1909.  
J. WASH BIZZELLI,  
Agent for O. J. Fitzgerald.

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The Kind You Run Always Buy  
Beware the Signature  
Chas. H. Fletcher

## AT THE NATION'S CAPITAL.

The Most Important Happenings of a Day Briefly Summarized.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—The most important happenings in the national capital today were as follows:

The Senate concluded its discussion of the schedules of the tariff bill and is now ready to take up the corporation and income tax questions. Senator Aldrich introduced a resolution proposing an amendment to the constitution allowing Congress to collect the taxes on incomes from whatever source derived and without apportionment among the several states.

An increase in the duty on structural iron and steel valued at more than 9-10 of a cent per pound was made by the Senate, the increase being from 3-10 to 4-10 of a cent per pound. Cotton bagging was placed on the free list.

Ineffective efforts were made to place cotton ties, school books, binding twine and salt on the free list and Egyptian cotton on the dutiable list.

Both houses adopted the conference report on the census bill.

"What is whiskey?" was discussed in the Cabinet room of the White House, President Taft listening to attorneys for rectifying distilleries and blenders, who oppose the recent decision of Solicitor-General Bowers as to what should be labeled "imitation whiskey." The hearing will be continued tomorrow.

## To Storm House of Lords.

London, June 29.—Three thousand policemen are on duty in Parliament square, and thousands more are held in reserve and every leave of absence has been suspended in anticipation of an assembling of militant suffragettes, who, it is announced, will make a determined effort to storm the House of Lords in an effort to force Premier Asquith to receive the delegation, which he has steadfastly refused to do.

## TODAY'S COTTON MARKET.

	Open.	Close.
May-June	6.13	6.07 1/2
June-July	6.09	6.03 1/2
July-Aug.	6.07 1/2	6.01 1/2

**New York Futures.**

July	11.48	11.48
October	11.53	11.49
December	11.58	11.53

Local spots, 11%.

When a woman will eat onions it's a sign she is married.

Leave not a sword in the hand of an idiot.

## National Educational Association, Denver, Colorado, July 5 to 9, 1909.

Prof. F. C. Griffin, state director, Salisbury, N. C., has selected the Southern Railway via Asheville, Knoxville, Louisville and St. Louis, as the official route to Denver and return for the above occasion, passing through the mountains of Western Carolina, and the Blue Grass region of Kentucky.

Professor Griffin and a number of the delegates will extend their trip to Seattle, Wash., taking in Yellowstone Park en route; returning via San Francisco, Los Angeles, Salt Lake and Chicago.

Through Pullman car to leave Goldsboro at 2:05 p.m., July 1. Circulars showing full itinerary of route will be furnished on application.

For further information and Pullman car reservation, please write R. H. DeButts, Traveling Passenger Agent, Raleigh, N. C.

## NOTICE.

Having qualified before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Wayne County, North Carolina, as administrator of Miss Olivia Lane, deceased, the undersigned hereby notifies all persons holding claims against the estate of the said Olivia Lane, deceased, to exhibit the same duly verified to the undersigned on or before the 1st day of June, 1910, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make prompt payment.

This 29th day of May, 1909.  
M. E. ROBINSON,  
Administrator of Olivia Lane, deceased.

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## TILLMAN SPOKE FOR TARIFF.

To Protect South Carolina's Tea Industry—A Vote Today.

Washington, D. C., June 28.—An earnest speech in favor of a tariff on tea to protect the South Carolina tea industry was made today by Senator Tillman, who declared that there was in his proposition for a duty of ten cents a pound on this product \$9,630,000 of revenue and \$1,200 of protection.

Address himself to Mr. Aldrich as the embodiment of the United States Senate, Mr. Tillman was interrupted by the Rhode Island senator who suggested that there were some things that ceased to be jokes. "He is the Senate of the United States and he knows it," replied Mr. Tillman. Mr. Aldrich made no further reply.

## From Bank President to Day Laborer.

Springfield, Ill., June 29.—From the comfortable chair of a bank president to the arduous toil of an ordinary carpenter is the experience of Otis McNeilly, until a few days ago chief officer and largest stockholder in the bank at Blue Mound, which bore his name. When the crash came McNeilly's snug fortune was swept away. He has donned overalls, secured a kit of tools and is now earning \$3.50 a day as a carpenter, in which work he was proficient before his financial venture.

## Fourth of July Round Trip Rates Via Southern Railway.

Southern Railway announces the sale of very low round trip rates account fourth of July. Tickets will be on sale July 2, 3, 4 and 5 with final return limit July 8, 1909. Everybody who wishes to take a trip should take advantage of these cheap rates.