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**PROTECT INDIAN EXTERMINATION**

Governments Wards To Be Protected From Infectious Diseases.

Washington, Sept. 4.—Determined to protect what remains of the race of American Indians from rapid extinction by disease, which now threatens them, the Indian office has decided to pursue a vigorous policy in improving hygienic conditions among the wards of the nation.

Commissioner of Indian Affairs Valentine declared that the application of preventive medical methods to present conditions of Indian life was vital to their progress and to the usefulness of the educational, industrial, and other activities in which the government was engaged on their behalf. Among the means which the Indian office already has inaugurated in part and which it will push with vigor in its efforts to preserve the Indian from being entirely obliterated by tuberculosis, trachoma and other infectious diseases which are attacking them, are moving picture shows revealing to them proper and sanitary methods of living; house to house canvasses by physicians, open air sleeping at the Indian schools and sanatoriums.

The moving picture scheme is to give them by the comparative method pictures of the wrong way of living, followed by photographs showing the correct way. Dr. Ferdinand Schoemaker will have charge of this work and will travel from reservation to reservation giving his illustrated talks.

Reports show that the death rate among the Indians is two and a half times as great as among the white race and that the average mortality from tuberculosis is 256 per cent higher for Indians than for whites. Hence the Indian bureau's determination to better these conditions.

During the past year the house to house campaign by physicians was started on the White Earth reservation in Minnesota and with such good result that the work will be pushed.

**Correct Stationery for gentlemen at M. E. Whitehurst & Co.**

**Exciting and Dangerous Runaway.**

A runaway horse with a pair of buggy shafts attached to him caused considerable excitement in the neighborhood of the Union depot yesterday morning. It is not learned from where the animal first started rearing, but when seen on Graves street near Queen, as described he collided with a horse being driven by Mr. Raynor Jones, both animals falling to the pavement. Mr. Jones fell out and a lady in his buggy was taken out without injury, neither were the horses hurt. The runaway, however, could not be captured, but went rushing on to the station, with the impediments of the shafts threatening from side to side, and although he passed through a crowd of people no one was hurt, which was most wonderful and fortunate.

**The Athens is the only house in New Bern showing Association pictures.**

**To Fix Uniform Cotton Prices.**

Atlanta, Ga., Sept. 4.—Farmers throughout the South will have a direct vote as to this price to be received for the great bulk of the cotton crop this year.

When the national convention of the Farmer's Union opens at Shawnee, Okla., next Tuesday every delegate will wire instructions to its delegates as to the minimum price at which the crop should be sold. The national convention will fix a price as near the general average as possible.

Ways and means for harvesting, marketing and, if necessary, holding the cotton crop will be one of the most important matters to come before the convention.

**The managers of The Athens always look to the comfort and pleasure of their patrons.**

**Invention of Ice Cream Soda Is Disclosed.**

Chico, Ill., Sept. 4.—It has been definitely determined by the Confectionery Journal that ice cream soda was invented by Mrs. E. A. Warren of Chico.

In this cream soda was a popular drink. It consisted of a soda water flavored with a syrup with a tablespoon of pure fresh cream added.

Mrs. Warren, who assisted her husband in his store, had trouble in keeping the cream from curdling. When there was no fresh cream on hand she substituted low cream.

Patrons wanted to fix the name. They began calling for it regularly and demanded that a larger amount of cream be used.

That is what the cream soda was in

**GRAVEN COUNTY COMMISSIONERS**

Heid Regular Monthly Session at The Court House Yesterday.

Yesterday morning at 10 o'clock the Craven county Board of Commissioners met in regular monthly session at the court house in this city.

At the opening of the session the following jury was drawn for the next term of Superior Court: A. G. Holton, G. C. Lancaster, G. A. Wood, H. I. Ippock, J. T. Hollister, W. E. Bellanga, C. E. Pate, R. O. Godley, J. T. Avery, A. M. Tingle, C. K. Hancock, W. A. Newell, J. H. Fields, Fraeman Avery, L. A. Foy, James L. Taylor, Henry Lewis, S. W. McCoy, J. M. Miller, N. M. Farrow, G. W. Allee, J. K. Hartley, W. H. Smith, W. H. Ormond, J. B. Herring, John Gatlin, A. T. Wehring, C. R. Dudley, T. M. F. Pearce, T. W. West, S. L. Dill, Jr., J. T. Adams, E. W. Wadsworth, W. R. Koonce, Guilford Lewis, F. E. Dickerson, A. K. Purfoy, Geo. B. Waters, Lemuel Kite, F. T. Heath, Silas Fulcher, W. A. Whitford, L. G. Daniels, Joshua Foy, W. T. Flowers, D. L. Price, E. W. Daugherty, J. M. Harrison, Graham Wetherington, B. F. Dail, J. C. Hill, H. D. Gaskins, G. A. Gaskins, J. E. Dougherty, L. W. Taylor, Edward Wayne, C. L. Spencer, Joseph Stille, Joshua Stille, C. E. McCoy, W. H. Boyd, Alonzo Miller, C. E. Taylor, C. J. Whitford, H. M. Bryan, W. H. Dixon, James Smith, Hugh Lane, J. S. Eborn, J. V. Tingle.

Several requests from different sections of the county were made for new roads. In as many cases as practicable the roads were ordered built.

After a consultation the board decided to make application for a hookworm hospital to be established in this county. This hospital will cost the county \$50 for each week, this to continue for 5 or 6 weeks. The hookworm commission has offered to bring their entire paraphernalia and force of experts to this county for that sum. The date they will arrive here has not yet been announced and will not be until after the county Board of Health has approved of the action of the Commissioners.

One hundred indestructible blankets were ordered from the Beckman Company at Cincinnati for use at the county home and jail. These blankets are to cost \$2.10 cents each.

The board was asked to purchase new wearing apparel for the prisoners. This brought up a discussion as to whether the law allows persons convicted of a misdemeanor being compelled to wear stripes. Inquiry elicited the information that a felon will be compelled to wear a felon's stripes and that those convicted of a misdemeanor be allowed to wear a different style of clothing. As there are no felons now on the Craven county chain gang they will all be allowed to wear a plain brown suit of some coarse material.

The magistrates of the 9th Township appeared before the board and asked that the road funds in that Township be turned over to them and that they would attend to having the work done by a road committee. Their request was held over for further consideration.

The remainder of the day's session was taken up with going over the large number of bills that had been brought before them.

**Library Tables.**

School time is fast approaching. You will need a good strong Library Table for the children to study around at night. I have them in quartered oak, mahogany and weathered oak. Prices ranging from \$5.00 up.

J. S. MILLER.

**Notice to Cotton Farmers.**

On account of the light weight bales coming to this market, the buyers held a meeting and decided for their own protection, that they would not accept a bale weighing 400 pounds or less, unless there is a deduction of ten pounds per bale; consequently in buying light weight bales in your territory, it will be absolutely necessary for you to deduct ten pounds per bale from bales weighing 400 pounds or under, and 25 pounds per bale from bales weighing 300 lbs. or less. The usual custom was to deduct one dollar on bales under 300 pounds which does not anything like cover the loss. Further we particularly want to call your attention with regard to terms, this must not exceed 25 pounds per bale, any cotton over 25 you must either refuse to buy it or else buy it subject to your claim when it arrives at Norfolk, and such notation must be made on the invoice for cotton. We cannot urge you too strongly to follow these instructions very carefully, otherwise we will have to bill you back for any loss you might be liable for the above causes.

Yours very truly,  
Earl Berry & Co.  
Norfolk, Va.  
Sept. 4, 1911, notice buyer.

**Excursion Very Much Mixed.**

An excursion on train was run Monday, Labor Day, on the A. C. L. line from Wilmington, coming to this city in two sections of eight cars each, packed almost to suffocation. White and colored were crowded in the same cars. It was advertised to be a "mixed" excursion, and it was.

There was considerable protest from a good many of the white people about not having separate cars, especially the ladies object to riding mixed, but these simply was not room for the crowd. After leaving Myrtleville nearly a mile south of the train was back and took up an empty coach of some kind of a car to help relieve the load.

It is said the first time that this was done the very crowded surrounding neighborhood was so full that the car was not allowed to pass.

**TAFT SURE OF NOMINATION**

Senator Works, Insurgent, Not So Certain About Election.

Los Angeles, Cal., Sept. 4.—That President Taft will be renominated is the belief of Senator John D. Works, Insurgent from California. That the President will be re-elected is not regarded as so certain by the Senator, who will support him in the campaign.

The California Insurgents are amazed by the statement, saying they are unable to guess where Works now stands.

"I have no desire to get away from the Republican party," said Senator Works. "If insurgency is to accomplish the reforms it advocates it must do so through the Republican party. There are those who believe it will serve the purpose to defeat President Taft by the election of a Democrat next year. I prefer to believe that we can accomplish our purpose sooner and more satisfactorily through the Republican party. Besides I have no personal grievance against the President. I have disagreed with him on some important questions, I still disagree with him. I respect him as an honest man who, in my judgment, is mistaken on some vital questions, but I have no reason to doubt the honesty of his convictions or his patriotism.

"As to his renomination, I am certain that it is foreordained. I would prefer another Republican candidate who comes nearer to my own views. The alignment is already so drawn that his nomination seems inevitable."

"What Republican would you prefer to Taft?"

"Senator La Follette has the largest following. I think all the Insurgents are for him except two or three. At this time I refer him."

**Faust pictures at The Athens Matinee 5 o'clock to-day and to-night.**

**Good Appointment.**

The friends of Mr. Dawson in this section will be interested in the following item clipped from Monday's Kingston Free Press:

"Mr. J. B. Dawson, of this city, has been appointed, by Secretary of State J. Bryan Grimes, a member of the board of trustees of the state school, for the feeble-minded, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation of Mr. Frank B. Hendren. The appointment is especially happy one, for no one is held in higher esteem than Mr. Dawson not only in this community, but throughout the state, where he is well-known."

If it's Hardware or Builders Supplies, let us know what and how much. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co

**Waterway Convention Nov. 20-21-22.**

The Fourth Annual Convention of the Mississippi to Atlantic Inland Waterway Association will be held in Montgomery, Ala., November 20-21-22, 1911. Senator Duncan U. Fletcher, of Florida, is President of this organization. The Montgomery convention of the association will be unquestionably the largest so far held. Among other matters to be considered, will be that of a joint convention with the Atlantic Deepwater Waterways Association at Jacksonville, Fla., during 1912, to be of two weeks duration, and consisting in part of an enormous water carnival, participated in by vessels of all classes and description, from every section of the United States. It is proposed to make the Jacksonville meeting the greatest waterway carnival convention ever held in the United States.

**A Busy Man Has Just Arrived.**

Good news he brings to New Bern, a large stock of all kinds of sawed Shingles on hand. He can and will please you. See Big Hill for lowest price.—The Old Reliable.

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