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NEW BERN, N. C.

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Yesterday's best is to-day's starting point. We want your co-operation, your patronage and we are willing to pay liberally for it, by giving you the best merchandise for the least money.

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The place to buy your Spring or Summer Suit at prices within reason. I absolutely guarantee satisfaction. New line of samples just received. Call and inspect my stock.

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THE NATIONAL BANK
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STANDS

FIRST among the banks of the City
THIRD among the National Banks of the State

And as it has Surplus and Undivided Profits amounting to $150,000 and Capital amounting to $100,000, it has a place on the National Bank Roll of Honor, which includes only banks having Surplus and Undivided Profits equal to or exceeding their Capital stock.

4 per cent INTEREST PAID ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

WILL RECLAIM SWAMP LANDS

The Southern Commercial Congress Wants To Make 80,000,000 Acres Productive.

Washington, May 29.—A gigantic plan to reclaim 80,000,000 acres of swamp and overflowed lands in the United States that are now unproductive has been launched by the Southern Commercial Congress.

At the great fourth annual convention, held in Nashville, a resolution introduced by John M. Parker, of New Orleans, La., first president of the Southern Commercial Congress, was adopted. It is, in part, as follows:

"That the Southern Commercial Congress petitions the Congress of the United States to make a complete survey of all the swamp and overflowed lands in the United States and work out a plan for draining each indivual project as a part of a complete system, and that this plan embrace an examination of the soil of the swamps, showing its value from an agricultural standpoint and its adaptability for the growth of profitable crops."

Call us up and let us figure with you for your screen wants. J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

Died.

Natlie, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Holton, at the home of the parents near Olympia. Funeral this afternoon conducted by Rev. I. W. Rogers. Interment in family burying ground.

Eighty Killed By Explosion in Picture Show.

Castello de la Plana, Spain May 29.—The cinematographis explosion which yesterday evening caused the death of eighty persons in a moving picture theatre in the little city of Villarea was even more terrible than first reported. The threatre was completely burned out and very few of the audience escaped without injury from fire or from crushing in the panic. A large number of the injured are dying. Virtually every family in the vicinity is affected by the eighty deaths.

3:45 p. m. and 8:00 p. m. entertainments at The Athens.

Will Hold Convention Here.

The Executive committee of the 8th Senatorial District met yesterday and decided to hold the next convention for the purpose of selecting candidates for the next State Senate in this city on June 14th. There are four candidates in the field: Messrs A. D. Ward, of this city, Leslie Davis, of Beaufort, Thomas Whitlocker of Lenton and Albritton of Greene county.

Gets 28 Delegates.

Trenton, May 29.—Returns from New Jersey up to nine o'clock today show that the Roosevelt victory is one of the most crushing blows dealt Taft since the contest began. Wilson won twenty four of the twenty eight delegates. He lost two districts in Essex county. Wilson's popular majority is thirty thousand. The labor vote was strong for Roosevelt, while the "silk stocking" districts were for Taft. Roosevelt gets the entire twenty eight delegates.

PILES CURED in 6 TO 14 DAYS
Your druggist will refund money if PAZO OINTMENT fails to cure any case of Itching, Blind, Bleeding or Protruding Piles in 6 to 14 days. 50c

Music Club Entertained.

Mrs. Garrison Farrow was hostess at a most delightful meeting of the Music Club at her home on Pollock street Tuesday afternoon at 4.30 o'clock.

Several of the choruses sung by the club members were selections from Verdi's famous Opera, "Il Trovatore." Miss Nina Gaylight read an interesting paper on Verdi and his Operas.

The choruses were interspersed by vocal selections by Miss Atherton Jones, piano solo by Miss Mary Willis and duet by Mrs. Farrow and Miss Willis.

Delightful refreshments were served at the close of the afternoon by the hostess.

Those in attendance were:—

Mesdames J. F. C. Davis, S. L. Dill Jr., Leicester Duffy, Dan Hodges, E. W. Jones, Bayard Wooten, W. B. M. Masterson, W. J. Ellsworth, W. M. Fleming, Hewlett Lupton, and G. G. Bond.

Misses Nina Gaylight, Apple Cobb, Daisy Fleming, Lura Fugel, Mary Willis, Atherton Jones, Lizzie Wilson, Leonora Duffy.

SUIT DEVELOPS NEW SCANDAL

Valuable Oil Lands in Southern California Secured By Conspiracy Of Southern Pacific, is The Specific Charge.

Washington, May 29.—In a public statement, Attorney General Wickersham today declared that the government's suit against the Southern Pacific Company for the recovery of valuable oil lands in southern California has developed "sensational and startling disclosures." Testimony by witnesses subpoenaed by the government, he says "presents a remarkable picture of criminal conspiracy among high officials of the Southern Pacific Company to acquire from the United States, under an agricultural grant, oil lands valued at $15,000,000."

The statement was issued after a conference between the Attorney General and Willis N. Mills, his special assistant in charge of the case, concerning recent important developments in the suit. The proceedings were instituted by direction of Mr. Wickersham in December, 1910, to set aside patents and revest in the government title to 6,000 acres of valuable oil bearing lands in the Elk Hills country of the McKittrick oil district, Kern county, California.

The government lawyers are confident, the statement declares, that the disclosures made by the testimony of Charles W. Eberlein "will result in the restoration to the public domain of a vast tract of the most valuable oil lands in the State of California."

As acting land agent of the Southern Pacific Railroad Company, the statement says, Mr. Eberlein "saved from the conflagration following the San Francisco earthquake all the secret correspondence and documents relating to the conspiracy to defraud the government out of these lands."

Upon being placed on the stand, the statement continues, Mr Eberlein "produced correspondence between himself and the late W. D. Cornish, vice-president of the Southern Pacific Company, and C. H. Markham, general manager of the Southern Pacific Company, fully establishing previous knowledge on the part of the railroad company officials of the mineral character of the land selected, and indicating an intention to keep the fact from the government officials until other patents should be secured."

Improve your lawn and protect your flowers with flower guards. For sale by J. S. Basnight Hdw. Co.

VOICE OF THE PEOPLE.

If the tax payers who voted to have paved streets and expected to have them kept in good condition, will visit and inspect the street (of freight) car line already laid on Pollock street, they will find instead of being flush with same there is something resembling a canal between the tracks.

Will the tax payers of New Bern stand for this?

TAX PAYER ON THE LINE.

Moving Pictures and Vaudeville, afternoon and night, at The Athens.

THE NAVY LEAGUE WARNS CONGRESS

Suggest That Attempt May be Made to Place Brazilian Territory Under the German Flag.

Washington, May 29th.—Germany's naval building programme and a suggestion that an attempt may be made to place under the German flag many thousands of square miles of land in Brazil controlled by the nationals were submitted to members of Congress in a letter from the Navy League of the United States urging reconsideration of the House's refusal to make an appropriation for battleships this year.

Attention is also called to the building program of Japan, and is declared that, while both that country and Germany are most friendly with the United States, "it would be most foolish if we failed to consider them a possible opponents."

The letter directs particular attention to the attacks upon the American navy appearing in German publications. One of these urged Germany to "

BYRD MARION WAS A WITNESS

Takes Stand For Claude Allen And Denies He Saw Allen Shoot.

Wytheville, Va., May 29.—Byrd Marion, who like the defendant, is charged with complicity in the shooting up of the Carroll county court, was a witness yesterday for the defense in the trial of Claude Allen. Marion denied that he saw Claude fire a shot in the court room but admitted seeing the defendant with a revolver in his hand. He denied that he took any part in the Hillsville tragedy.

The commonwealth rested its case yesterday morning after examining one witness, the detective who arrested Claude Allen. Rapid progress was then made with witnesses for the defense, 14 having been put on the stand when court adjourned for the day. Testimony of five witnesses given at the trial of Floyd Allen, father of Claude, and who was convicted of first degree murder, was read into the record, it being as to the good reputation enjoyed by the younger members the Allen clan previous to the present trouble. Other evidence introduced by the defense today was to impeach witnesses for the commonwealth.

McKinnon and Layman in singing, talking and eccentric soft shoe dancing at The Athens Thurs., Fri., Sat.

Dr. Peacock Delivers Literary Address

The commencement exercises of the New Bern High School began last night with an address by Dr. Dred Peacock in Griffin Auditorium. Aside from Dr. Peacock's address which was delivered in a very eloquent and able manner, an appropriate musical program had been arranged and this was enjoyed by all present. Tonight the Baccalaureate Sermon will be delivered by Rev. Dr. E. T. Carter.

Prominent Wedding.

Raleigh, N. C. May 29.—The marriage of Miss Alice Aycock and Mr Clarence Poe, which will be celebrated in Raleigh next week, will be one of the most interesting of the early June weddings.

The bride elect is the eldest daughter of the late Governor Charles B. Aycock and on account of the family being in mourning for his recent death the wedding will be at the first home of the bride, and only the family and intimate friends will be present. Mr. Poe is the editor of the Progressive Farmer and is well known as a writer, and has recently returned from a trip around the world. The bridal tour will be to England, Scotland and Ireland.

HOUSES FOR RENT.

Residence No. 28 Pollock street, possession given at once; also No. 25½, possession given May 24th. Apply to ELLIS COAL & WOOD YARD.

Judges Decide Can't Hold Coffee.

New York, May 29.—Judge Lacombe filed the decision of the federal circuit court judges, denying the motion for an injunction to restrain the alleged Brazilian coffee valorization combine from parting with nine hundred and fifty thousand bags of coffee in the New York Dock Company warehouses.

State Banks Show Gain in Resources.

Raleigh, N. C., May 29.—The resources of state banks, according to a statement made public yesterday by the corporation commission, amounted to $71,331,067.80 at the close of business April 18, a gain in net resources over the previous year of nearly seven million dollars.

FOR RENT.

A business stand near the Union depot well adapted to the purpose of a grocery or general store, or a white barber shop. There is none in that locality and there is abundant opportunity for patronage.

C. T. BABCOCK, Agt.

Suffering Still Among the Refugees.

New Orleans, La., May 29.—Suffering prevails among many refugees, though the flood conditions are improved. Governor Hall is endeavoring to give the refugees relief.

New Concern For Grimsal.

The following charter has been issued:

The Colonial Ice and Development Company, of Grimsal, Pamplico county.

4% INTEREST ON SAVINGS 4%

UNEMPLOYED MONEY.

is of little use to the owner.

If you are keeping your savings at home or in some other place where they yield no interest you do not get the full value from your money.

If you are saving for any purpose you will have the necessary amount sooner if you deposit your savings in this bank which will, twice a year, add interest at the rate of 4 per cent per annum to your account.

$1.00 OPENS AN ACCOUNT.

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Hot Weather Garments

Now that hot weather is on us we wish to announce that we are prepared to meet the public's need in light weight apparal, in Cloting, Underwear for Ladies, Men and Boys, Low Shoes and Pumps, in white, tan and gun mettle for the whole family, Mens Straw Hats, Summer Millinery etc.

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BATES-STREET SHIRTS
HE DON'T WEAR THE BEST

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