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**FRANCE VERY CAREFUL**  
France proposes not to rush headlong into the Geneva Convention until she understands her status. The experience of the armament conference is fresh with her.

**CONDUCT MOVIE STARS**  
The experience of Fatty Arbuckle, Mabel Normand and William Desmond Taylor should be a warning to other moving picture stars.

An industry which exerts such a wonderful influence upon the morals of the people deserves a higher type of people to put on the pictures. It is difficult for people to rise above their environment. When men and women allow themselves to get on terms of intimacy their productions must of necessity affect their productions.

The influence of pictures are too far reaching, not to consider the source of their inspiration and production.

**THE WORLD DO MOVE**  
When it is possible to operate an air plane with a mechanical device without touching it with human hands, then one may wonder what next?

But this is reported to have been done with a cross channel passenger plane between England and France, the plane carrying thirteen persons.

The plane is described as rising to a height of 1000 feet without the operator touching the wheel, or the control, and he sat back in his seat and watched the plane automatically respond to all the directions that it was desired to go. For half an hour the plane flew so steadily that none of the thirteen passengers on board felt the least vibration.

"Quicksilver, operating electrically a compressed air motor, which obtains its power from the rush of wind as the airplane travels through the air is the prime factor in this invention," said George Aveline who perfected it.

**TEACHERS MEET.**  
The Wilson County Teachers Association held a delightful meeting last evening at Rock Ridge school house. Miss Mary Hyman, president, presided at the meeting.

Principal Short of the Rock Ridge school had charge of the very interesting program. Mr. R. T. Barnes, register of deeds of Wilson county, made the address of welcome, assuring the teachers that Rock Ridge was happy at the opportunity of entertaining them. Miss Grace Finley, teacher of English in the Rock Ridge school, gave a reading which was enjoyed.

The reports of the regular committees were heard. The Association accepted the code of ethics for Wilson county athletics as gotten out by the inter school relations and activities committee. The Association accepted the eligibility committee which had been appointed for the county. Those comprising this committee are Mr. C. L. Blackburn, chairman, Mr. C. L. Coon, ex-officio member, Messrs. D. C. Holt of Elm City and J. S. Bryan of Wilson.

The Rock Ridge hosts served refreshments at the conclusion of the business session. The next meeting will be held at Elm City.

**MEETING OF CO. K.**  
Company K of the Woman's Club met Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. H. Y. Scott. Twelve members were present with three new members reported. Much interest is being shown and every one feels that this Company is going "Over the Top."

At the close of the business meeting Mrs. Scott served tea and wafers.

**MR. BENTON HAS FRACTURED VERTEBRAE.**  
The many friends of Mr. C. C. Benton, architect of Wilson, who was injured in the Lexington hotel fire in Richmond, Va. Tuesday morning, will regret to learn that his condition is not satisfactory.

It has developed that Mr. Benton has a fracture of the fourth vertebrae and his injuries may prove serious. At first it had been believed that his condition was not serious, but since the recent developments in his case his relatives are apprehensive. Mr. Benton's wife, his brothers, Mr. Frank Benton of Wilson and Mr. George Benton of Fremont, and his sisters, Mesdames C. B. Breece and L. W. Morris of Wilson are at the bedside of Mr. Benton, who is a patient in a Richmond hospital.

The exact details of Mr. Benton's attempt to escape from the burning hotel show that he had a narrow escape from instant death. When Mr. Benton found the fire had gained great headway he attempted to leave his room on the fourth floor of the hotel by making a rope of bedclothing and attempting to lower himself down the improvised rope broke. Mr. Benton in a miraculous manner caught on a window ledge on the third floor. The window ledge was icy but Mr. Benton managed to cling on. He was struck by the body of a man who was jumping from a window above. This man was attempting to jump into a net which was being held by those below. The man missed the net and was killed instantly.

When Mr. Benton was struck by the falling man he managed to cling on to the window ledge until the men below shouted to him to jump into the net. He jumped and landed on his feet and would have probably escaped without injuries but for the fact that the net was held so near the ground that Mr. Benton's body struck the pavement.

A message received from Richmond this afternoon states that Mr. Benton is better today. There is no sign of paralysis from the fractured vertebrae. He will be compelled to remain in a plaster cast for two weeks.

**AN INTERESTING PARTY**  
A unique entertainment in the form of an Apron party was given by Mrs. George Green at her home on Thursday afternoon from four to six o'clock. Tiny little aprons with an appropriate verse, asking that a penny for each inch of your waist measure be put in the pocket had been sent out. Seventy dollars was received and this was divided between Circles Three and Four of the Presbyterian church.

The officers of the Auxiliary graciously assisted Mrs. Green and Mrs. Carter in receiving the guests. A delicious salad course was served.

It was most fitting that Mrs. Green should give this benefit party for the Presbyterian church, for which she has labored so earnestly from its beginning.

Many of her friends responded to her clever invitations with verse as well as pennies. Three of them were as follows:

To measure my waist, I am told,  
And give for each inch, not of gold,  
But of pennies, as many as the tape  
Line doth say,  
On this ninth day of February,  
I have measured with care,  
Regret not to be there,  
And send thirty cents to be fair—  
Mrs. A. A. Bayse.

To the ladies of the Presbyterian church,  
I am sending some money, though  
not very much,  
For this an age, when we all must  
thriftily,  
Or I should certainly send you more  
than fifty.  
Fifty inches for waist does sound a  
little strange,  
But I guess you won't object to the  
extra change.  
Success to your party, may your  
plans all succeed,  
It gives me pleasure your attractive  
call to heed.  
Mrs. Walter F. Woodard.

Thirty was my waist in my youthful  
days,  
But now I've changed my waistful  
weights,  
So now it's thirty-six or thereabout.  
But I count forty to leave no doubt.  
To be waistful it some folks pays,  
So I hope you'll profit by my waistful  
weights.  
I am sending my apron back in haste  
That you may pocket what I waist.  
On account of sickness I can not  
come,  
As I would like to, to Mrs. Green's  
home,  
Since the occasion I can not grace,  
You'll miss seeing my handsome face  
To the Presbyterians I would express  
My heartiest wish for their success.  
James Dempsey Bullock.

**BASKETBALL STUFF.**  
The Wilson High School girls' quint lost to Raleigh here last night in a hard fought basketball game, Raleigh winning by the score of 34 to 23. In the first half the locals led in the scoring, but Raleigh was able to overtake them and finally win out by the large margin of 10 points. Daphne Raper, Elsie Barnes, and Rachel Daniels featured for the locals; while Miss Weaver and Miss Scott did the star work for the visitors. One of the largest crowds of the season witnessed the game and even though the score was against them, they were well pleased with the locals.

The girls' basketball team of the Gardner's School swamped the Stantonburg girls' five yesterday afternoon on the Gardner's court, winning by the score of 28 to 12, the game in spite of the score was a good one, with both teams playing consistent ball throughout the contest. It was the all around team play of the Gardner's quint which won the contest.

Gardner's boys' five lost to the Stantonburg boys, yesterday afternoon in the County Basketball League, the Stantonburg quint winning by the score of 24 to 12. Both these quints are new to the cage game, and both have been putting out good basketball. The race for the trophy cup is young yet, and the fans feel certain that these fives will make a showing in the title fight.

Lucama goes in the lead in both the boys and girls' league, by winning the basketball battles yesterday afternoon from the strong Rock Ridge team. The boys game was easily the best contest of the day, both teams playing hard and fast for the victory. Time after time the score was tie, but in the last few minutes of play the Lucamaites were able to gain the lead by a tremendous spurt, winning by a 26 to 19 score. Superior floor work, guarding and shooting enabled the Lucama girls to win their game, which was a fast one, and was hard fought from start to finish. The score at the final whistle was 20 to 17 in Lucama's favor.

**MR. WATSON ABLE TO BE OUT.**  
Mr. Gaston Watson, who has been confined to his room for several days, is able to be out again his friends will be glad to learn.

**KIND AND PLEASANT DISPOSITION.**

Editor of The Times, Dear Friend: There resides two citizens in Wilson that I have often thought for the last twenty five years. They are Messrs. Ed. Mayo and Vernon Moss, Sr. I have wished many times that I had the same kind and gentle disposition that these two highly respected citizens possess, for they both appear to be in the best of feeling and humor towards all classes of peoples regardless of color.

How pleasant it would be if all men would set such an example. They always meet me with a pleasant smile and hearty handshake and are cordial to every one they come in contact with.

Yours very truly,  
J. J. THORN.  
Elm City, N. C.

Just six more days of big bargains in Fulghums sale. 1td

**MAYOR'S COURT.**  
Cases before Mayor Killette this morning were:  
Mary Lee Gorham, colored, assault on Charlie Moore, colored, judgment suspended on payment of costs.  
Charlie Heath, drunk and disorderly, 14.25.  
Ernest Watson, carrying concealed weapons, \$54.25.

Don't fail to attend Fulghums sale next week, closes Saturday. 1td

**SPLendid VAUDEVILLE IN WOMAN'S CLUB MINSTREL**

Besides the big one hour minstrel first part which will team with jokes on local celebrities, new song hits and dance numbers, the Woman's Club minstrel will offer six snappy vaudeville acts, each and every one a feature. Miss Jessie Fulghum will deliver an old Maid monologue in her own inimitable manner. The Wilson Quartette will delight with harmony and song, Edna Alford will offer a dainty dancing specialty. The Six Jazz Fiends will deliver a musical act of rare quality. "Deep C." Green will offer a fifteen minute blackface monologue, William Winstead will present a snappy song specialty and the Military Revue will close the big program. Rehearsals are progressing nicely and the performance will be up to now in every respect. School children will be admitted for fifty cents, Wednesday, the second night. 2 11 1td

**At the Churches SUNDAY**

**Calvary Methodist Church**  
Rev. J. Herbert Miller, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 3 p. m., Mr. L. K. Williams, Supt.  
Preaching service Sunday evening at 7:30. Junior Epworth League Wednesday afternoon at 4:30. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:30. Night school Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 7:30. A most cordial invitation is extended to all.

**Primitive Baptist**  
Corner Green and Jackson Streets  
Services at 11 a. m., and 7:30 p. m.

**First Methodist Church**  
F. Swindell Love, Pastor.  
Services at 11:00 and 7:30 p. m. Mr. Love will preach at both services.

Sunday school 9:45.  
Epworth League at 6:45 p. m., Miss Pattie Morgan, leader. Prayer service at 7:30 Wednesday.  
You are cordially invited to all these services.

**St. Timothy's Episcopal Church**  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m.  
No services morning or evening.

**Presbyterian Church**  
E. L. Flanagan, Pastor.  
Sunday school 9:45 a. m., Mr. S. E. Leonard, Supt.  
Preaching at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.  
Special music at both services.  
You are cordially invited to all services.

**First Baptist Church**  
Dr. I. M. Mercer, Pastor.  
Sunday school at 9:45 a. m., conducted by Mr. A. B. Carroll Supt.  
Church services at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The pastor will preach at both services.  
The Young People's Union, Monday 7:30 p. m.  
Midweek prayer service, Wednesday evening at 7:30.  
The public cordially invited to all services.

**The First Christian Church**  
J. E. Stuart, Minister.  
Bible School 9:45 a. m., J. W. Jomp, Supt.  
Preaching 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Christian Endeavor at 6:30 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday evening 7:30.  
The public cordially invited to all the services.

**EVANS GOT FOURTEEN YEARS.**  
Judge Horton this morning sentenced W. F. Evans who killed Asa Keen to fourteen years in the state prison. Prior to the sentence his attorney Mr. John E. Woodard plead for his client. He said that Evans was not a strong man, and that his wife and children were dependent on him for support.

Mr. Woodard said that he thought the law gave the judges too much latitude and his honor agreed with him. He said that the Virginia plan was better. In that state the juries say how much punishment should be meted out to a man. Between his duty to the people and the law, and the pleadings of the families and those interested it was very hard for the judge to know what to do. Evans also pleaded his case. He said that he killed Keen in self-defense. Judge Horton said that he shot him in the back. The juries this week have been very thoughtful and very discriminating. They have brought in their verdicts with due deliberation with regard to the various degrees of crime. "I feel" he said "their verdict was very just in your case." He then sentenced Evans to 14 years in the state prison, saying his expectance was 20 and nineteenth years, and that would give a chance to be out fourteen years. Solicitor Allsbrook stated that all he had to say was that the jury thought Evans was guilty and so found and that he would pray the judgment of the court.

**104 YEARS OLD**  
Harriet Farmer, a negro woman said to be 104 years old died today at the home of one of her children on the farm of Mr. W. J. Davis, near this city. The funeral will occur there tomorrow afternoon.

**SAY FELLOW**  
Take your best girl to the best cafe tomorrow. Special dinner 12 to 8 p. m. Barnes Graves Cafe.

**STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.**  
The Annual Meeting of the Stockholders of the Wilson County Fair Association will be held at the Chamber of Commerce Saturday night Feb. 18th at 7:30. Please be present. J. S. WOODARD, Secretary.

**February 14-15**  
**Woman's Club Minstrel**

**INTERLOCUTRESS:—**  
Miss Jessie Fulghum

**END LADIES IN BLACK:—**  
Misses Ruth and Mamie Carville  
Blanch Stokes, Margaret Overman, Elsie Barnes, Libbie Sugg, Dixie Raper and Marion Johnson.

**ONE HOUR MINSTREL FIRST PART**  
Eleven Big Soloists, One hundred Local Jokes, Bubbling Song Hits, Nifty Dancing and a Real Singing Chorus.

**Doors Open at 7:45** **Curtain at 8:30 Sharp**

**ONE HOUR OF VAUDEVILLE**  
Miss Fulghum: Old Maid Monologue.  
Wilson Quartette: Harmony and Song.  
The Jazz Fiends: Musical Specialty.  
"Deep C." Green: Blackface Monologue.  
Wm. Winstead: Nifty Song Specialty.  
Edna Alford: Dainty Dancing Act  
Military Regue: Employing Thirty People

**SPECIAL SCENERY AND COSTUMES**

**A Limited Number of Tickets Will Be Sold. Get Yours Now. Price 75c**

**NOTICE**  
Watch Tuesday's Paper for Gilmer's Dollar Day Ad. Dollar Day, Wednesday, Feb. 15.

A meeting of stockholders of the Wilson Athletic Association will be held Monday evening, February 13, at 7:30 at the Chamber of Commerce. 2 10 3td

We are proud of our new place and want the people of Wilson to be proud of our business. We have the largest shop in the State and must do business to keep it going. G. T. Fulghum & Co. 2 9 3td

Our phone number is still 107 and all you have to do is call Garry. He can stop your troubles. G. T. Fulghum & Co. 2 9 3td

**DISSOLUTION NOTICE.**  
Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between Slead Kannan, and James Kannan of Wayne County, and George Kannan of Wilson County under the firm name of Kannan Brothers is dissolved by mutual consent.  
George Kannan will continue business at 130 South Tarboro street, Wilson, N. C., under the name of George Kannan.  
Slead Kannan, will continue business under the name of S. Kannan at his present store No. 121 West Walnut Street in the City of Goldsboro, and James Kannan, will continue business under the name of James Kannan, at his present stand in store 109, East Walnut Street. This 6th day of February, 1922.  
George Kannan,  
Slead Kannan,  
Jas. Kannan.  
2 11 18 25 4

**SPECIAL SUNDAY DINNER.**  
12 to 8 p. m.  
Bring the family down we will make you feel at home.  
Barnes Graves Cafe.

**ROOFING**  
5-V Crimp galvanized iron, asbestos shingles, flexatite roll shingles, asphalt roll roofing. We deliver anywhere in or near town. T. F. Pettus Co., Inc. 2 9 3td

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Provide Plenty of Wholesome Candy for Your Family  
Chocolate Contains Butter Fat and is a Valuable Tissue  
Builder  
**PATTERSON DRUG CO**  
**THE SAFE DRUG STORE**

Mrs. L. A. Eborn Instructor of Piano, Peabody Conservatory Training. Pupils desired. 2 4 7td

**OPEN SUNDAY**  
9 to 1 & 2 to 6  
**TURLINGTON & MORRISON**  
Phone 233 & 168

**JEWISH RELIEF FUND.**  
The state-wide drive is on this week. Voluntary subscriptions only are being asked in Wilson. Your help is needed. Let your contributions come in promptly.  
J. OETTINGER,  
Chairman.

Previously reported \$2,018.25  
Mrs. K. E. Herring 1.00  
Mrs. John H. Forbes 1.00  
J. M. Poole 1.00  
Miss Nettie McKeel, R.F.D. No. 6 1.00  
Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Ellis 4.00

**BE INDIVIDUAL! BE SOMEBODY!**  
Let your personal taste show itself in the Clothes you wear by making your own choice of Fabric and Style. Have it made to your own special measurements—built for you—so that when the suit is on it looks a part of you!  
I am now showing the New Spring and Summer woollens comprising the finest imported and domestic creations. Harry F. Walls, Carolina's leading tailor. 2 8 5td