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## METHODISTS FORM LEAGUE OF PRAYER

Campaign Now On is Enrolling  
Hundreds of Thousands All  
Over the South and West.  
Many More Expected.

Nashville, Tenn., Feb. 22—  
The week closing with February  
22 marked the enrollment of  
hundreds of thousands of mem-  
bers of the Methodist Episcopal  
Church, South, in a great league  
of prayer, known as the Fellow-  
ship of Intercession. When this  
campaign closes and all signed  
blanks have been counted it is  
hoped by the leaders of the  
movement that 2,000,000 mem-  
bers will have enrolled. At the  
headquarters of the denomina-  
tion in Nashville the secretary  
of Department of Intercession,  
Rev. S. A. Neblett, has been re-  
ceiving daily reports from con-  
ference directors, field represen-  
tatives and pastors. Dr. Neblett  
stated today that Methodists were  
responding to the call of their  
church in a tremendously ir-  
rushing manner, but that thou-  
sands would yet have to enroll  
in order to bring the campaign  
for intercessors to the number ex-  
pected by the church.

The call to prayer of a great  
denomination is the Centenary  
summons of the Church. The  
year 1919 is being celebrated  
through the Methodist Church  
as the one hundredth anniver-  
sary of the church's mission-  
ary work, and the prayer move-  
ment is considered the very  
foundation of the revived  
church, which the leaders of the  
movement hope will be the out-  
come of the Centenary. They  
declare if the world is to be re-  
constructed upon a Christian  
basis the church faces a stag-  
gering task and one which can-  
not be accomplished without the  
binding together of a united  
people in earnest prayer. The  
reason for putting on a cam-  
paign and asking the church

## Attend Big Cotton Meeting At Greenville, Mar. 5, at 11 A. M.

members to sign blanks promis-  
ing to pray in order to make  
the movement definite. It is  
believed that when men and  
women sign these blanks they  
at once assume a responsibility  
which will revivify their own  
lives and make them dynamic  
forces in the great world reor-  
ganization.

## INCOME TAX IS NOW DUE

Returns Must Be Filed on Or  
Before March 15. Bill Pro-  
vides Heavy Penalties

Washington, D. C.—Work on  
the collection of \$6,000,000,000  
has been begun by the Bureau  
of Internal Revenue. This  
is the estimated yield of the  
new revenue bill. The income  
tax provisions of the act reach  
the pocket-book of every single  
person in the United States  
whose net income for 1918 was  
\$1,000, or more, and of every  
married person whose net in-  
come was \$2,000 or more. Per-  
sons whose net income equalled  
or exceeded these amounts ac-  
cording to their material status,  
must file a return of income  
with the collector of internal  
revenue for the district in which  
they live on or before March 15.

Here is what will happen to  
them if they don't; for failure to  
file a return on time, a fine of  
not more than \$1,000 and an ad-  
ditional assessment of 25 per  
cent of the amount of tax due.  
For "willfully refusing" to  
make a return on time, a fine  
not exceeding \$10,000, or not

**No Worms in a Healthy Child**  
All children troubled with worms have an un-  
healthy color, which indicates poor blood, and as a  
rule, there is more or less stomach disturbance.  
GROVE'S TASTELESS CHILD TONIC gives regularly  
for two or three weeks will cleanse the blood, im-  
prove the digestion, and act as a General Strength-  
ening Tonic to the whole system. Nature will then  
throw off or digest the worms, and the child will be  
in perfect health. Pleasant to take. We pay bottle.

exceeding one year's imprison-  
ment, or both.

For making a false or fraudu-  
lent return, a fine of not more  
than \$10,000, or imprisonment  
for not more than one year, or  
both, together with an additional  
assessment of 50 per cent of the  
amount of tax evaded.

For failure to pay the tax on  
time, a fine of not more than  
\$1,000 and an additional assess-  
ment of 5 per cent of the amount  
of tax unpaid, plus 1 per cent in-  
terest for each full month during  
which it remains unpaid.

In addition to the \$1,000 and  
\$2,000 personal exemptions, tax-  
payers are allowed an exemp-  
tion of \$200 for each person  
dependent upon them for chief  
support if such person is under  
eighteen years and incapable  
of self support. Under the 1917  
act, this exemption was allowed  
only for each dependent "child".  
The head of a family—one who  
supports one or more persons  
closely connected with him by  
blood relationship, relationship  
by marriage, or by adoption—is

entitled to all exemptions allow-  
ed a married person.

The normal rate of tax under  
the new act is 6 per cent of the  
first \$2,000 of net income above  
the exemptions, and 12 per cent  
of the net income in excess of  
\$2,000. Income in excess of  
\$5,000 are subject also to a sur-  
tax ranging from 1 per cent of  
the amount of the net income  
between \$5,000 and \$6,000 to 65  
per cent of the net income above  
\$6,000.

Payment of the tax may be  
made in full at the time of filing  
return or in four installments, on  
or before March 15, on or before  
June 15, on or before September  
15, and on or before December  
15.

Revenue officers will visit  
every county in the United  
States to aid taxpayers in mak-  
ing out their returns. The date  
of their arrival and the location  
of the offices may be ascertain-  
ed by inquiring at offices of col-  
lectors of internal revenue, post-  
offices and banks. Failure to  
obey these officers, however, does

not relieve the taxpayer of his  
obligation to file his return and  
pay his tax within the time speci-  
fied by law. In this case tax-  
payers must seek the Govern-  
ment, not the Government the  
taxpayers.

## GETTING MORE FUNDS FOR COTTON ASSO.

Total of \$3,344.60 Secured in  
Contributions to Further Ob-  
jects of Organization

The North Carolina Cotton  
Association, organized to reduce  
the cotton crop, bolster the price  
of the staple and encourage the  
production of food stuffs in  
North Carolina has now secured  
\$3,344.60 in contributions to for-  
ward the purposes of the organ-  
ization.

Contributions received since  
the previous recognition of the  
amount of \$2,600 follows:

- W. S. Page, \$5; W. T. Por-  
ter & Co., Emerson, N. C., \$25;  
Alfred Plummer, Middleburg,  
\$5; Clarence Poe, Raleigh, \$25;  
Icena Pool, Clayton, \$25; A. T.  
Griffin, Goldsboro, \$12; F. M.  
Fecce, Trenton, \$1; Bragaw  
Fert. Co., Washington, \$10; W.  
D. Rountree Co., Norfolk, \$10;  
Hoke Oil & Fert. Co., Raeford,  
\$15; W. T. Crump, Wagram,  
\$10; Atlantic Chemical Corpora-  
tion, Norfolk, \$50; John T.  
Thorne, Farmville, \$50; Virginia  
Car. Chemical Co., Richmond,  
\$200; W. S. Harris Co., Wilson,  
\$10; Raleigh Cotton Mills, Raleigh  
\$25; W. F. Taylor, Hookerton,  
\$5; Elland Hosiery Mills, Elland,  
\$5; J. Ezum & Co., Snow Hill,  
\$10; Winborne & Co., Norfolk,  
\$10; Bank of Roper, Roper, \$10;

## DENOUNCES CASHING IN WAR S. S.

Practice Will Defeat Purpose of  
Government to Raise War  
Debt Without Levying Taxes.  
Advises Holding on to Stamps

The Government is denounc-  
ing the practice of cashing in  
War Savings Stamps when there  
is not the utmost need. It is  
to continue, says the official  
bulletin of the government, it  
will not only make poor people  
poorer but will defeat the pur-  
pose of the government in its  
efforts to raise the war debt of  
the nation without further tax-  
ing the people.

Unfortunate for North Caro-  
lina many of her citizens have  
been reported as cashing in their  
stamps when, according to their  
word, they did not need the  
money for the necessities of life.  
One North Carolina postmaster  
writes: "Men who are able to  
hold them come and demand a  
redemption of their stamps, four  
and five hundred dollars worth  
at a time. One man who pledg-  
ed twenty stamps bought ten  
dollars worth a few days ago  
and immediately redeemed the

As soon as I paid him so then  
bought ten dollars worth of  
stamps more and immediately  
demanded his pledge card claim-  
ing that he had redeemed his  
pledge."

The Government is advising  
the owner of stamps to hold on  
to their securities to the date of  
their maturity. It urges that  
they save and economize to meet  
the needs of the day in order  
that their stamps may draw their  
full rate of interest and that the  
Government may use this money  
in meeting the heavy debts in-  
curred by the war.

Old Buck Guano Co., Inc., Rich-  
mond, \$100; J. R. Harvey & Co.,  
Grifton, \$25; Turnage Bros.,  
Ayden, \$50; Ashley Horne &  
Son, Clayton, \$25.

## RAILWAY OFFICIAL WARNS FARMERS TO ORDER FERTILIZERS AT ONCE

Regional Director Winchell Finds Situation in Becoming Pro-  
gressive and Urges Farmers Not to Delay Till Last Moment.

The following statement has been issued to the press by the United  
States Regional Director of Railways, about the fertilizer movement:

"Please let me say a word to our farmer patrons.  
The normal yearly movement of fertilizers in this region runs from  
three million to five million tons. This means, in round figures, 100,000  
railroads to be handled.

"Ordinarily most of this very large tonnage is thrown on the  
railroads in the months of January, February and March. Great activity  
on their part is necessary to handle the same well.

"By February 15 at least 40 per cent of the whole fertilizer tonnage  
has usually been shipped, but this year less than 15 per cent has moved  
so far, that is to say, the movement up to date is about 50,000 cars short  
of what it should have been.

"It is easy for you to see what I fear.

"A flood of business at the last moment cannot be moved to the  
satisfaction of our patrons and complaints will surely follow. We are  
anxious to avoid complaints, but it is obvious that we cannot move all  
of this tonnage at one time. In order to do the job right it is neces-  
sary that it be well distributed throughout the whole three months.

"During the past four or five weeks our conditions and weather have  
been favorable, but the fertilizers have not moved freely and immediate  
activity is now necessary to avoid a condition which will be serious alike  
to the farmers and the railroads."

# WEDNESDAY, MARCH 5, 11:00 A. M.

Attend "Cotton Meeting" in Court House in Greenville to Organize  
Pitt County for Reduction in Acreage.

## THIS IS A VERY IMPORTANT MEETING

And All Farmers, Bankers, Business and Professional Men Are Re-  
quested to Attend. Arrange to Be There.

## HOLD Your Cotton and REDUCE Your Acreage.

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