

extending the rural service as fast as was desired. Thousands of families nance department of the Third regiin North Carolina living in the rural ment. districts, who are entitled to receive their mail daily, are not doing so because of Mr. Hichcock's "economy promoti Life Worth Living in Moore. ton.

That the Dewberry crop in the Hoffman section of Moore county will this season be especially succesful is the enthusiastic declaration of J. W. Butler of Hoffman, who is extensively interested in this comparativemore and more. ly new industry thereabouts. The prices on the northern markets, he says, are holding well up to \$5 per

crate and it looks as if the market will hold up to this for the whole season. Mr. Butler says lands in his doctor. section have increased in value the Greensboro .- Five thousand dollars past few years so that instead of no

market for them at 50 cents per acre, structed at an early date in equipping they are bringing readily now from the Proximity, Revolution and White Oak mills. The electric lights will be so arranged as to show at a long distance the mes of the silly,

Eastern Star Lodge Acts Nobly. The North Carolina Grand Chap of the Order of the Eastern Star

\$15 to \$75 per acre.

F. A. Woodward, F. D. Swinten et al. attracts showed the Wilson; N. T. Green, of Norfolk; F. S. Sprull, of Rocky Mount. Counsel amount pledged to the Masonic and Eastern Star Home at Greensboro to have been \$1,000. This amount was pledged in a short while, and the pledged in a short while, and the pledged from \$1 to \$500. G. Connor, Jr., of Wilson; and Ay-The appointive officers are: Grand D. Ware, of Richmond, who headed

lieutenant, Company B, Third infantry, Raleigh, to captain in the ord-Senator mal state favor of the Chairman

Washington,-Commander E. A. Anderson of the gunboat Yorktown, baving passed his examination for on, will become a captain June 14. He is a native of Wilming-

Newton.-Catawba has improved brought it her roads no little by the contract for ame system and the "bug" is at work. amendment wa Talk of using the 20-cent road tax to tor Root wa carry a bond issue is being heard upon it, no al Senator Town Farmville .- The two little two-year-

from death by the heroic work of the ada.

worth of electric signs are to be con-

the tant who was receive \$900 a year

pledged in a short while, and the pledges ranged from \$1 to \$500. Second tour. The demand for the splendid entertainment which these Ada, Miss Maggie Hester; Grand children give has grown so much that Ruth, Mrs. Susan Sweat; Grand Es- it has become necessary to have the ther; Mrs. Lelie Godfrey; Grand tour of the state divided into three R. trips instead of two. Raleigh.—Rev. R. Percy Eubanks, who has been assistant rector of Christ church parish and priest in charge at St. Zavier's chapel, has accepted the rectorship of Trinity church, Statesville, and will assume ama canal. his duties in Statesville the first Sunday in July. He goes to succeed Rev E. A. Osborne, who goes to Char lotte. Asheville .- Among the arrests made in May by the officers for violation of the revenue laws was the famous Quill Rose of Swain county. Quill Rose is 70 years of age and, until arrested last month, had never been before a United States court, although it is said that he has been making line, the Illinois Central has ever exblockade liquor practically all of his perienced."

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TO FIGHT DIRECT ELECTIONS AN IMPORTANT RESOLUTION Popular Vote for Senators Will Be Opposed by All Seuthern UNITED STATES SENATE VOTES Congressmen. IN FAVOR OF ELECTION BY Washington .- The action of the sen-THE PEOPLE. ate in adopting the Bristow substitute

Democrats But One All Southern Voted Against Adopting the Resolution.

ot prepared to speak Washington .- The senate adopted npt was made to vote. the resolution proposing a change in d offer an amendment the Federal Constitution to provide for and Mr. Robert Barfett ate a box of matches each, and were only saved the reciprocity arrangement with Canlution had been broken by Vice President Sherman, who voted in the at-

RAILROAD firmative. This action came followwith View of Ing aine hours of debate. The resolution, as an passed, follo amended and

and ignorant Negro voters are dis franchised. ragraph

on which shall be valid to all in- the amendment before 2 becomes op

whether it ever becomes effective. It is regarded as practically certain popular elections amendment in its present form; Senators Bacon and Terrell voted against the resolution on the manual data and Recall. Albany, N. Y.-That the Democr to be a great railroad war, was taken, from each state, elected by the people

ANENT VIII SECRETARY OF STATE AND THE CHAIRMAN OF COMMITTEE IN CONTROVERSY.

**GRAVE CHARGE** 

NO. 5.

**MISSING VOUCHER IS FOUND** 

No Explanation as to Where It Came From Forthcoming-Secretary's Explanation.

Washington.-Intimation of "docto ing" the now famous Day portrait, voucher, a consequent lively colleguy between Secretary Knox and Chal man Hamlin of the house investigate ing committee, and testimony of Dis-bursing Officer Morrison's white messenger that he found the voucher on the floor near Morrison's deak after the archives had been ineffectually ransacked, featured the state depart ment investigation.

Correspondence between Secretary Root and Consul General Michael at Calcutta indicated that the mystric ous difference between the amount of the voucher and the actual amount paid to the portrait painter was applied to emergency accounts, probably Chinese matters according to Mr. Michael. The exchange between Mr. to the resolution for the popular elec-

Knox and Mr. Hamlin blew over very tion of United States senators shifts quickly. Mr. Morrison probably will the fight over this mooted question be recalled to explain how the wouch back to the house of representatives. Unless the caucus rule is applied er happened to be among the "crumpled envelopes" near his waste hasby the Democrats, it is believed that ket at the close of the day's work the Bristow substitute will be accept long after the search for the ed by the house, and that the constiment had been on.

tutional amendment will be submitted The secretary explained apparently to the satisfaction of the com the payment of \$5,000 to Frederick Hale, son of former Senator to practically all Southern congress Hale of Maine, for services in co men and senators; indeed, its provistion with the Canadian boundary i ions are viewed with alarm by these tiations. Mr. Knox produced the statesmen who believe that its en tions of the treaty of 1908, which an forcement will nullify the suffrage thorized negotiations with Canad laws of the South whereby the venal establish the line through Pa quoddy bay. Mr. Hale was

If the house accepts the senate indiment to the resolution it might infely predicted that the ratificafor this work, performed his to the sal and Se

for \$2,450, of Mr. Knox cod erative, there is serious doubt as to but \$650.

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With the bringing to a successful con-summation the plans of the former owner and builder of the road, John R. Walsh, the Chicago banker now in tionable feature, and the siastic over the initiative and recall in

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the Ware-Kramer company, are here for the trial. Judge Connor assured the jury

cock & Winston, of Raleigh. Both

Samuel Kramer, of Durham, and F.

several car loads of cigarettes to

Chirg. In this case the Ware-Kramer

company received payment for their

goods but their agents claim to have

found later that it was American to-

bacco goods that actually reached the

jobbers and with which the trade was

supplied. What became of the Ware-

Kramer goods does not appear. Also

there is the W. M. Carter incident

in which Carter, who is a party de-

fendant in the suit, is charged with

having gotten into the Ware-Kramer

business as a stockholder and manager of the sales department and systemat-

ically worked to decrease the pres

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company by taking men from terri-tory where they had built up trade

and forced them into new territory

and by circulating damaging reports

about the affairs of the Ware-Kramer

company. The American Tobacco com

pany denies all these charges and sets

up the further contention that the things charged in the main if they

transpired, as alleged, were more than

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the suit and are, therefore, barred by the statute of limitations controlling plors. Ayproving an 600

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his intention to look as well as was possible to the comfort and convenience of the jury during the three or four weeks of trial ahead of them and insisted that the jurors must steer clear of undue influences in this case and consider the evidence presented without regard to who plaintiff or defendant are. He gave notice that if there should come to his attention any effort by anyone influence the jurors he will deal with them to the limit of the law as such an offense would be especially insufferable.

## Auto Licenses Must be Renewed.

This is the month for the renewal of the licenses and registrations of automobiles in this state and it is estimated that there will have to be not less than '20,000 entries of one sort and another in the department of state before this work is over There are 2,596 automobiles register ed and all of these will have to pro cure renewals before July 1 or be penalties. The numbering started at 100 and there is one num ber-1313-that was canceled for an nutomobile owner in Ch. lotte and an cher and more "lucky' nun.et sub ad after the machine had killed person and happened to a numof other serious mishaps. What the number 1313 more object ble to the gentleman to whom it allotted was the fact that the Was ration was made and the license registration a Friday.

d Lodge Officers Eastern Star. "The Grand Lodge of the Eastern "Star, in sixth annual session here. Mrs. Sallie M. Boettcher, th City, grand matron; Dr. S. H. Lyle Franklin, grand- patron; Mrs. R. Wilcox, Halifax, 8850 nd matron; Rev. J. W. Row ell, Wingate, associate grand pa-tron; Mrs. Mary C. Weatherly, Frank

inville, grand secretary; Mrs. Emma Siler City, grand treasurer; . Kate Taylor, Winston, grand ductress, and MLs Vallie Sanders, sociate grand conductress.

ual Meeting Suliders Exchange. nnual meeting of the Build hange will be held at Wrights July 3. Mr. J. A. J atte in president of the en and Mr. E.

Mrs. Eugenia Taft: Grand Warden, Mrs. Annie Hale; Grand Sentinel, L. F. Fetnries: Grand Chapiain,

L. M. Clymer; Grand Organist, Miss Laura M. Jones; Grand Marshal, B. F. Edwards; Fraternal Correspondent, Mrs. Annie E. Bynum.

Franklin Voting Tax Districts. Information comes to the state department of education from Superinendent R. B. White of the Franklin county public schools that another local tax district has just been voted by the people. It is for Cedar creek district and the improved schools will have three teachers.

#### Tobacco Very Sorry in Pitt.

State Senator R. R. Cotton of Pitt ounty, says that the outlook in his Ilfa. ection is for only about a third of a crop of tobacco. The lack of rain prevented the successful transplanting of the tobacco plants. While it has been very dry, owing to the exceptionally thorough preparation of lands, there has been nothing like the damage by drought to other crops one would ordinarily expect he says.

> Wadeaboro .- Mr. J. B. Martin, prominent farmer and automobilist of this, county, while riding home, accompanied by his wife and children, was shot at five times with a pistol along the road by Will Allen, a young white man, Mr. Martin, turning around to see what the trouble was, was again shot at five times. Mr. Mar tin secured a pistol and overtook Allen, and after disarming him gave him a well-deserved 'thrashing.

Police Seized 10,000 Gallons Liquor. At Hendersonville the police raidd a store room on the main business thoroughtare and seized 10,000 gallons of liquor. The alleged proprietor of the place, O. N. Carson, It is said. is but the agent of the real owners of the "wet goods."

## Road From Salisbury to Monroe. Capt. R. P. Henry, of Winston Salem, chief engineer, with a corps of assistants are busy making a preliminary survey of the proposed rail-read from Salisbury to Monroe.

Special Court for Blind Tigers. Judge Daniels is directed by Gover or Kitchin to convene a special term f criminal court in Durham July 15 o continue one week for the specia surplese of trying 39 blind tiger case hat have uccummulated through in ensational crussed the officers made ainst Houter setting in the

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Salisbury .- The Southside reel team of this city, which made such splen did records at the Charlotte tourna ment, bringing home a goodly amount of prize money, is to go to Columbia next month to attend the South Caro lina State Firemen's association and, enter the inter-State reel races will and anticipate giving the Palmetto boys something to think about.

Statesville .- The good roads county of a parcels post. Grasshoppers Attack Cotton. New Orleans.—According to a prom-inent cotton planter, who has just re-turned here after a two weeks' trip advisory board, composed of one man from each township selected by the voters at the time of the bond elec tion last month, when \$400,000 was

voted for road improvement, has instructed the county commissioners to employ Civil Engineer W. S. Fallis, of Franklinton, as county engineer to superintend the road building as provided in the road bond bill.

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Americans Will Lose Millions.

Wilmington .-- Plans and specifica tions for the erection of the handsome building by the Church of the diately affecting m Good Shepherd has been received and it is thought that work on the buildwere announced. ing will be begun in a short time and the house of worsbip ready for oc cupancy within six months. Charlotte .-- One hundred and twelve

young men who are seeking to prac tice medicine in North Carolina 11.5 sembled at O'Donoghue hall to take the final examination before the state board. Many other states besides North Carolina were represented among the young men.

Lexington.-The Woman's Missio ary Society of western North Caro conference closed the greatest i meeting in its history with in of officers. The society will of officers. The society will at year with the First Math

hurch of Gastonia, Bope -W. S. Por from Pawinchet. Fin., charged with

umerous branch of the state legisla-

already engaged in a struggle to get the executive authority of such state control of the gulf traffic which will shall issue writs of election to fill such result from the opening of the Pan- vacancies, provided, that the legislature of any state may empower the ma canal. "For, with the opening of the old executive thereof to make temporary

Waish railroad to the Ohlo river by appointments until the people fill the the Vanderbilt interests, which con-vacancies by election as the legislatrol it through their New York Cen-tral lines, a traffic agreement has been "This amendment shall not be

tral lines, a traffic agreement has been entered into with the Louisville and Nashville railroad which practically gives the New Yor Central line a

Chicago to the Gulf line and which also brings the first actual competition to the Harriman Great Lakesto-the-Gulf THE FIRST BALE OF COTTON

in Houston, Texas.

United States and an recommended what changes are necessary in the present methods. The investigation is to be made by the senate committee on post-offices and postroads, with especial at-tention to the possible establishment the appearance at market of the season's first bale. The bale came from

Iouston exchange for a bale of cot-the subject matter of the latt is not in ject. Representative Cox of im clearly expressed in the title. An al-introduced a resolution asking be cotton business, was the success-leged liquor dealer of Troy, Ala., who introduced a resolution asking postmaster general to report who the cotton business, was the successthrough various parts of the cotton full bidder. He says he does not know was sentenced to work on the roads, belt, grasshoppers in large quantities yet what he will do with the cotton appealed the case on the ground that are beginning to attack the cotton He had three competitors until the his wage per day should be 75 cents orop in sections of Louisians and Mis- \$1,000 mark was reached, when the rather than 40 cents, and his contenappealed the case on the ground that his wage per day should be 75 cents porting any mail matter in tion was held to be good. others dropped out.

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### Swamp Drainage Will Be Taught.

Newport News, Va.-Sweeping out t the southwest with cyclonic veloc y, a wind, rain, hall and electrical Memphis.-The Southern farmer of the so ent as the farmer of the ty, a w insula, and left insula, and left in rule in its wake.

indicated by its action in divest Georgia congressmen are unanimous Georgia congressmen are manimum in their opposition to the acceptance of the resolution in its present shape. Information in the proposi-new charger for the city of Buffalo. The debate on the measure has Unfortunately the Northern Democracy entertains no such feeling toward five hours and was spirited this feature of the resolution. On the out, "I have heard a good deal al contrary, many of the Northern Dem- this new-fangled initiative and recall ocrats believe the Federal government said Minority Leader Brackett, should supervise the elections.

ment to the original resolution.

75 Cents a Day for Convicts.

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In its present shape, the propose

most of it is flapdoodle-very Moreover, they have thousands of ous flapdoodle at that." One speaker declared that if the renegro voters in their district and they call principle had been in effect at the fear to antagonize them by opposing

Federal supervision. The Northern time of the Civil war President Lin-Democrats and the Republican memcoln undoubtedly would have been deposed and disgraced. bership form a majority of the house,

A third senator expressed dou and only a majority vote will be reto the constitutionality of either the quired to concur in the senate amendprinciples or the referendum, while a tourth contended that a public official The only hope lies in a Democratic Bale of 1911 Cotton Sells for \$1,015 caucus. If the caucus votes against should be judged by his entire acta

If the new charter is accepted by the people of Buffalo it will be the the Bristow amendment by a twothirds majority, then the Democratic the 1911 cotton crop was taken into the resolution to conference. This ipal government by commission which the local cotton exchange for sale. It might save the situation for the South, has been adopted in 135 cities scatters. Houston, Texas .- The first bale of membership will be pledged to send first experiment in this state of me

To Probe Perial System. Washington.—The senate passed the Bourne resolution authorizing an in-vestigation of the postal system of the United States and to determine what

To Probe Express Rat

Washington.-Investigation of t "causes of excessive transp Montgomery .- In a decision by the the farm of Ernest Mail in Cameron county. The bale was sold for \$2.05.84 per pound, the total weight being 493 pounds, and the price \$1,015. This was the highest price ever paid on the Houston exchange for a bale of cot-top. S. Jassa Jonan who is not in the subject matter of the fact is not top. S. Jassa Jonan who is not in the subject matter of the fact is not top. S. Jassa Jonan who is not in the subject matter of the fact is not top. S. Jassa Jonan who is not in the subject matter of the fact is not top. S. Jassa Jonan who is not in the subject matter of the fact is not top. S. Jassa Jonan who is not in the subject matter of the fact is not top. S. Jassa Jonan who is not in the subject matter of the fact is not top. S. Jassa Jonan who is not in the subject matter of the fact is not intermediation in the subject matter of the subject matter o tion with the United States po vice.

Castro Glosely Watched.

Lumbermen Were Blacklisted. Washington.—Frank B. Kellogs, spe-cial conusel of the department of jus-ard Oil company, and known as the ard Oil company, and known as the "trust buster," told the house steel trust investigating committee that he had for years been special counsel of the state called Henry A. Gorsuch, in partment and the department had for years been special counsel of the state called Henry A. Gorsuch, in partment and the department and the department subsidiary companies of the Steel Cortics suit to oust the so-called trust tice can prevent it. The from the state. Mr. Gorsuch admitted to the state of the from the state. Mr. Gorsuch admitted to the state of the state tering expedition might find

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