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Congressional Probers Desire To Ask Steel King a Few Questions.

Washington, May 28.—The trust probers of the Democratic House are anxious to ask Andrew Carnegie some questions and have him tell them what he knows about the steel trust. The House committee having to charge the investigation of the United States Steel Corporation has taken steps to insure his presence in Washington before he leaves for Scotland on his annual summer visit to Skibo Castle. The committee has issued a subpoena which is served upon Mr. Carnegie in New York, a deputy sergeant-at-arms of the House, it is said, already has gone there for that purpose.

Other men high in the industrial and financial world will be summoned before the committee. This will include J. Pierpont Morgan, Charles M. Schwab and Henry C. Frick and their testimony it is considered, will be of much value to the investigators.

The resolutions of Representative Stanley for the investigation resulted in the appointment of a committee of nine members of the House, who were instructed to make a sweeping probe of the steel trust, its relations or affiliations with independent steel companies and its relations with the Pennsylvania Railroad, with any other railroad or coal company or any financial institution.

Hammocks—Fancy colors, extra large size, very durable at prices that will surprise you. J. S. Miller.

North Carolina Leads.

Major W. A. Graham, commissioner of agriculture, gave out figures collected by the census bureau showing that North Carolina leads the south in the number of pounds of cotton produced per acre. North Carolina heads the list with 227, South Carolina comes second with 216, Virginia third with 212, and so on. Georgia produces only 180 pounds to the acre and Texas 146. Ten years ago North Carolina produced only 110 pounds. This is a wonderful increase and is regarded as the best sort of recommendation for the State.

Gentle horses for ladies and stylish rigs for men at Daniels-Newberry Livery Stables, South Front St.

Boys and Lights For Trent River.

We are reliably informed that application has been made to the Department of Commerce and Labor Light-House Service of the 5th district of Baltimore requesting the Department of Lights and Boys to place lights and boys in Trent river, and that the Chief of Engineers of the U. S. A. will provide a chart of Trent River for the light-house service and we are promised when this is done, that this object will have due consideration.

We expect and hope very soon that the Trent river, the most reliable stream of all inland water ways in Eastern North Carolina, will be properly buoyed and lighted from New Bern to Pollockville.

There is from thirteen to seven ten feet of water in this stream except at one point about six miles southwest of New Bern, known as Foy's Flats, which we understand has six feet of water at mean low water. The proposition is to dredge this out, which can be done for a very small cost and extend our inland navigation that much farther in the interior. Opening these rivers to deep waters will have great influence upon the trade of this city and section. Our people are greatly interested in this and we expect our members of Congress to see that we have proper appropriations to do this very important work.

The Athens is sanitary and safe—always a comfortable seat.

LOCAL FIRM WILL CONTINUE VALUABLE AGENCY

F. S. Duffy, of this city has just closed a deal whereby he will continue to be agent for ZEMO—the well known remedy for Eczema, Dandruff and all diseases of the skin and scalp.

The extraordinary fact that this cheaply obtained treatment for eczema, dandruff, etc., has made him a millionaire in the last few years is a very interesting and valuable fact.

WHERE IT WILL RUN

The Eastern End of the Great Central Highway Has Been Mapped Out

Lexington, N. C., May 28.—Dr. Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, and member of the executive committee of the Central Highway Association has filed his report with chairman Varner, mapping out the eastern half of the highway. The highway will be built as mapped out, provided that the towns through which it is to pass, and the Co. Commissioners of the various counties do their parts. Otherwise the route named may be changed.

Dr. Pratt and his associates recommended that the highway run from Raleigh to Smithfield, passing through Garner, Auburn and Clayton, several relations will be required in order to cut down grades. From Smithfield to Goldsboro, the highway will follow the present public road via Princeton. The road must be straightened, widened and several bad grades eliminated. From Goldsboro to Kinston the highway will follow the regular road, via LaGrange, Fields, Falling Creek; several relations required. From Kinston to New Bern, the route will go down the Neuse River to Fort Barnwell and via Jasper to New Bern. From New Bern to Beaufort harbor two routes are proposed and both are recommended, one via Newport and down the east shore of Newport river to Beaufort, and the other a direct route from Newport to Morehead City.

Several deviations are suggested by Dr. Pratt as being very desirable, especially that of running the highway to New Bern from Kinston, following closely the Trent river road through Jones county. It means as provided this will be included as part of the highway and so mapped out.

The State Highway Engineer will go over this part of the route next week. Three engineers will be detailed from the United States office of public roads for service along the line and will be at work within 30 days.

Get up a box party and take your friends to The Athens.

Notice, Daughters.

There will be a very important meeting of the Daughters of the Confederacy Tuesday afternoon, May 23d at 5 o'clock at the home of Miss Dita Roberts, President, to discuss and arrange for the regular Veterans dinner. Every member is earnestly requested to be present.

KATHARINE STREET SMITH, Recording Sec.

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Firemen's Reception Postponed.

On account of the special meeting of the Elks, and other reasons the Firemen's reception will take place tomorrow Wednesday night, instead of tonight.

Stop fighting flies, by Screening your house with our Screens. J. S. Bannight Hdq. Phone 99, 67 S. Front St.

WHICH OF THE BIG FOUR

Ex-Governor Aycock Enters Race For United States Senate.

Raleigh, N. C., May 28.—Making the race for the senate for the second time, the former Governor of North Carolina, Ex-Governor Charles B. Aycock has announced his candidacy to succeed Senator Lee. The ex-Governor's announcement is made in a letter to the editor of the Raleigh News and Observer. The letter was published in the Raleigh News and Observer today.

20 Leonard Cleanable Refrigerators, porcelain lined, quartered oak cases. They save ice and look better than any other. Ask me the price. J. S. Miller.

Jones County For Great Central Highway.

Trenton, N. C., May 18.—An enthusiastic good roads convention was held here today for the purpose of organizing for good roads, and especially to secure and provide for the building of the great Central Highway through Jones county. County Commissioner B. L. May, who acted chairman, and J. E. Barker, Secretary of the Jones County Good Roads Organization.

Many stirring speeches were made favoring good roads and the Central Highway. The whole convention which was a large and representative gathering, was enthusiastic for the Central Highway.

Committees were appointed to prepare the underlying and a resolution was adopted asking the Central Highway Commission, that the route of the highway be via Trenton, the county seat, and providing to build the road from the town of Trenton to the town of Jonesboro, and to sell and support the Jones County Highway Commission in every way possible.

PEACE PACT IS SIGNED

The War In Mexico Ends; Diaz to Resign at Once, Army Being Disbanded.

Juarez, Mex., May 22.—Officially designated representatives of the Mexican government and the revolutionists at 10 o'clock Sunday signed a peace agreement at the customs house here intended to end the hostilities that have been waged in Mexico for the last six months.

Though covering only the principal points negotiated thus far the agreement practically records the concessions by the government of those demands which started on November 20th, the last armed revolution in Mexico. Telegrams announcing the signing of the agreement were dispatched throughout Mexico to revolutionary and federal leaders alike.

Judge Garbajal represented the federal government and Dr. Vasquez Gomez, Francisco I. Madero and Senor Pino Suarez acted for the revolutionists.

The agreement was signed after three days of indecision. Francisco I. Madero, Jr., leader of the rebels, expressing the view that peace could be declared only when Senor De la Barra became provisional president and the new cabinet was installed.

The troops, it is provided, will be disbanded proportionately as each State is restored to tranquillity.

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Praying For Rain.

News comes from Columbus county of a severe drought prevailing there. At Chadbourn, the Mayor issued a proclamation officially asking that all business houses close and work be suspended on a certain day and that the people repair to their churches to pray for rain. At Whiteville the people observed last Friday as a day of prayer for rain.

Six Million Shad For Rivers and Creeks in This Territory.

Through the effort and prompt work of Congressman Faison, member of Congress and also member of the Committee on Fisheries from the Third Congressional District, shad fry has been placed in the following streams in this section, to-wit: White Oak, Trent and Neuse rivers, Bryces, Swift and Broad creeks, a million shad in each stream, making a total of six million shad. It is expected that these shad mature and are ready for the net and frying pan within three years after they are placed in the waters. They go to the oceans and ponds and when they are grown they return to the same streams in which they were originally deposited, furnishing the people with the best fish food in the world. These streams ought to be supplied with fish fry every year so that they would always be plentiful.

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