

# MAX GARDNER TO SPEAK TONIGHT AT THE COURT HOUSE ATTEMPT IS MADE ON LIFE OF WILSON

## WASHINGTON DAILY NEWS

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### ADVANCE ON BAUPAUME CONTINUED BY FRENCH

CAPTURE OF SAILLY-SAILLISEL IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT RECENTLY MADE.

#### GERMANS COUNTERING

Attempts So Far Have Been Unsuccessful. Armored Automobiles and Tanks of the British Have Been Destroyed, Berlin Reports.

(By United Press)

With the French armies advancing on Baupau, Oct. 20.—Since Wednesday night the Germans have been making counter attacks on the village of Salliy-Sallise, which was conquered by the French in a brief but violent battle. The fury of the German counters is evidence of the importance they attributed to this position. By capturing it, the French removed one of the strongest defenses southeast of Baupau, which German prisoners repeatedly boasted was unattainable. At the same time, they widened the breach in the German lines for a depth of more than eleven miles.

French positions on the Peronne-Baupau highway have been extended for a distance of four and a half miles. The quick capture of Salliy-Sallise is an example of the power of the French infantry.

Germans Bombard Redoubts. London, Oct. 20.—The Germans heavily bombarded the Staff-Schwaben redoubts north of Thiepval last night.

Artillery More Active. Paris, Oct. 20.—Artillery is most active on the Somme front, particularly in the region of Salliy-Sallise. No infantry attacks are in progress.

Germans Recapture Trenches. Berlin, Oct. 20.—The largest part of the trenches, which were captured Wednesday by the British, west of the road from Eaucourt to Lebarque, were recaptured by the Germans yesterday. It was officially announced today. "During the last great attack the British used their much heralded automobiles. Three of these so-called tanks are lying before our lines destroyed. The fighting at Dobrujka becomes livelier. Russian attacks have been repulsed along the Stochod front."

### VALUABLE PRIZES TO BE OFFERED BY LOCAL TOBACCO WAREHOUSE

An interesting offer is announced by the Central Tobacco warehouse in today's issue. Valuable prizes are to be given away absolutely free to the farmers. These prizes will be offered to the man making the highest average on 1,000 pounds, to the man making the highest average of 500 pounds and to the lady in whose name the greatest number of pounds of tobacco is sold.

The competition for these valuable prizes promises to be extremely keen. The contest will start on Monday and will end on November 27. Further details will be found in a large advertisement which the warehouse is running in today's issue.

ATTEND THE AUCTION SALE Wednesday, Oct. 25, 10:30 a. m. Hear good music by the Atlantic Coast Realty Co.'s "All Star Brass Band." 10-18-tfe-fp.

### LARGE CROWD EXPECTED TO HEAR GARDNER

Candidate for Lieutenant-Governor Will Speak at the Court House Tonight.

O. Max Gardner, candidate for lieutenant-governor on the Democratic ticket, will arrive in the city this evening on the train from Raleigh and will speak at the court house at eight o'clock.

Mr. Gardner has aroused intense enthusiasm wherever he has appeared and it is expected that one of the most successful political meetings that has been held so far in Washington will take place tonight. Both Democrats and Republicans are expected to turn out in large numbers.

### FALKENHAYNE IS WOUNDED

(By United Press)

Rome, Oct. 20.—Field Marshal Falkenhayne, former chief of the general staff of the German army, was wounded in the leg and has been forced to relinquish his command of the Teutonic armies in Transylvania, according to Zurich dispatches.

### ESCAPED PRISONERS ARE ALL CAPTURED

(By United Press)

Osnising, N. Y., Oct. 20.—After an all night search through the woods of the John D. Rockefeller estate for six convicts who escaped from Sing Sing prison yesterday, all were rounded up and captured before noon today. One was shot and wounded while he was attempting to pull a revolver.

Attended Court Here.

E. M. Green, assistant district attorney, who has been attending federal court here, has returned to his home in New Bern.

### REPUBLICANS NOT DISTURBED OVER WILSON ENTHUSIASM

New York, Oct. 20.—Speaking of politics—and New York is putting in much time doing so these days—it may be said that talk today turned for the most part upon the reception which the President received "up state" yesterday, while on his way to Chicago. There is little question that the Democrats were able to derive very appreciable encouragement from the warmth and the size of these demonstrations, which occurred at a number of points, because the Democratic leaders have felt obliged to put in much time of late figuring how the President can be re-elected without the 45 votes of the Empire state.

The Republicans, on the other hand, affected to see little significance in these demonstrations on the part of a measurably excited and nervous populace. They were inclined to agree with Brother Perkins, who the day before had remarked that Ohio and most of the doubtful states always had a way of going Democratic a couple of weeks before election. They were disposed, too, to grow reminiscent and to recall some of the intimate party history, some of the all but sacred episodes in G.

### START NEXT WEEK ON CANVAS FOR LIBRARY MEMBERS

Committee Hopes to Add a Large Number of Subscribing Members During Campaign.

A special committee of the Library Association will begin work next week soliciting subscriptions for the public library in Washington.

This committee, which is composed of C. A. Flynn, C. G. Morris, J. G. Bragaw, Jr., and Dr. H. W. Carter, have divided the city into four parts and each member will canvas the residents of a certain part.

They will make an effort to get as many subscribing members as possible. All will be asked to subscribe for three years, with the privilege of cancelling their subscription at the end of the first or second year, if they so see fit. It is believed that when they get through with their work, the library will be established on a sound financial basis.

### ROOSEVELT IN TEXAS

(By United Press)

Amarillo, Tex., Oct. 20.—Colonel Roosevelt expects to have a few words to say to Secretary of War Baker apropos to the secretary's comparison of the American revolution with the American revolution. He will make some "spicy" comment in his New Mexico speeches on Monday and is planning to discuss the issues which "need Republican doctors to fix them up."

### COUNTY WELL ADVERTISED

Booklets and Photographs Sent on Special Exhibit Car of Atlantic Coast Line.

Carl Goerch today received a letter from G. A. Cardwell, agricultural and immigration agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, stating that the photographs of Beaufort county resources and other advertising literature had been shown and distributed at many fairs in the north and middle west, which were recently visited by the Coast Line exhibit car.

Mr. Cardwell expresses his belief that this advertising of the county will bring good results. The advertising matter was sent out by the Chamber of Commerce.

### COUNTY MAKES GOOD DISPLAY

Booth at the State Fair Shows Up Well. Believed It Will Be Among the Prize Winners.

Local visitors to the state fair who have returned home state that the Beaufort county booth presents a most creditable appearance. County Demonstrator J. F. Latham has taken special pains with the arrangement of the exhibit and it shows up in fine style. It is believed that the booth will be one of the prize winners. Today is the last day of the fair.

### ALLEGED MURDERER MAKES A VIGOROUS POLITICAL CAMPAIGN

(By United Press)

St. Joseph, Mo., Oct. 20.—Charged with the murder of his wife, County Prosecutor Oscar McDaniel is tonight carrying his case before the people before his trial begins. "I'll brave re-election for the office I now hold," he stated to an audience last night. "Unless I can depend upon the gray matter of your brains to base your opinions on facts, the name of a son of Crawford county may be dragged to the dust and humiliated."

FREE PRIZES GIVEN AWAY AT the auction sale at the Grist property, Wed. Oct. 25, 10:30 a. m. 10-18-tfe-fp.

### EVANGELIST DRAW LARGE CONGREGATION

MEETINGS AT THE METHODIST CHURCH ARE CONTINUING WITH GREAT SUCCESS.

#### MANY CARDS ARE SIGNED

Dr. Thacker's Method of Work Differs Radically With That Pursued by Other Evangelists. Is Meeting With Good Success So Far.

Dr. J. Ernest Thacker spoke last night at the Methodist church on "The Three Appearances of Christ." The text was taken from the 9th chapter of the Epistle to the Hebrews. A large congregation was present.

The three appearances of Christ, as told by Dr. Thacker, were his first appearance on the earth, when he came to save us from sin; his hidden appearance at the present time, while he is acting as mediator for us in heaven, and his second coming to the world on the judgment day, when he will receive and reward his followers. Tonight the evangelist will speak on "The Supreme Tragedy of the Twentieth Century." There will be no services tomorrow.

The musical part of the services is under the supervision of Mr. Jelks. He has organized an excellent choir, which is composed of a large number of members.

Dr. Thacker does not extend invitations in the usual manner of revivalists. Instead of urging all those who desire to join the church to come forward and take his hand, he distributes a number of cards throughout the congregations, which are filled out and returned. These cards tell whether the signer professes faith in Christ, whether he is a member of some other church in another city or whether he already is a member of the church here and will pledge himself to do more active work. A large number of these cards have been signed and returned.

### DEMOCRATS ARE PLEASED WITH CHICAGO VISIT

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### 50,000 POUNDS SOLD ON THE WAREHOUSES TODAY

After two days of rainy weather, the local tobacco market enjoyed a big break today, there being approximately 50,000 pounds on the floor. Prices are still continuing high and some excellent averages were made at today's sale. Vioffing tobacco men this morning stated that the general run of averages showed that the Washington market was paying higher than those in other sections of the state. It is claimed that the quality of the weed disposed of here is also of a considerably better grade than elsewhere.

### Jumps In Wilson's Car Carrying Long Knife And Several Chisels

(By United Press)

Pittsburgh, Oct. 20.—A man who gave his name as Richard Cullen, of Pittsburgh, and who is apparently 22 years of age, determinedly tried to jump upon the running board of President Wilson's auto here today. He carried a satchel, which contained a long bladed knife and several chisels. The clasp of the bag was unfastened, giving the appearance that the man intended using the implements. He was overpowered by the police and is now under arrest. Cullen stated that he was dissatisfied with President Wilson's foreign policy. He would not admit that he intended attacking the president.

### WILSON MEETS BRYAN

(By United Press)

Pittsburg, Pa., Oct. 20.—Stopping here on his return home, President Wilson was met by William Jennings Bryan as he alighted from the train. They shook hands for the first time in months and rode together in an automobile through the parks. The meeting was unexpected.

### FEDERAL COURT HERE

Ellsworth Thompson, Charged With Sending Obscene Matter Through Mails, Is Acquitted.

Federal court has been in session here for the last two days, Judge Connor presiding.

B. F. Owens, of Pitt county, pleaded guilty on the charge of distilling and was discharged upon payment of costs.

John Stancill, also of Pitt county, was tried by a jury on the same charge and was found not guilty.

Ellsworth Thompson, of near Belhaven, who was recently arrested in Raleigh on a habeas from this court, charged with sending obscene literature through the mails, was tried yesterday and was acquitted.

The case against Ralph and Floyd Perry, for distilling, was continued.

There is now a civil action in progress, in which Van Dorn Iron works are suing John G. Unkefer et al for \$5100 in connection with the building of the local postoffice.

It is expected that the session of court will conclude tomorrow noon.

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The occasion aroused considerable excitement. The crowds gathered about Cullen and the officers as the arrest was made and for a time it appeared as if the man would suffer violence at the hands of the mob. The officers took him safely away, however. President Wilson apparently paid little attention to the case, and continued on his way in the car, which stopped for only a brief moment.

### HENRY CHAPIN MAY LOSE USE OF HIS ARM

Was Seriously Injured in Football Practice. Is Now at Rocky Mount Sanitarium.

Henry Chapin, of Aurora, a member of the A. & M. football team, was seriously injured in a practice game a few days ago on the field at Raleigh and is now in the Rocky Mount Sanitarium with his left elbow crushed to such an extent that his physicians say he will never play ball again and in all probability will lose the use of his arm.

Chapin is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Chapin, of Aurora, and is well known throughout the county. His parents are very much upset over the accident.

### DIES WHILE SPEAKING

Gastonia, Oct. 20.—John Puett, Democratic candidate for the house of representatives from Gaston county, dropped dead about 7 o'clock last night while making a speech at Cherryville. In company with the other Democratic candidates for county offices he was making the rounds of the county. Yesterday afternoon they spoke at Lander's Chapel, near Cherryville, and Mr. Puett appeared in his usual health. He had made no complaint of feeling ill. The body will be taken to his home in Dallas, no funeral arrangements have been made.

Visitors from Fairfield.

Mr. and Mrs. James Watson, of Fairfield are in the city as the guests of Dr. and Mrs. H. W. Carter.

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