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Have just received Ennett's Book Store | fresh car load Ameri- at 9.45 a m. Boy Mr Sykes of be bald in Baleigh, January 11th, 1905. can Wire Fence; same
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CALLS FOR CREATION OF SPEC-IAL COMMITTEE.

obacco Prices Satisfactory.-Felony For Carrying Concealed Weapons .-

Weather Prospects For Inaugu-

Thirty Two Counties.

ration.—Small Pox in

oday to reading a mass of papers in the ase of the Murrays and Rice, Madiso County murders, whose pardon is asked for, the case being quite a troublesome

Day before yesterday there was a long rgument before the corporation commis sion on the question of locating a new string it at Raynham others at McDon-

In the course of interview with Repre sentative of the tobacco companies it is learned that prices are about as they were before the holidays for leaf, and the farmers are very pleased. It is stuted that there is certain to be somewhat what this will be-

It is already clear that there is to be a great deal of liquor legislation of one kind or another at the second session. It is so evident, in fact that a special committee has been created, to which all such matters are to be referred.

The number of homicides in the State is attracting much attention and in connection with this matter the carrying of concealed weapons comes up quite new life and lustre to anything operation. Life time in durability. prominently. There is a bill before the Legislature to make this offence a felony The sentiment of the House committee on judiciary seems to be that this is somewhat excessive, though it is plain that the penalty is to be increased. Members of the committee tell your correspondent in a positive way. The committee is trying to devise some modi fication of the bill so as to meet the emen gency. Of course if it is made a felony that would mean disfranchisement. The present law is to be made much strong-

The bad weather is a great drawback to the Legislature, and indications are not very favorable for anything pleasant in the way of weather at the inauguration. Two years ago the business of month by the contest for U. S. Senator, and this time very little will be done until the new Governor is inaugurat-

The Sate Bacterfologist has made an examination of the water supply of the own in the Piedmont section and fieds it gross'y polisted with sewage which has 'esked in from the pipes, which are cracked or badly joined. He says this the third of the kin I in the State in a

The report of the State Board of Health shows small pox in 33 counties, Onslow having 80, Greene 75, Camden 89, Cherokee 88, Lenoir 28, Pitt 88, Union 24, Wake 44. The disease is in 23 counties. Diphtheria is reported in 84 counties and typhoid fever in 58

Services Today.

There will be services at the Christian Church at 11 a m and 7:30 p m. John W Tyndail, pastor.

dially invited to attend these services.

Baptlet Tabernacie Church—The usual

First Church of Christ, Scientist. 87 First Church of Christ, Scientist ST
Craven street. Services today 11:60 a m
and 3.30 p m. The sermon will be reading
of selections from the Hibbs with textbooks: "Science and Health With
Ecy to Scriptures." Subject, "Sanrament." Pealm 20.5. Sunday School
combances at 13 o'sheek. Wedanning evening meeting at 7:30 p m.
Reading Room in open daily. All are cerdially invited to attend.

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COTTON PARMERS MEET.

And Adopt Plan of Action For Co-operative Work. Resolutions Offered. Delegates Named.

The Farmers of Craven County met at the Court House Saturday, January 7th,

Mr. Daniel Lane was called to the chair, and stated that the object of the meeting was to adopt plans for Co-operating with the Southern Cotton Growers Association.

The following were elected officers of the Association for one year: Daniel Raleigh, Jan. 7.—Gov. Aycock devoted Lane, President; G. L. Hardison, Secretary.

> were presented by the Special Committee appointed Dec. 17th.
> Rules and Regulations for the organization of the Farmers of Craven County, Co-operating with the Southern Cot-

The following Rules and Regulations

ten Growers Association. I: The County Association shall be composed of President and Secretary, depot on the Atlantic Railway, some de- Executive Committee and Loan Com-

> II. The President and Secretary shall be elected by all interested persons

III. The Chairmen of the Township Committees shall compose the County Executive Committee.

IV. The Loan Committee sha'l be composed of the County Executive Committee and three local business men of an increase in the acreage of tobacco of New Bern, whose duty it shall be to this year, though as yet no one can tell secure advances on cotton for those who are compelled to have advances made on their present holdings.

V. There shall be no fees nor dues. If funds become necessary for advertising purposes or other matters, let collection be taken.

VI. That every farmar who is cotton planter and wishes protection in he price of his cotton, should sign the following Obligations:

We, the farmers of Craven County do hereby pledge our honor as citizens of North Carolina, that we will stand together continuously in this crists till success comes, by joint action of the farmers and their friends in our respecive sections of the country.

Resolved, 2, That each and every one of as will reduce our cotton acresge for 1905 at least twenty-five per cent. or one-fourth from that of 1904.

Resolved 3, That "We, the undersigned members of; this Association, agree that we will hold all cotton of the present crop now in our hands until prices agreed upon at the State or Cotton States' meeting have been reached and also to reduce acreage to be planted in cotton as agreed upon at those meetings. This agreement not to be in force until farmers representing the Legislature was retarded for about a two-thirds of the production of the cotton crop have signed the same or a similar agreement. This obligation not to be binding upon a man who is forced to sell his cotton, provided such person shall first try to borrow money on his cotton as provided for by the association and if he fails in this he shall report his needs to the executive committee of his township who shall try to procure the necessary loan for him. If this committee fail to secure the money needed, he may sell his cotton without in any way violating his obligation or standing in the Association."

VIL. That it shall be the duty of the Chairman of each township to visit every farmer, white and colored, in his township, whether he be land owner or tenant, and explain the necessity of this organisation, and callst his hearty cooperation, and have him sign the obligations as adopted at this county meeting, and take a memorandum of acres planted in 1904, and number to be planted this year. Also to take a list of those who will not sign, and the number of scree pastor—Preaching at 11 a m and 7.30 p in, Sunday School at 3 p m. All are cor dially invited to attend the success of their visits to the County Executive and Lors Character School at 3 p m. stanted last year, and number they will

ing in Pebruary, 1908.
VIII. That a delegation of five shall

On motion of Mr. C E Poy, the Chair

SOCIETY.

Local Evants of the Past Week. SOCIAL

Mrs Robert E. Stickney entertained at cards Thursday evening.

Master Albert Marks entertained about forty of his little friends on Friday from 7 to 10 o'clock

Quite a delightful evening was apen in playing all kinds of interesting games Before the guests departed, delicious refreshments were served.

BIRTHDAY PARTY.

Among the pretty Christmas parties was that at which Mrs C M Dockham entertained about 25 little friends of her sister, Lavinia Folsom. The holiday colors red and green were used in the decorations and the house presented ar attractive appearance. From the chandeller in the dining room hung a large Christmas bell from which crepe paper was drapped to the corners of the

The table was prettily decorated in evergreen and in the center was a large birth-day cake with the candles each denoting a year of the young lady's life. The enjoyable game heart was played in which tiny paper acrows were planed by the contestants on a large heart, the successful one who pinued the arrow in the Center, receiving a prize. Master Boone Groves won the prize, a pretty bisque figure and the consolation, also s blaque figure was awarded to Cora Munger. The guests expressed their delight of the evenings pleasure and departed to their homes about 8 o'clock.

DANCE AF CHATTAWKA HOTEL.

One of the most enjoyable occasions I the past week was the dance given by the joung men at the Chattawka Hotel Mrs Thomas the Eproprietorese kindly gave the young people the disposal of the spacious dialog room the flor of which was prepared and made in excellent shape for the dance. The music was furnished by Miss Dalay Swert. The dol ghtful affair was from the hours of 9

The following couples were pre

Mies Fannie Green with Mr San Miss Maud Smith with Mr Wallace

Bmith. Miss Clara Morris with Mr Garrison Mins Besale Dill with Mr Frank Pretty

Miss Adelaide Peck with Mr Tom Wil

Miss Myrtle Discsway with Mr Mitchell Miss Henrietta Hancock with Mr Chas

Miss Elizabeth Rurrus with Mr Frank Miss Mary Street with Mr Bayard

Whitehurst. Miss Elizabeth Thorpe with Mr Martin Brock.

Miss Nettle Rawlins with Mr Jack Stags: -- Walter Walson, Alpheus Disosway, John Smith, Ralph Smith, Ver-

non Blades J P Rawlings. Chaperons -- Mesdames W B Bummerriff, A. H. Rawlings, J. F. Prettyman and Miss Jante Burrus.

Miss Mamie Richardson, charmingly entertained the J O C Club last evening at her home, 131 Craven St. After a musical program was rendered, delightful refreshments were served. The meeting adjourned to meet at Miss Sadie Whitehurst' on Jen 21st.

The members of the Girls Friendly Society had their monthly social meeting last Tuesday ovening and were enter tained at the hospitable home of Mrs G H Roperts,

The roll was called and business attended to, then the society entered into the gaylety of Christmas festivities. A tree had been placed for the occasion lighted with candles and the tub is which it stood was filled with presents which were conchaind beneath a cover and attached to strings. At the time set a bell was rung and each member

Before departing cake and chocols was served to the guests.

pulled the string on which was her pres-

Certainly no Regret, Wilmington Dispatch, 7,

Hon O R Guiso, of New Bern, has been chosen as Speaker of the House Those who know Mr Gulon and follow These who know Mr Gulon and followed his course to the last Legislature resites the wisdom of his election for the important duty. He is in every way qualified for the office, being quick and elect in econospica of all questions and possessed of delightful managers. With his qualifications he will make a modal executor. spender. The members of the General Assembly, as well as the people of the matter State will have so reason to re-gres the election of Mr Gelon.

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