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LORD NORTHCLIFFE INSISTS THAT GERMANY HAS SIGNS ON SOUTH AMERICA

By LORD NORCLIFFE (Copyright by United Press) London, Dec. 9 .- As a personality Lloyd George is for many reasons interested in the United States.

He is one of the few British statesmen understanding the difficult and intangible physychology of American temperament. He is important to America for

another 'reason. David Lloyd George is now the

head of the five British nations engaged in war, and the winning of the war primarily devolves upon these nations.

If they and their allies are beaten It will undoubtedly be America's turn next, for Germany's plans in South America and Germany's hatred of the United States should be known to every American.

I believe Lloyd-George will win the war, bring about a settlement of the Irish question and maintain the essential factor of good will beween the British empire and the cople of the United States.

T NEW YORK, CHICAGO. TROIT GRAND JURY . WILL PROBE HIGH PRICES

Washington, Dec. 9 - Special investagation by grand jury into the high cost of living will be begun in Detroit, New York and Chicago by the middle of next week, with special assistant Attorney-General Anrson in charge, it is announced. The plan has the approval of Atorney-General Gregory and it is highly probable that grand juries will also be called at Cleveland, Kansas City and Minneapolis. The Government is said to be vitally interested in the cold storage phase of the situation.

Urges Control Of Food Supples

Washington, Dec. 9-Dr. Wiley irges Municipal and State control of all food supplies as a solution of the reduction of the high cost of

LOST BLACK BULL DOG, ears and tail not cut, black leather strap around neck whenlast seen in Elizabeth City Wednesday afternoon. One dollar reward for Recovery,-THE ADVANCE

Mr. W. P. Wood, who has been Main order in reported to be improving rapidh,

Mrs. M. P. Daniels, of Wancheso, has been in the city for sevwal days the guest of Mrs. I. G. Daniels.

Mrs. Lucy Cudworth, of Wanchese, is spending a few days in the

EVERYWOMAN'S MAGAZINE the new North Carolina Woman's copy at Melick's, 20 cents. Leave Mrs Herbert Peele, Advance office. First street.

NEWLANDS HEARINGS JOINT COMMITTEE TO SIDERACKED IT IS ANNOUNC

Washington, Dec. 9.-To give the adminstration a clear track tive for carrying out its railroad legislative program it was to-day decided to sidetrack the hearings of the Newlands Joint Committee which is investigating railroad and all public utilities questions. Senstor Newlands is expected to suggest to Congress Monday that the until after March 4th.

New York, Dec. 9.-Wholesale Commoidity prices have advanced forty per cent since the beginning of the war Dunn's declared today.

Fighting To-bay Near Chihuahua

El Paso, Dec. 9.-Fighting between the Villistas and Caranzistas was in progress early today near Fresno, only ten miles from Chihauhau City, During the night Murgla, Caranzista commander hurried reinforcements to the relief of General Ozunas. The cavalry which started in pursuit of the bandits after the evacuation of Chihauhau City has fallen into a Villista trap. occording to information received here by mining men.

JURYLIST

Jury list for Pasquotank County, Court, beginning January 1st, 1917. FIRST WEEK

N. P. Parker, R. F. Pritchard, J. A. Lowe, E. J. Swain, T. D. Jones, Edward Markham, Jr., S. T. Cooper, Elihu Harris, S. M. Brothers, Sr. L. W. Jackson, C. W. Morris, L. C. Par ker, J. R. Sawyer, H. G. Parks, Ephraim Brite, T. S. Owens, Jr., F. P. Morris, W. J. Grant, Granville Smith son, J. W. Overman, R. C. Sherlock, M. S. Cartwright, J. T. Davis (Salem), E. A. Williams.

SECOND WEEK. John A. White (Nixonton), Charles L. Sawyer (So. Ave.), W. E. Whitehurst, M. G. Sedgewick, A. B. Stowe, J. C. Combs, A. B. Seeley, M. C. Riggs, A. M. Mercer, Willie Jonnings (Mt. Hermon), W. A. Jack son, E. H. Ccoper, R. H. Commander, I. R. Richardson, Wilson Godfrey Wilson Temple, T. C. Perry, E. C. Bright, E. C. Bell, W. J. Copeland, John Stanley, J. T. Davis (E. City) C. F. Munden, M. P. Jennings.

was in the city Thursday.

Mrs. Roy B. Wrig't, of Oxford, is the guest of her mother. Mrs. Jerry Sawyer.

Miss Virginia Kramer who has been visiting Miss Ruth McMullan in Hertford, returned yesterday.

Mr. Don Campen, of Winfall was in the city Thursday.

Miss J. Etta Webb of Greenville, has been the guest of Mrs. A. K. Kramer for several days.

Mrs Sarah Bain returned Thursmagazine, fust out. Get your first day to her home in Norfolk, after spending several days here as the your year's subscription (\$\frac{\psi}{2}\$) with guest of Miss Mildred Fuller on cor bond necessary, adv. dec9 11 12

PASTOR BLACKWELL MEMORIA CHURCH EXPRESSES APPRE CIATION.

A special invitation is extended to the Methodist of the city to worship with Blackwell Memorial Baptist church on Sunday.

The pastor of this church issues this invitation and adds: "I want at this time to express to the Metho dists of the city face to face my own and the church's appreciation of the cordial co-operation of these friends in the entertainment of the report of his committee be deferred Baptist State Convention during the past week. This appreciation extends in no less degree to the other churches and denominations of the city, but I take this occasion when the Methodist pastors are away attending their conference to invite the Methodists to worship with us that I may express this very deep appreciation of their kindness and co-operation face to

At the morning service at eleven o'clock Mr. Loftin's subject will be: "The Joy of a Task Well Done".

At the evening service at seventhirty Mr. Loftin will preach from the subject "Three Unmistakable Christain Virtues"

WILL HOLD BAZAAR

The Parsonage and League of City Road church will hold a fancy bazaar in the Hinton Building on the 14th. 15th and 16th of this month. At this time they will offer for sale a number of fancy articles.

Ladies suits at prices to suit ev ery one. A special purchase now going at extremely low prices. It will pay you to hurry and see them. Mitchell's Department Store.

THIS WOULD SEEM WORTH INVESTIGATING

F. Lee Sheppy, 8th Floor,243 W. 17th stree, New York City, General Sales Manager of the largest concern of its kind in the world, wants three or four men in Pasquotank County and several men in adjoining Counties, to work for him spare time or all the time. He can use only those who have a rig or auto. Work is very pleasant and no previous selling experience is necessary. Work consists of leaving a wonderfu! new household necessity in the homes on free trial. Test at more than thirty or the leading Universities and the Government Burecu of Standards show this new article to be four times as efficent as the article now in general use in this section. Article is needed in every rural home and benefits every member of the household. bringing cheer, comfort and happiness into the home. Not necessary Miss Mary Mcrris, of Hertford, to be away from home nights. Pay from \$6.00 to 15.00 per day accord ing to ability and number of homes visited. In writing Mr. Sheppy mention what townships will be most convenient for you to work in what your regular occupation in: your age; married or single; how long you have lived in the community; what kind of rig or auto you have; whether you wish to work spare time or steady; how much time you will have to devote to you work; when you can start; and about how many homes are within six miles of you in each direction. This is a splendid opportunity for several men in Pasquotank County and counties adjoining to make good money, working steady or spare time only. No investment

PRESIDENT WAKE . FORREST WILL SPEAK AT SUNDAY MORNING SERVICE

Dr. W. L. Poteat, President of Wake Forest College, will speak at the Sunday morning service at eleven o'clock from the subject "The Piace of Religion in Life".

At the evening service at seventhirty Dr. B. C. Henning will speak on "Out of a Wilderness into

In the absence of the Methodist pastors who are attending Conference the congregations are and the public generally are most cordially invited to attend these ser-

REPRESENTATIVE EMERSON SEEKS TO LIMIT PRESENT UNRESTRICTED PRACTICES

Washington, Dec. 2.-Representative Emerso of Ohio introduced into the House to-day a bill providing for the prevention of the holding of perishable food products in cold storage warehouses for more than three months.

HATHAWAY PRESENTS VALUABLE COLLECTION . TO DEPARTMENT OF SCIENCE

The Science Department of the Elizabeth City High School has received from Dr. J. D. Hathaway a valuable collection of minerals, which show the geological conditions of this part of the state. Some of the specimens were taken from a depth of 1,000 or 1,200 feet. The collection contains different kinds of clay, rocks, sand, shells, and petrifed wood. To the student of Geology such objects tell a wonderful story about the changes through which Eastern North Carolina has passed in the course of a thousand

The specimens will be arranged according to their geological, age. and the whole collection will be known as the Hathaway Collection.

Delegation to Norfolk Cougress

Twenty five municipal delegates from Elizabeth City were appoint ed by Mayor P. G. Sawyer two months ago to the Southern Commercial Congress which opens in Norfolk on Monday of next week Among those who will leave Elizabeth City to attend the Congress are: E. F. Lemb. Dr. W. M. Harris. Dr. J. D. Hathaway, Messrs Louis Selfg, M. Owens, H. T. Greenleaf, J. C. Sawyer, J. T. McCabe, J. B. Ferebee, C. D. Gallop, S. H. Johnson and W. H. Weatherly.

REV. J L CUNNINGIM DELIVERS THE STRONGEST STEP IN SUB-ADDRESS ON THE WORK 'OF THE EPWORTH LEAGUE

Durham, N. C. December 9.-Rev J. L. Cunninggim, pastor of the First Methodist church of Elizabeth City, and former presiding elder of the Durham district, made the address at the anniversity of the Epworth League board at Memorial church Thursday evening.

C. B. Culbreth, chairman of the Epworth League board, presided over the Epworth League anniversity service.

"The Religious Developement of the Local Congregation" was the subject of Mr. Cunninggim's address. A subject which he said would be of interest to every one. If he spoke specificaly of the Epworth League then there would be some he realized who would turn away with lack of interest. Everyone must be interested in how the most can be made of the churches with which they are connected.

Mr. Cunninggim said that what he said of developement was with the background of emphasis on evangelism and winning souls to Jesus Christ.

But, he asserted, the church has been paying far too little attention to developement. He gave it as his belief that seventy-five per cent of the persons who have been brought into the church are doing nothing. It is a great deal easier to get persons to accept Christ, he said, than it is to get them to develope to do any work in the church. For going up and down the country he was disheartened at the pitiful inetti- Schedule For

"They are not growing, they are dying right under our eyes by the hundreds thousands," "There is nothing sadder than the dwarfed life The greatest joy of a parent is to watch the developement of a chi'd into a perfect life and no greater agony than for a parent to witness a dwarfed, undeveloped life." It is such a sight he added, that God is looking down on lives dwarfed and pitifully undeveloped. Developement comes in one way through education and "it is vastly more important", said Mr. Cunninggim to educate a child in religious life than it is in mathe-

matics. Mr. Cunninggim suggested the method that is being followed more and more in Public education, the method of self expression as the best way to bring about developement in local congregations and the way to save the persons who are drifting away from God's kingdom. This he recognized is a big problem, a difficult problem. This law of self expression applies to worship and activities.

And there is where the Epworth League comes in. The Sunday school has accomplished things in instruction, but it has been too largely passive. He express ed it as his belief that the Sunday school will have to be reorganized. It has become autocratic.

The Epworth League came into being to give the young people something to do. "Whatever you may say of the practibility of the Epworth League," said Mr. Cuneinggim, "the Epworth Idea has come star

"The church has gut totake hold if the problem of amusement or entertainment of young people," said Mr. Cunningim. "You've got to educate through normal activity and the normal activity of the child is play. You've got a great problem to decide how to develope and educate these play activities of the child."

Bargains which you don't find once in a season. Ladies suits, up to the minute at startling prices. Mitchell's Department Store, adv.

MARINE SITUATION PROBALY SHARP NOTE

Washington, Dec. 9.—"Nothing will happen", meaning nothing warlike, "in the submarine situation between the United States and Germany," is the statement made today by a prominent adminstration spokesman. The strongost step exsolected is a sharp note naking quice definition of the German pledges. It is believed too, that before taking any step toward a break with Germany the President would ask this country whether or not a break is wanted.

COMPLETE ROUT

THEIR LOSSES SINCE DECEM-BER 1st ESTIMATED AT OVER SEVENTY THOUSAND

Berlin, Dec 9.-The Rumanians are in complete retreat before the advancing Danube and right German army wings in Rumania it is officially asserted. Since December 1st the Rumanians have lost over 70,000 men to these two armies with 184 cannon and 120 machine guns.

School Games

Giants vs Lions Dec. 11. Lassiterville Stars vs Red Sox Dec. 11.

Red Stars vs Tigers Dec. 12th. Sliders vs American Eagles Dec.

Hustlers vs Lions Dec. 13th. Lassiterville Stars vs Young Giant

Red Stars vs Red Sox Dec. 14. American Eagles vs Lions Dec. 14 Sliders vs Lions Dec. 15, Giants vs Lassiterville Stars Dec.

Red Stars vs Young Giants Dec.

Champions vs Red Sox Dec. 18th. Tigers vs American Eagles Dec.

Red Sox vs Lions Dec. 19th. Hustlers vs Giants Dec. 2t0h. Lassiterville Stars vs American Eagles Dec. 20th

Red Stars vs Lions Dec. 21. Champions vs Young Glants Dec.

BASKET BALL (Girls)

Sophmore 1st Team vs Senior 2nd Team Dec. 11th.

Freshman 2nd Team vs Junior 1st Team Dec. 12th.

Sophmore 2nd Team vs Senior 1s Team Dec. 13th.

Freshman 1st Team vs Seniors 1st Team Dec. 14th.

Sophmore 1st Team vs Juniors 1st Team Dec. 15th. Freshman 2nd Team vs. Sentors

2nd Team Dec. 18th Sophmore 2nd Team vs. Juniors

and Team Dec. 19th. Freshman 1st Team vs Seniors 2nd Team Dec. 20th.

2nd Team Dec 21st. Freshman 2nd Team vs Seniors 1st Team Dec. 22nd.

Sophmores 1sq Team vs Juniors

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Tucker, of Hertford, spent last Sunday here the guest of Mrs. Tucker's mother Mrs. T. S. McMullan on MainSt.