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## HAVE HAD LITTLE SHOW IN CABINET

Not Since War Has North Carolina, Virginia or Texas Had Cabinet Post.

### CLAIM IT'S THEIR TURN NOW

Each State Has Now A Favorite Son Who Is Being Urged For Appointment.

Washington, Dec. 23.—In the effort to impress Governor Wilson with the availability of their Cabinet member the people of three Southern States—Virginia, North Carolina and Texas—are pointing to the fact that they have not had a Presidential counselor since the Civil War.

Other States of the South, such as Maryland, Kentucky, Georgia and Tennessee, have sent man after man to Washington to sit in the Cabinet during the period, but the three which are now most eager for the President-elect's recognition have received not one Cabinet office, unless the case of James W. Marshall, of Virginia, is recalled.

Marshall was appointed Postmaster-General in 1874 by President Grant, but he had hardly assumed the responsibilities of his office before he tendered his resignation and returned to his home. This was the first Virginia to be called to Washington by a President, even as it was the last since James B. Floyd was appointed Secretary of War in 1857 by President Buchanan.

Just now all Virginians are united in support of Harry St. George Tucker, the former Congressman, eminent lawyer and scholar, for a position in the Wilson Cabinet. Mr. Tucker himself has had no part in this campaign, taking the position that the President should be left alone in the matter of Cabinet appointments, but Mr. Tucker has been unable to restrain his friends. The same is substantially true of North Carolina in the case of Josephus Daniels, and of Texas in the case of Albert B. Sulzer. These two great Democratic States have had not so much as a marshal during the past 50 years, and their people entertain the feeling as do most Virginians, that their turn for recognition has come. Other Southern States have been better treated.

### BRINGS CHRISTMAS PARTY.

Mr. Canfield Never Comes Unaccompanied This Time of Year.

G. D. Canfield, of Morehead City arrived in the city yesterday morning for a day's visit. For the past few years Mr. Canfield has each year brought a number of his five Morehead City friends along with him on this trip just before Christmas and when he returned from the train yesterday his small army of followers were close behind. This year he had in his charge Evelyn Chadwick, Carrie and Nora Robinson, Velma Canfield, Florence Jones, Fannie Wade, Jessie Looney, Reba Canfield, Alice Willis, Helen Canfield, Lena Morton and Marjorie Wade. The party spent the day in visiting the many stores and making purchases of Christmas gifts, returning home last evening well laden with packages.

### BIG XMAS WEEK PROGRAM AT THE ATHENS.

Three separate vaudeville attractions today.

1st. The 3 La Bertas, singing, talking and novelty acrobatic contortionists.

2nd. Riddle and Rhyme, refined singing and talking and eccentric dancing.

3rd. The Musical Brattons. A comedy musical and talking act, reproducing several standard farcical situations.

Pictures today as follows:

"Jim's Partner"—A drama of domestic trouble showing the influence of a strong mind over a weaker one.

"Wrongfully Accused"—A Western love drama full of exciting incidents.

"The Hermit"—A captivating comedy drama replete with the breath of the pine forest in the good old summer time.

A big bill today.

Pieces this week 1st hour 25c, to all. Matinee 15c, to all. Matinee 25c, to all. Matinee daily at 3:45. Show at night starts at 7:30.

## WEDDING BELLS CHIME MERRILY

Lovers Assume The Marriage Vows During Joyous Christmas Tide.

### SEVERAL PAIRS ARE MATED

oliday Season Chosen By These As Time For Life's Most Important Event.

The parlor of the James Hotel was the scene of a pretty wedding yesterday when Miss Ray Marsh, the attractive and accomplished daughter of Mrs. Mattie Marsh of Bath, N. C., became the bride of H. L. Swinson, one of Fort Barnwell's prominent young business men. G. A. Whitford, of Askin, justice of the peace, performing the ceremony.

The wedding came as a complete surprise to the friends of the contracting parties. The bride has been teaching in the public school at Fort Barnwell and had started home to spend the holidays. Stopping over in New Bern to do some shopping before continuing her journey she met Mr. Swinson and they decided to be married without any further delay.

The ceremony was witnessed by a number of friends among whom were Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Moore of Fort Barnwell, Miss Eva Mae Harper of Fort Barnwell, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Davis of Snow Hill and Mrs. L. B. Davis of Fort Barnwell. Mr. and Mrs. Swinson left last evening for Fort Barnwell where they will make their future home. Last night a reception was tendered them at the home of the groom's parents.

### RHODES—SWINSON

Pretty Wedding Solemnized Yesterday at Tabernacle Church.

The Tabernacle Baptist church was the scene of a quiet but beautiful wedding yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock when Miss Patsie Corinne Swinson, the charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George M. Swinson, became the bride of Jefferson M. Rhodes, of Lenoir, S. C.

The church had been appropriately decorated for the occasion but only a few invited relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony. Rev. J. B. Phillips, pastor of the church, officiated and the beautiful ring service was used. During the intermissions Mrs. Daphne Rowe played several appropriate selections on the piano, assisted on the violin by her brother, Samuel Coward.

Immediately after the ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes drove to the union passenger station where they boarded the westbound train for Coldboro from which place they will go the several northern cities for a bridal trip. Mr. Rhodes is in the United States Navy with headquarters at Philadelphia, and his term of enlistment will not expire for more than a year. After the bridal trip his wife will return to New Bern and reside here until his enlistment expires.

H. A. Jones of Icard and Miss Mary Harrison of Alance were married in this city yesterday. Sheriff R. B. Lane performing the ceremony. The couple came to the city yesterday morning and went at once to the office of the Register of Deeds and secured the necessary license. The ceremony was performed yesterday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock at the home of a friend in the northern part of the city.

### NEWSPAPERS AND THEIR RESPONSIBILITIES

The big cities are generally touch concerned with murder mysteries and these mysteries get much more space in the newspapers than they merit. Papers in a measure have to print what the majority of people want to read and it has to be admitted that many people have a morbid interest in a murder story especially if it has a tinge of iniquity, but it is also the duty of the newspapers which are generally conducted by high-minded people who have the best interests of their readers at heart, to go as far as they can in the direction of steering the interest of people away from a type of reading that is not wholesome and helpful. In other words newspapers can in a measure would do well to meet the demands of the reading public.

Just received yesterday Keiser's initial linen handkerchiefs in all grades. A. T. White Co. The Shop That's Different.

## Christmas Eve.

Dream, little child! The shadows fall  
Over the land the mystic veil  
That hides the morrow from our eyes  
Is swaying in the starlight pale.  
Dream, little child! 'Tis Christmas eve.  
Dream while the magic hours glide by.  
Each wind that blows the snowflakes wild  
Is laden with sweet mystery.



Dream, little child! The glowing coals  
Are painting pictures on the wall.  
Out from the quivering shadows there  
You almost hear the thrilling call  
Of "Merry Christmas, little maid!  
I hope I've brought your heart's desire."  
And Santa's shadow just above  
Grows lifelike by the leaping fire.

Dream, little child! The Christmas air  
Is glowing with your visions bright,  
And all the joys tomorrow holds  
Are shining on the page of night.  
Dream, little child! And may the years  
To you their richest treasures leave,  
And may all happy dreams prove real  
That come to you this Christmas eve!

### PLAY OF RARE MERIT

Katherine Tingley Thus Styles "The Servant in the House."

Katherine Tingley, the head of 150,000 members of the Universal Brotherhood and Theosophical Society of the World, and who first introduced the open air Greek Theatre in America, was in Portland, Maine, recently, during the engagement of "The Servant in the House," in that city. She was asked by the editor of the Portland Evening Express to write her views of his famous play for that paper. We quote in part her review:

"The production of 'The Servant in the House,' which I recently witnessed at the Jefferson Theatre, is a symbolic play, one of rare merit. It should be seen and studied, for in its suggestions it is replete with oral and spiritual principles, for old and young.

"It is an exposition of the heart and soul of man, a spiritual drama. Born of the spirit and it is a religious, dramatic and uplifting work. It appeals to the eyes and ears, but its central theme, and I venture it is a sign—that a moral regeneration has already begun through the drama for the benefit of mankind."

"The Servant in the House" will be seen at the New Music Theatre on Dec. 26th. Tickets now on sale at Clark's Cigar Store and Kafe's Bakery.

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## LOSES HIS LIFE AT COTTON GIN

Daniel Boone, Colored, Caught In Some Shafting and Whirled To Death.

### SURGEON CALLED FROM HERE

But Injured Man Was Beyond Help. Both Legs Broken and Skull Fractured.

A horri- ble accident occurred at Pollockville Saturday afternoon when Daniel Boone, a colored employe at Jack Pearce's gin, was caught in some shafting and before the machinery could be stopped he had been so badly injured that death followed a short time after.

The man had been engaged in general work around the gin and on the day of the accident had been attending to the gin. In some manner which will probably never be explained, his clothing became entangled in one of the rapidly revolving shafts and he was killed around at a rapid rate for several seconds.

His cries for help brought aid and the power was cut off from the machinery but by the time he could be taken down, practically every shred of clothing which he had worn was torn from his body. A telephone message to Dr. Walter Watson of this city called him to the scene but the man died before the physician's arrival.

An examination showed that both legs had been broken, the skull fractured and numerous other injuries inflicted.

### MRS. DELAMAR PASSES BEYOND

Following Lingering Illness Death Claims Esteemed Woman.

After an illness of several months' duration Mrs. Kate Delamar, wife of J. G. Delamar, passed away yesterday afternoon at 1:45 o'clock. A few years ago Mrs. Delamar contracted tuberculosis. "Everything possible was done for her and at times she seemed to be on the road to recovery. However several months ago loving friends saw that she was fast failing and despite all mortal aid she slowly grew worse until it was seen that her days were numbered. Comforted by a devoted husband and surrounded by loving friends her last days on earth were filled with all possible brightness. She bore her suffering without a murmur and at all times had a cheerful word for her friends. She was a member and faithful worker in Centenary Methodist church and a sincere Christian and her presence and assistance will be greatly missed in the church as well as in her home.

Prior to her marriage Mrs. Delamar was Miss Kate Stryon, daughter of Mr. and Miss W. K. Stryon, Sr., of Durham, N. C. After her marriage to Mr. Delamar she came to New Bern and has made her home here since that time. Her mother came to this city some time ago and gave her a mother's tender care during her illness and was at her bedside when death claimed her.

She was thirty-five years of age and survived by her husband, her parents, one brother and two sisters, one of whom is Mrs. Pattie Gaskill of Durham.

The funeral will be conducted from Centenary Methodist church this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock by Rev. J. B. Hurley, the pastor, and the interment will be made in Cedar Grove cemetery.

### DECORATED FOR CHRISTMAS.

The interior of the Athens Theatre has been very appropriately and attractively decorated for the Christmas holidays. Green and red wreaths were used in the decorating and the effect was very pleasing. Messrs. Lovick and Taylor, the managers, have secured three big vaudeville acts for the last three nights of the week and on Thursday night there will be a change of program. In addition to this special pictures will be shown each night.

### TICKETS SELLING WELL

Quite a number of tickets for the football game to be played at Centenary Christmas Day between the New Bern and Washington teams have been sold and the indications are that there will be a large number of spectators. Both teams are in excellent form and the game will be one well worth watching. The price of admission will be twenty-five cents.

## NO GIFT COW FOR WOODROW WILSON

Offer By Middle West Farmer To Give Him One Will Be Rejected.

### TO BUY MILK FROM DEALERS

If He Finds He Just Has To Have a Cow, Then He'll Pay for One.

Princeton, N. J., Dec. 23.—When President-elect Wilson takes his first stroll over the White House and environs next March he does not expect to be greeted by the friendly "moo" of any cow, unless by mere chance President Taft happens to leave Pauline Wayne in Washington until she can make the acquaintance of his successor.

The President-elect and his family, so far as now appears, will obtain their milk from the dumbwaiter instead of their own specially selected cow, or from whatever takes the place in the White House of the usual source of apartment-house milk bottles. There will be no gift cow for Mr. Wilson. The offer of a cow made to him by a Middle Western farmer has been rejected by Mr. Wilson on the ground that he has a set rule against accepting valuable gifts.

Mr. Wilson enforced this rule last winter when a whole host of safety razor manufacturers sent him safety razors on reading that he had cut himself with one of the old-fashioned variety. Mr. Wilson still uses his old-fashioned blade, while each safety razor man obtained back his offering by the same process that is to keep the next President from having a White House cow.

If it turns out that the milk that comes from the bottles in Washington is not a fit sort, and the President-elect finds himself in real need of a successor to the far-famed Pauline Wayne, he will buy one on his own meagre savings as a college president and Governor, or out of the stipend which he will commence to draw in March.

Pauline, according to reports which have reached here, is to be shipped to Mr. Taft's home in Ohio upon his retirement.

### REPORT ON BANK'S AFFAIRS.

Chartered Accountants Find The National In Fine Shape.

It is becoming the custom with progressive banks, generally, to employ at intervals, a reputable firm of chartered accountants for the purpose of making a thorough examination of the bank's affairs and reporting their finding to the Board of Directors.

The National Bank of New Bern, believing this custom to be a good one, employed Messrs. Marwick, Mitchell, Peat & Co. of New York, to conduct such an examination. This company is one of the largest and best known audit companies in the country. They have a special bank audit department with a large staff of experienced examiners and are the regular examiners for a large number of banks and trust companies throughout the country.

It is gratifying to stock holders customers and friends of the National Bank, to know that the most searching examination simply reveals with greater clearness, its sound and prosperous condition and discloses the fact that every possible safeguard is used in protecting its affairs, and that its interests are looked after with great care and diligence by its officers.

In addition to the special examination, referred to above, this bank is regularly examined by the National Bank Examiner twice a year and also twice a year by the directors.

The report of Messrs. Marwick, Mitchell, Peat and Co. will be found elsewhere in the paper.

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### NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Standard Shoe Co.—Christmas footgear.

Charles Ellis & Bro.—Watch this space.

J. M. Mitchell & Co.—Christmas greeting.

National Bank of New Bern—Statement certified by Chartered Accountants.

New Bern Banking and Trust Co.—Efficient service.

## CHRISTMAS EVE

# Dec. 24

Merry Christmas!

There, We Beat You to It. Hope Santa Doesn't Forget You, and That You Have Forgotten No One Else.

"God Bless Us Every One!"