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Independent Press Against Senate Tariff Bill

There are the views of independent papers on the Senate Tariff Bill: Kansas City Star: "The bill is a serious economic mistake, the immediate effect of which will be to increase the cost of living." Springfield (Mass.) Republican: "It is open to severe attack by those who believe that the price of commodities should not be raised." Chicago Daily News: "Even before the bill is passed the consumer is made to see one of the blessings of the new 'strictly American' tariff in the announcement by the head of the Woolen Trust that cloth will cost from ten to forty-five cents more at wholesale."

Lay-Greene

Chapel Hill, April 29.—The engagement of Miss Elizabeth Atkinson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. George W. Lay, formerly of Raleigh, and Miss Mary N. C. Greene, of Lillington, was announced this afternoon at a party at Chapel Hill. The marriage will take place in the summer.

Miss Lay is at present field agent of the Bureau of Community Drama of the University Extension Division and a leading play writer in the Carolina Playmakers. She obtains her M. A. this year at the University and is at St. Mary's, Raleigh graduate. "When Witches Ride," by Miss Lay, is to be published in the first volume of the Playmakers by Henry Holt & Company.

Mr. Greene is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Archibald Greene, of Lillington, a graduate of Bala's Creek Academy, an overseas veteran in the World War and recently a winner of the Keenan fellowship for 1922-23 in philosophy. He likewise is a playwright of ability and has produced a number of exceptional ones. One of these, "The Last of the Lancers," is to be published in the same volume of the Playmakers with Miss Lay's. On several plays, the two have collaborated.

Miss Lay is well-known in Kinston, having visited here on several occasions. She appeared here in the cast of the Carolina Playmakers a year ago, when the troupe played at the Grand Theater. George B. Lay of this city is a brother of the bride-to-be. Dr. and Mrs. Lay have been here frequently and are well-known all over the state, and the engagement will come as a surprise to the many friends of the family here.

GROUP COMMENCEMENT AT MINGO ACADEMY

Following the music recital on Thursday night, commencement exercises for the Mingo group will be held Friday at 2 p. m. On Friday night the play, "A Family Affair" will be given at 8:15 o'clock. The public is cordially invited to attend these exercises.

The Mingo school has had a successful year. Norwood Pope, a Dunn boy, a son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Pope, has served as principal.

DELICATE OPERATION PERFORMED ON CHILD

Charlotte, May 1.—By inserting a rubber tube through the throat and bronchial tube and then thrusting small forceps through the tube, a lung was removed from the left lung of a child at Charlotte sanatorium by Dr. C. H. Peeler, of this city, it was announced tonight by hospital authorities.

Surgeons here say this is among the few, if not the first, operations of this kind ever performed in the South. The patient, the three-year-old child of Mrs. B. L. Hyder, of Waverlyville, was reported tonight as doing well.

ACT NOT INVALID

Dr. Brooks Issues Statement To Allay Fears of School Superintendents. To set at rest fears of county school authorities over the State, Dr. E. C. Brooks, Superintendent of Schools has issued a statement declaring that the recent decision of the Supreme Court affecting the consolidation of school districts does not invalidate the Act as found in Chapter 179, Section 1 of the Laws of 1921.

"County Boards of Education," he says, "have the authority to consolidate non-legal tax districts with special tax and local tax districts having different rates."

Dr. Brooks is now preparing a letter to be sent to all the county school superintendents in the State explaining in detail the effect of the recent Supreme Court opinion and pointing out the procedure to follow in consolidations under that opinion.

"The defect," he says referring to the point on which the Supreme Court this week invalidated two elections for special tax under consolidation, "is found in the machinery providing for the election. The decision of the Supreme Court simply invalidates the election in the two districts passed upon by the court. The validity of each election must be determined by the facts affecting the election. Districts consolidated by County Boards of Education under the law are valid consolidations, but the election for levying a tax may be illegal. However, the General Assembly may, at its next session, validate such elections, provided the rates are uniform over the district, and provided they are made to harmonize with existing election laws."

FORD WOULD CUT FERTILIZER COST

His Engineer Promises By "Secret Process" To Sell At Half Present Price

Washington, May 1.—Manufacture of commercial fertilizers by a secret process and their delivery to consumers at one half the existing market prices was held out to the senate agriculture committee today by W. B. Mayo, chief engineer for Henry Ford, as a possible factor in the development of the government's properties at Muscle Shoals, Alabama, under the offer for their purchase and lease by the Detroit manufacturer.

Chairman Norris of the committee, by direct questioning caused Mr. Mayo to reveal Mr. Ford's plans to use a "secret process" in the making of fertilizers at Muscle Shoals. The chairman and witness had been discussing the ability of the bidder to compete in the open market with commercial producers of fertilizers when Mr. Mayo declared his belief that Mr. Ford would be able to manufacture that commodity at one-half the present cost price.

Mr. Mayo said there was a "secret process" but declined to give the committee any additional information.

The witness advised the committee that it was Mr. Ford's intention to devote every effort to fertilizer production at Muscle Shoals and to extend the power production beyond Muscle Shoals property well into the upper Tennessee river. None of the power, Mr. Mayo declared, would be sold to private interests, but would be consumed by the industrial enterprises to be established on the Tennessee. About \$50,000,000 would be expended in the creation of new industries and power facilities in the vicinity of Muscle Shoals, Mr. Mayo said.

Because of the large investment Mr. Ford would make, the witness explained, he had declined to modify the proposal for purchase and lease of the projects so as to reduce the 100 year term to 50 years.

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DISTRICT MEETING OF THE U. D. C. CONVENES IN DUNN NEXT THURSDAY

Much interest is being manifested in the district meeting of the U. D. C. which will take place in Dunn next Thursday. Mrs. McD. Holliday, president of Chicora Chapter, is expecting a large attendance and is making arrangements to entertain the visitors in a most pleasant manner. Mrs. T. W. Wilson, State President of the U. D. C., will be present and deliver an address. Miss Cornelia McMillian, district director, is also on the program for a speech.

The meeting will be held in the fraternal hall and will meet at 10 o'clock Thursday morning. A musical program has been arranged and many short talks will be made.

A complete program follows: Song—"America" Audience Invocation Rev. E. N. Johnson Address of Welcome: Mr. J. L. Wade, Mayor of Dunn, Mrs. McD. Holliday, President of Chicora Chapter, U. D. C. Response: Mrs. L. T. Townsend, Lumberton, N. C. Vocal Solo—Mrs. Herbert McKay.

Greetings: Woman's Club—Mrs. Lewis Stephens, Chamber of Commerce—Mr. Ellis Goldstein, D. A. R.—Mrs. Farquhar Smith. Piano Duet—Mesdames Lloyd Wade and Robert Godwin. Introduction of Mrs. T. W. Wilson; Mrs. N. A. Townsend. Address: Mrs. T. W. Wilson, State President U. D. C. Roll Call of Chapters: Adjourn. Luncheon. Quartette—Mesdames Heibret McKay, Joe Swain, W. S. Snipes, Jno. Hodges. Introduction of Miss Cornelia McMillian, (District Director, U. D. C.): By Mrs. McD. Holliday. Directors Report. Chapters Report. Election of Officers. Lee Memorial—Mrs. J. H. Anderson, Fayetteville, N. C. New Business. Adjourn.

Meeting Postponed Secretary of music department.

The music department of the Woman's club will not meet next Friday May 5, which is the regular time. The meeting has been postponed, the time and place to be announced later. MARY MEDGARIS SNIPES, Secretary of music department.

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where pain and sorrow never come. She had been confined to the bed for the last six months. She stayed in the hospital eleven weeks and after finding out there was no cure for her she was brought home where she lived one month. She was born April 25, 1875. It was sad to think that the cord of life was clipped from one that was loved so dearly. However, she was called home as her earthly work was complete. All was done for her that could be done by physicians, relatives and friends, but God knew best and transplanted her from earth to bloom in Heaven. She was a faithful member of Robert's Grove Free Will Baptist church a number of years and with the passing of this our dear mother the church, the family, her neighbors and friends can say they have lost a friend indeed. She leaves to mourn her death a husband and seven children: Mrs. Warren Jackson, Mrs. Alphonso McLamb, Grover, Leona, Lillian, Alton and little M. F. Jackson. The burial services were conducted at the church by Elder Davis of Dunn, and the remains were laid to rest in the Robert's Grove Cemetery. The floral offerings were beautiful. her in heaven. May God help us to live the life LEONA.

Death of Mrs. M. F. Jackson On April the 5, the death angel visited the home of Mr. M. F. Jackson and bore the spirit of his wife, Lula, to a brighter home, where peace and pleasure reign supreme, and

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