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## ARBITRATION NOT NEEDED

There is a rumor to the effect that Germany desires to go into a court of arbitration to settle the demand made upon that country by the United States. We are only asking for the rights due to a neutral, and the belligerents across the seas, who seem to feel that she can destroy American lives and American property without due preparation, is laboring under a false delusion and is sleeping the sleep of the dead. The United States, guided by the master hand of Wilson, has asked, honorably, from the German government, that they guarantee a cessation of the submarine war on neutral ships carrying lives.

Germany, it occurs to us would get lost and shipwrecked in the philosophy of one of Shakespeare's fools, in view of the fact that she presents such nonsensical excuses for the rash acts she has committed in violation of international law.

France, Bismarck who engineered the Franco-Prussian war of 1870, would never have resorted to the extremes that the present William has in order to further his conquests.

To what extremes this monarch is prepared to go no one can say. To show the haughtiness of William, it is said, that recently he declared that he was the voice of God. How much damage the great German army and navy will accomplish before this proud theory is silenced, can only be guessed. But one thing is a fact, no arbitration is necessary, there is nothing that is not perfectly plain, existing between the United States and Germany.

The whole nation awaits the reply the Germans will make to the American note.

## THE YELLOW PERIL

Japan and China are closely linked in their respect, and in habits to a very noticeable extent. The only contrast that can be drawn from the two races of yellow people, comes from the fact that the Japs have made a good deal more noticeable progress and have overshadowed with a certain curtain of civilization that is to be ignored by the white and orange progressive nations of the world. Japan has made demands upon China which cannot be conceded. Though we have no direct interest with either the Jap or the Chinese, we should be awake to what will be the consequences if the Japs get too much world power. Even today they are looking with envious eyes at our island possessions, and once the Japs become recognized as world leaders, they are liable to take them off our hands while we sit idly by and watch.

The argument that there will be nothing like this on account of the peaceable attitude of the two countries will not work. No one dreamed of the present war coming in the form which it did.

A good sized army and navy is what we need more than anything else at this time.

## GREENVILLE NEEDS ONE

The News and Observer, in its editorial columns of today's paper, says "we do not think we will ever get over our love for the town band." We certainly agree with the Observer that a band is one of the best things a town can have. It is something that it always in demand and comes in good on many occasions. Greenville used to have one of the best bands in the state, but that has been some time ago. If we had a band here now, the old town would be much livelier and the music would do us all a great deal of good. Last Thursday at the Memorial day exercises a band would have added much to the occasion. As it was there was only a drum beating

for the entertainment of the old soldiers. A good band would be appropriate at numerous kinds of celebrations and festivities held in the city. Why can't we have some good music as in the days past? Let the local musicians get together and see if we can't have a good band.

## GIVE THE KIDS A CHANCE

Greenville, with its magnificent courthouse its beautiful postoffice and many other attractive things which goes to make the city beautiful, is without a playground for the children. It seems that no one has ever given this important part of the city's necessities a single thought. As was pointed out in the Reflector several months ago, a city without a playground for the children, is like a ship at sea without a compass. It is high time that the parents and the city officials give this thing a thought, and arrange a suitable place for the youngsters to while away the hours in innocent amusement.

New York's accident statistics, before the playground idea became a reality, was largely composed of deaths and violent injuries to children. Since the many playgrounds have been constructed the casualties have fallen off until an accident is a rare thing, even in such a city as New York.

Some vacant lot here in Greenville can be fitted with appliances to afford the children amusement, at a very small cost, and it will have a tendency to keep them off the city streets where they are constantly in danger of being run down by vehicles.

## Training School Faculty

The recent calls that President Wright and the other members of the Training School Faculty have had to deliver commencement addresses in various sections of the state only goes to show the character and the policy of the male members of the faculty of this institution. Not only are these men doing their best at the heads of the several branches of work at the school, but they are also giving and lending their best efforts to the betterment and promotion of the standards of education throughout this section of the state. Little can one wonder why these men have been so much in demand at the closing of schools throughout the eastern section of the state. Their work and united effort is a distinct credit to the school.

The action of the two violent woman suffragists who were so leading in their efforts to see President Wilson at the luncheon given in New York Monday deserves to be criticized. The manner of their rush through the ante-rooms to reach the President appeared as if they thought Wilson could be uttering a few words give them equal suffrage at once.

Although the next state election is over a year off, already there are many candidates looming up for the various offices. The political plans are very seldom lacking in seekers these days and one term of office is not long under way before there begins to be much talk about the coming one.

The great European war now in progress will give to posterity many international laws as guides to nations. The trouble is, however, that the laws between the nations handed down by precedents are not always observed.

We are issuing today's paper the best under many disadvantages and handicaps due to the breakdown on our linotype machine. The machine has been working very irregularly and the operator has been forced to go slow. We are issuing today's paper the best we can under the circumstances.

Even if clean-up week has gone by here, conditions show that some cleaning-up would be still timely. In fact to keep on the job continually would be all the better.

Today Kinston had a big occasion in laying the corner stone of the post-office building being erected in that city. Congressman Claude Kitchin was the principal speaker of the day.

Just as North Carolina hoped would be the case, the southern Baptist Convention now in session in Houston Texas, chose Asheville as the meeting place for next year.

It would be a fine sight if as many men went to church in Greenville today to vote for a candidate for mayor tomorrow as went to the primary Thursday.

The business man who does not prepare to take the advantage of the incoming tide of prosperity will find himself being swept out of the way.

## NOTICE OF ELECTION FOR SCHOOL PURPOSES.

Whereas the General Assembly of North Carolina at its session of 1915 provided by an Act entitled as follows: "A Bill to be Entitled an Act to Authorize the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Greenville to Issue Interest Bearing Coupon Bonds for School Purposes," that it shall be the duty of the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Greenville, upon the written request of the majority of the Board of Trustees of the Greenville Graded School to call an election in the Town of Greenville, for the purpose of submitting to the voters of said Town, the question of issuing bonds in the sum of \$30,000.00 for the purpose of erecting necessary school buildings in said Town of Greenville.

And Whereas the Board of Trustees of the Greenville Graded School, did, on the 20th day of April, 1915, file with the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Greenville a written request, which written request was unanimously endorsed by the Board of Trustees of the Greenville Graded School, that the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Greenville should call said election for said purpose.

Now therefore notice is hereby given that an election was called by the Board of Aldermen, of the Town of Greenville, in session on April 20th, 1915, to be held in the Town of Greenville, on Monday, the 7th day of June, 1915, at which election there will be submitted, to the voters of the Town of Greenville, the question of issuing interest bearing coupon bonds in the sum of \$30,000.00 for the purpose of erecting necessary school buildings in said Town of Greenville.

At said election all of the qualified voters of the Town of Greenville will be entitled to vote for or against issuing said bonds and those in favor of issuing said bonds shall have a written or printed ballot which shall be written or printed the words, "FOR SCHOOL BONDS,"—those opposed to issuing said bonds shall have a written or printed ballot upon which shall be written or printed the words, "AGAINST SCHOOL BONDS."

Notice is further given that said election will be held in said Town of Greenville on the date hereinbefore named at the same polling places in said Town of Greenville, as are designated for the general election on said date and that the same Registrars and Judges of election will hold this election as have been appointed for holding the general elections on said date.

The Registration Books of said Town will be opened at the various polling places in each ward as designated for the general election on Thursday, Friday and Saturday of June 3rd, 4th and 5th, from 9 o'clock A. M. to 5 o'clock P. M. as provided for by the charter of said Town of Greenville, for the purpose of permitting all qualified voters of the Town of Greenville to register for said election. A new registration having been ordered by the Board of Aldermen of the Town of Greenville. This the 6th day of May, 1915.

J. B. JAMES,  
Mayor of the Town of Greenville.

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## Squibs From Other Squibbers

### Why Not Change Names

(Wilmington Dispatch)  
As the Irresistible and the Goliath proved so easy why doesn't Great Britain try to change its luck by naming battleships "Failure" and "Easy Mark."

### Peculiar Romance

(News and Observer)  
Here's a romance following the sinking of the Lusitania. Engineer John Welsh, of that vessel, and Miss Gertrude Johnson, a milliner, were married in Manchester, England, shortly after reaching there. Welsh had rescued the young woman as the Lusitania went down.

### Kinston Free Press

The press of the Nation has joined in cordial support of the attitude of President Wilson toward Germany, as expressed in his able note to the Kaiser. There has been a single absence of any attempt at partisan criticism. The press and people have been just Americans, unitedly upholding the hands of their Chief Executive in steering through a serious situation.

### Typhoid Treatment

(Rocky Mount Telegram)  
There were 207 who took the treatment for typhoid as afforded gratis by Nash county in this city yesterday, and the work of Dr. Killeb, Nash's wholistic health officer, seems to be over on the increase. The great work for the prevention of typhoid is a valued asset to any community and the great interest of local citizens should be a matter of much general approval.

### What Will the Kaiser Do?

(New Bern Daily Journal)  
There are various ways of making Germany come to terms without going to war. Suppose this country was to declare a boycott against all German goods. Suppose America refused to buy or sell to Germans. Suppose that every German citizen in America was deported. Well, these are all suppositions but then they can easily be made into actual facts and if the Kaiser knows he will concede to each and every request made in the little note sent him from this country last week.

### The Difference

(Wilmington Star.)  
Of course, men are different. It amuses some men to be tickled by a feather in the hat of a girl in the seat just in front, while it almost makes others have a fit, especially if the girl never looks around.

### Good Material at Kinston

(Kinston Daily News)  
There is material in Kinston for a cracker jack good baseball team and the boys should get together and arrange for some games this summer.

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## NOTICE OF ELECTION

A New Registration Ordered.  
Be it ordained, by the board of Aldermen of the town of Greenville, in regular meeting, assembled on Thursday night April 1st, 1915, as is provided by the charter of said town and the various amendments thereto, as follows:

1. That an election be held in the several wards of said town, on Monday the 7th day of June 1915, for the purpose of electing a Mayor and five Aldermen for said town. The Mayor and those persons elected from the 2nd, 3rd, and 4th wards of said town shall continue in office for two years from the first day of July, 1915 and those from the 1st and 5th wards for one year from July 1, 1915, or until qualified. The Mayor of said town to be voted for and elected by the entire vote of said town, and one Alderman to be elected from each of the Five wards of said town as aforesaid; at said meeting in April it was further ordered by the board that a new Registration be had before the election this year.
2. That the following named persons are hereby appointed as registrars and judges of the election, to hold and conduct said election in the various wards of said town, to-wit: 1st. ward Chas. Cobb, Registrar; O. W. Harrington, and D. E. House, judges of election. 2nd. ward M. H. White, Registrar; V. E. Staton and L. H. Pender, judges of election. 3rd. ward D. T. Beaman, Registrar; J. S. Tunstall and J. F. Brinkley, judges of election. 4th. ward D. D. Haskett, Registrar; Jas. Brown and J. J. Turnage, judges of election. 5th. ward J. G. Bolling, Registrar; T. A. Person and H. C. Edwards, judges of election.
3. That said election shall be held at the various places in said wards to-wit: 1st. ward Court House. 2nd. ward Winslow Stables. 3rd. ward J. S. Cockrell Office. 4th. ward Munford Old Store at 5 Points. 5th. ward Tripp's Stables.
4. The registration books of said town will be open at the various polling places in each ward on Wednesday Thursday and Friday, June 2, 3 and 4th, from 9 o'clock a. m. to 5 o'clock p. m. as is provided for by the charter of said town. 5-5-tf

## Another Danger.

(News and Observer.)  
Automobilists have a new danger to face and should be careful. The press dispatches report that Earl Fisher of Rockville Center, N. C. died this week as the result of a fractured skull sustained when the tire of his auto exploded as he was pumping it up.

## Our Sailor Boys.

Kinston Daily News.  
Speculation as to what our navy would do in the case of war is a bit premature, but it doubtless will furnish the sailors some amusement and if they wait for war to be declared they may not have that pleasure.