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## Yes - But Then Again, No

## The State Ports Authority member

 we hope, made a New Year's resolutionto endorse - soon - Southern Rail way's proposed equalization of freight rates to the port of Morehead City. The authority's action on this matter
was postponed at the Dec. 3 meeting at was postponed at the Dec. 3 meeting a
Pinehurst. In November, Gov. Luthe Pinehurst. In November, Gov. Luther
Hodges asked the State Utilities Commission to make a study of the proposed
rates, setting forth the benefits that would accrue to the state if Southern' proposals went through.
While such a study is desirable, since report, it is ridiculous to think that Southern Railway would recommend a
lowering of freight rates into Morehea lowering of freight rates into Morehead
City unless those lowered rates would City unless those lowered rates would
be beneficial to Southern, to the por be beneficial to Southern, to the
and to the state of North Carolina. Wilmington actively opposed the
lower rates at Atlanta, Ga., before the Southern Freight Association. The rates were
also opposed by other port cities along Southern placed the proposal before
the Southern Freight Association in the the Southern Freight Association in the
hope of gaining the association's support when the rates are taken to the In
terstate Commerce Commission for the ICC's approval.
Referring to Wilmington'
ling the SPA at its December prised to find any opposition in North Carolina to the proposed decrease in rates which should bring more traffic to the port at Morehead." He added that the proposed lower rates would not hurt Wilmington.
The state did not see fit to speak up in support of Southern's proposal at the Atlanta hearing. The former state port's director, Col. Richard Marr, said
prior to the hearing that one of his staff prior to the hearing that one of his stafi The state of North Carolina cannot expect Southern Railway ina cannot the port of Morehead City when it gives nly lip-service support to Southern that favors North Carolina and North Carolina ports is not enough. Stands must be taken on specific issues. Southern Railway is, in itself, a telling force. But in some instances, offi-
cial North Carolina backing of Southcial North Carolina backing of South-
ern is - and will be - necessary if the
port of Morehead City is to thrive To deny Southern the SPA's blessing
on its proposed lower rates into Morehead is to follow the philosophy of the "Mother, mother,
"Yes, my darling daughter, hang

## Religious Query Dropped



## probably feel that one proclamation nee is not "going to hurt anything"

 When the proclamation concerns a fficial's jurisdiction, he's probably on safe ground. But if a minority religious group asks him to proclaim one of itsreligious observances, will the general religious observances, will the general
public reaction be favorable? The functions of church and state are separate. This nation has thrived, thus Placing a question on religion in the federal census would be a breach in a repercussion. Governmental proclamation of religious festivals could likewise Persons who enjoy the freedoms this democracy assures them, and who in-
telligently analyze the background of hese freedoms, should have no ill-feeling against a government, or govern-
ment officials who follow the lawful practice of keeping church and state

## What is Politics?

## (New York

"My politics are short and sweet, like the old
Lincoln).
"Politics are very much like taxes everybody is against them, or every apply to him." (Fiorello as they don dia).
"Politics has always been a roug game, but there are certain rules and the first of these is to utter falsehood that can be
(Charles Michelson).
"Politics is the only profession to which a man will devote forty years and then be insulted if somebody says e's good at it." (H. V. Wade). "One of the evils of democracy that you have to endure the man you elected, whether you like him or not." (Will Rogers)
"Politics is the art of the next best." (Otto von Bismarek).
"Kissing bables is a politician's way Edmund J. Kiefer).



## Ruth Peeling

## Dixie Upside Down by Jerry Ball

Some of you probably know Jer. that they are the only ones doing thinking that one high-heeled doll $\quad$ in

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THIRTY YEARS AGO A Virginia trawler was seized at
Beaufort to wn commissioners
passed an ordinance forbidding
bouscholds to make unauthorized
connections for water and electri-
city.
The Potter Emergency Hospital
in Beaufort was designated a
United States Public Health Service
Hospital. Hospital
Mr. Joseph Frank of Williamston
had purchased the Bay hat purchased the Bayard Taylor
stock of merchandise and expected wenty-Five $\mathbf{Y}$
Twenty-Five Years Ago
The Carteret County Bar Asso-
ciation arvised a general county
court for the trial of all civil and
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criminal cases.
C. D. Jones was advertising
Maxweli
House coffee for 30 cents

TEN YEARS AGO
Clayton Ful cher of Atlantic
launched his new $\$ 25,000$ trawler
Elmer Dewey Willis of Davis
opened a new furniture
County farmers were to review
the proposed program on agriculure at the court house on Friday.
five years ago
Arendell Street, Morehead
was designated as Route 70 .
County commissioners register
opposition to the appointment of
Range lights would be installed
in the Beaufort harbor this week.

## Free Wheeling



Author of the Week
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## Captain Henry

## Sou'easter

## $\begin{array}{ll}\text { man about town, who when he eat chooolates and at the same } \\ \text { leaves to do some trading in other time complain about their weight. } \\ \text { places shucks his professional sta- } & \text { If they want to eat and enjog it, } \\ \text { then they ought to learn to keep }\end{array}$ <br> If he didn't do so, he says, the prices on what he buys would be <br>  <br>  <br> 

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## Words of Inspiration

Face your deficiencies and acknowledge them, but do not let
master you. Let them teach you patience, sweetness and insight.
When we do the best we can, we never know what miracle is w
our own life, or in the lite of ather.

## The only safe and sure way to destroy an enemy is to make hi Iriend. If you see good in everybody, nearly everybody will see good Money talks but has very little conversation for the shiftless. <br> What is the "Clique"? 'Tis a body <br> What is the "Clique"? "Tis a body of men <br> Who attend every meeting, not just now and then; <br> These are the men that the grouch calls "The Clique Tho don"t make a farce of the mate <br> Who don't make a farce of the magie word "WWork": Who believe in the motto, "Not a job will I shirk"; <br> Who never resort to an underhand trick; <br> These are the men that the grouch calls "The The men who are seldom behind in their dues, And who from the meeting do not carry news; <br> Who attend to their duties and don't seek a a kiek; These are the men that the grouch calls "The 年 <br> The all should be proud of members like these, They can call them "The Clique" or whatever the <br> But there are some people who always find fault And most of this kind are not worth their salt: <br> And most of this kind are not worth their salt; They will always start trouble but seldom will And leave all the work to be done by "The Clique" <br> Idleness is a constant sin, and labor is a duty. Idleness is the devil's home for temptation and for unprofitable, distracting musing; while abor profiteth others and ourselves.

 A FRIENDIf to not think that I have failed, or lived my life in vain And to the Road of Life is rough, with mountains hard to elimb;
If find there's joy along the way, and the journey, it is fine I find there's joy along the way, and the journey, it is fine,
if there's a friend beside me, to cheer me with his song, oo smile his understanding, when everything goes wrong;
tgives me strength and courage, the Mountains to ascend And I find that life's worth living, as long as there's a a friend
Then be not hasty when F m gone, to say 1 lived in vain, Tho ghosts of many failures, like monuments remain

Write on my grave when 1 am dead, whatever road 1 trod The beauty of the hills and seas brimmed that immortal cup
and when I went by fields and trees my heart was lifted up Lay me in the green grass and write upon the daisies' sod
That still I praised with all my might, the wondrous works of Katharine Tyson

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