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# WILL WINKFIELD TELLS METAL TARIFF IS INTEREST WILSON WITHIN THE YEEK OF LETTER THEFT AGAIN UNDER FIRE

Will be Elected in Every State.

Only With Democrats-Does

Not Wish to Appoint Gardner

To Cabinet

Minds to Take up Arms a Second Time

Obtained Archbold Correspondence

Progressive Demo- Allies Have Made up Their Relates How He and Stump Steel Manufacturers Ask for Retention of Present Schedule.

## DENIES MANY WILD RUMORS OUTLOOK FOR TURKEY GLOOMY PURCHASED BY N. Y. AMERICAN WALTHAM WATCH CO. PROBED

Trenton, N. J., January 14.-"I London, Jan. 14.-Unless unforehope progressive Democrats will be seen events should change the current Winkfield, of Chicago, formerly emelected in every State," said Presi- of affairs, the Turkish-Balkan war in ployed by the Standard Oil Company dent-elect Wilson today in referring the near East will be resumed within as a messenger, today told the Senate to contests incident to the election of a week, and Europe will witness the Campaign Fund Investigating Commit United States Senators in Maine, New horrors of a Winter campaign.

Hampshire, Illinois, South Dakota and | The allies have firmly made up their minds to take up arms a second time. D. Archbold, of the Standard Oil Com-The Governor took emphatic excep- The Turks last week were threatening tion to editorials and published re- to leave London and let matters take pany, two letters and disposed of them ports purporting to describe his at whatever course they might. Now the for \$1,000 each. itude as preferring the selection of Balkan delegates are convinced the a progressive Republican, in cases Turks are merely drifting without a telegram for \$1,060 and lending two where the other alternative would be fixed policy, and they have decided to copy books of letters, for which \$500 the choice of a "stand pat" Democrat. end the seemingly fruitless debates was paid. Of the amounts received, The only thing I am interested in and wire pulling and begin the battle Winkfield said he received one-third. in any State," he said, "Is the elec- anew where they left off more than a

tion of the Democrat." in connection with the Maine sit-! nation, Mr. Wilson was informed of convene the grand council today and signatures atached. He said the letreports that farmers who had been apparently has no intention of meeting ter's were taken in the Fall of 1904 and arging progressive Republican legis- the allies' ultimatum concerning Adri- published in the New York American. lators to vote for the re-election of anople. The allies do not believe in Winkfield testified that in 1904 he Senator Obadiah Gardner, Democrat, the efficacy of the note which the pow- was employed by the Standard Ofl were being told that Mr. Wilson wish- ers will present at Constantinople be- Company in New York as a messenger ed to appoint Senator Gardner secre cause it is couched in too mild terms and Stump, he said, was employed as tary of agriculture. There is no foundation for these to the fate of war and abandon Ad-the reports," said the President-elect, "So rianople for fear of complications in New York American regarding certain far as I have interested myself it has other parts of the empire at a time telegrams sent to some one in Washbeen Obadiah Gardner for Senator." | when Turkey could not find moral or ington, he spoke to Stump and another

The President-elect was told that financial support in Europe. The office boy named Frank Morrill, emhis speech yesterday, in which he said Turkish government knows that this ployed in Mr. Archbold's office. he would not be acting as a partisan means nothing, because it is aware if he picked "progressives and only that the powers will be unable to agree and he said be would let us see it," progressives," had caused the inquiry on any coercive measures. Thus the said Winkfield. "A couple of days lat. tee on Ways and Means today, several as to whether he meant the progres- presentation by the powers of the er he showed it to us. I made a copy steel manufacturing interests contendsive wing of the Democratic party or note, it is pointed out, might mean of it and put it in the hands of Stump ing for retention of the present duties included in his statement progressive simply the opening of a new chapter and he disposed of it. It came out in in the schedule. Republicans as well as progressive in the already wearisome diplomatic the paper on a holiday.'

he said, "I was just thinking in tendencies and the state of mind of the and the powers.

committeeman from Delaware, took act. uncheon with the Governor.

Tomorrow Senator Gardner,

the result of the caucus today of the

Tied Up In Maine Augusta, Maine, January 14.-Un-

egislature heightened interest in the Turkey will be ready to cede Adrian-Inited States Senatorial election to- ople, just as after the Italians landed day. The Republicans have five ma- in Tripoli she offered to make concesjority in the Senate and only two votes sions which previously she had streno spare over the necessary 76 in the wously refused, and as after the victo-

leigh and Senator Obadiah Gardner, asked for 34 years. Republican and Democratic canpreferential primary last June.

resulted in no choice. Burleigh and indemnity of \$200,000,000 or more. lardner each received 72 votes.

Three Republican members of the

are fourth-class postmasters in their are matters of doubt. respective towns, telegraphed their esignations as postmasters to Washngton tonight. Their right as Fed-William H. Farrar, of Ripley, was de- Thursday. clared unseated by a vote of 67 to 71. Democrats In Colorado

Denver, Col., January 14,-Former ernor John Shafroth, were elected inited States Senators from Colorado oday, the Senate and House voting in Congress: separately. Twelve Republicans in prior to the November election. The election will be ratified at joint Archbold letters were obtained. session tomorrow.

Borah Elected In Ohio (Continued on Page Eight.) Terms Will be Different-Note of the Powers is Considered Too Mild.

month ago.

The Balkan kingdoms, moreover, are tached to it. He added that there was "nothing anxious to obtain relief from the heavy novel" in the position he took, "as he burdens of keeping their armies on a lows: had throughout the campaign cham- war footing indefinitely. Wishing, "I had nothing more to do with this pioned progressive policies and ac- however, to observe all the diplomatic until about four months later. I went The Governor was busy today with a reasonable time to agree on the found Stump there at Mr. Archbold's callers, mostly members of the Legis- note, frame it and present it to Tur- desk. He told me that the paper told lature, which convened today. Wil- key. But this once done, if Turkey him to get everything he could get his

call another sitting of the conference that he was going further than I knew administration might take. He said of the inaugural address of the new Maine, has an appointment with Mr. through Sir Edward Grey or Rechad anything about. He said: 'You keep Wilson, but the latter said it had noth- Pasha, who according to the rotation quiet and we'll fix you up.' He was ing to do with the Senatorial contest followed, would be the next presiding doing business with his brother-in-law officer. They will then simply anothen. He got the letters and I saw Senator-elect Ollie James, of Ken- nounce their decision definitely to the two he got and read them."

tucky, and Senator Stone, of Missouri, break negotiations and also thank "Do you know the date of the let- tal would remain and the companies also have been invited to come to- England for the hospitality extended ters; whom they were addressed to, or would reduce labor to the point of and the conditions of fair play under the signatures?" interrupted Senator The Governor was delighted with which the discussions took place. Immediately afterwards, Sofia, Bel- "No, I do not remember the date,

Democrats of the Legislature, who by grade and Cettinje will denounce the nor do I remember the signature ata vote of 42 to 5, elected Edward E. armistice and the Servian, Bulgarian tached. It may have been Quay or testified that the labor cost of pro-Grosscup, Democratic State chairman, and Motenegrin commanders will no some one else. They were letters reas State treasurer. The Governor had tify the Turkish headquarters that hose ceived by Mr. Archbold.' openly declared himself for Mr. Gross- tilities will be resumed within 96

the course of events. After they have said, a copy book was taken and was ertainty as to the Progressives in the stormed Tchatalja, they prophesy, returned by Stump the following ries of the Balkan States she consent-Former Congressman Edwin C. Bur- ed to grant reforms they had vainly

After their second resort to arms didates, respectively, were selected at the Balkan delegates assert their peace the matter of disposing of the letters. terms will be different from those Tur- etc., to Stump. The Republicans have seven more key is now rejecting. They declare han the necessary 12 on joint ballot that Bulgaria will not be satisfied with share?" asked Senator Clapp. members with progressive tenden- a frontier line from Rodesto to Midia. but will draw it just before the gate of The first ballot in the House today Constantinople and they suggest a war

The diplomats consider the outlook The Senate vote was on strict par- for Turkey as of the gloomiest chariv lines, 21 for Burleigh and 10 for acter. Kiamil Pasha's resignation as grand vizier may be the next develop- revoke President Taft's recent order the Clapp committee investigating inaugural ball, in the auditorium from officers, but the Senate was too busy Nathan B. Scott, of West Virginia, be-At noon Wednesday both Houses ment. That would be likely to be fol- placing fourth class postmasters un- campaign funds how the "Standard Oil 10 to 1 o'clock. lowed by anarchy. The country al- der the classified civil service and to letters" were obtained. ready is hard pressed for money and remove from classification assistant The postoffice appropriation bill, Maine House of Representatives who the condition and spirit of the army postmasters and clerks in first and without the amendment revoking Pres- 10:30 with prayer by Rev. H. M. officers and employes were received, part of his time to the trust company.

Present Note Thursday. Constantinople, Jan. 14.—Presentaeral officeholders to seats in the House has been delayed, the German governbefore balloting began at noon necessitating the re-submission of the ardner, Democrat. One of them, note will not be presented before

CONGRESS IN BRIEF.

Proceedings in House and Senate Told defeated on a roll call vote, 141 to 106. / Unless unfo in Paragraphs.

Senatethe House and three in the Senate Voted for the Democratic candidates bill for protection of migratory birds. In compliance of the Democratic candidates bill for protection of migratory birds. In compliance of the Democratic candidates bill for protection of migratory birds. In compliance of the Democratic candidates bill for protection of migratory birds. In compliance of the Democratic candidates bill for protection of migratory birds. In compliance of the Democratic candidates bill for protection of migratory birds. In compliance of the Democratic candidates bill for protection of migratory birds. ompliance with the pledges taken W. W. Winkfield told Campaign reported found dead at his boarding New York markets: Money on call Rowan. Funds Investigating Committee how house at Second and Market streets, at steady, 2 3-4 to 3 per cent; ruling rate Indian Affairs Committee approved that he died from natural causes, but Spot cotton closed quiet. Flour quiet. hands of trustees and mortgagees in church. a resolution authorizing Department Dr. Joseph Akerman, the coroner, was Wheat steady; No. 2 red 1.08 and 1.09. certain cases.

Crow Indians in Montana.

President-elect Says He Is Concerned Balkan Delegates Assert Next Peace Former Employe of Standard Oil Co., Official of Company Testifies They Try Appears Before Campaign Fund Investigating Committee. His Memory Bad.

> Washington, Jan. 14.-William M. of of of the forther of the forthe tee how he and another employe named Stump took from the desk of John

He also told of seiling a copy of a Winkfield could not recall the contents of the two letters or telegrams, The Ottoman government failed to to whom they were addressed, or the

"Morrill said he knew of a telegram

parleyings and the shifting of the dis- Winkfield said that he did not re-I wasn't thinking in specifications," cussion from a debate between the member what the telegram said and of the Sharon Steel Hoop Company, belligerents, to one between Turkey did not remember to whom it was addressed or whose signature was at of the law to avoid importers taking

He then testified substantially as fol-

courtesies, they have given the powers back to the office for my keys and by approximately 10 per cent. Repreard Saulsbury, Democratic National fails to yield, they are determined to hands on. Stump was at Mr. Archbold's desk and had possession of some Their governments have agreed to of Mr. Archbold's letters. I told him less of what action the Democratic morrow, save and except the hearing

These two letters were the only

The allies say it is easy to predict Winkfield. Two days later, Winkfield greater than in the Bessemer or open morning. 'We were asked if we could secure

copies of letters that had passed to and from Washington and had been told that we would be paid," continued Winkfield.

"Who told you this?" asked Senator Winkfield replied that he had left "What did you receive as your

"I received less than \$2,500." TAFT'S ORDER NOT REVOKED.

Amendment to Postoffice Bill Turned Down in the House.

bill, failed in the House today. The passed the House yesterday. tion of the powers' note to the Porte bill, carrying \$278,489,781, was passed. The amendment offered by Repre- en route to Toronto, Canada, yester- and Cotton, of Pitt. was attacked by Democratic members ment having made certain comments, sentative Cullop, of Indiana, provided day by Federal authorities, who claimfor the revocation of the executive or- ed he was violating the terms of his for the election of a United States note-to the ambassadorial conference der of October 15th, 1912, by which bond in leaving this country. Senator to succeed Senator Obadiah at London. It is now thought that the President Taft exempted some 30,000 The House Ways and Means Com- county. fourth class postmasters from the "po- mittee took up the hearings on the litical job" class, and of the order Sep- metal schedule again yesterday and of towns and other municipalities in those of 1911, and a long discussion tember 30, 1910, which classified as heard manufacturing interests who this State. Requires municipal au ensued. sistant postmasters and postal clerks asked that the present duties be re- thorities, upon a call of 20 per cent of After the joint session with the Bank President Arrested in Asheville in first and second class offices, was tained. The Republicans voted practically sol- change the current of affairs the Turk- ernment as set forth in the bill, which cussion ensued. Washington, January 14.—The day id against the amendment and they ish-Balkan war will be resumed with- is a modified form of the New Jersey | The committee report as amended from Asheville, N. C., to face charges were joined by many Democrats.

scene.

To Compel Wholesalers to Sell At a Certain Price to Retailers

ALUMINUM TRUST

Washington, January 14 .--The existence of an international agreement of the aluminum industry was revealed at 'today's session of the House Committee on Ways and

President Arthur Davis, of the Aluminum Company of America, admitted that his company, the only aluminum manufactory in the United States, owned the Canadian Aluminum Company, which in turn had perfect agreements with all of the six or seven foreign aluminum companies. This agreement, he said, covers all the world except the United States, which he admitted to Representative Rainey. of Illinois, was excepted because there is a law prohibit-

Washington, January 14.-The metal schedule of the tariff law was again under fire before the House Commit

S P. Ker, of Sharon, Pa., president advocated changes in the phraseology advantage of its terms. Mr. Ker told of plans now under way by the United States Steel Corporation to advance several important bills and measures Gaston, stated that while he intended his \$30,000 Federal bond.

were introduced, both houses of the to vote for the resolution, he did not Johnson was indicted. wages of its common laborers and artisans and mechanics on February 1st. sentative Fordney, of Michigan, esti- await with expectancy the elaborate are afflicting the people. The resolumated that this would mean an ad-

vance of \$17,500,000. Mr. Ker expressed optimism of the future of the steel industry, regardthe steel manufacturing industry was chief executive who arrived this evenpractically limitless in this possibility and he urged protection against invasion from abroad. He added that if the industry was disturbed, the capimeeting with the competition.

R. E. Jennings, representing the Carpenter Steel Company of Pennsylvania, urging the present tariff law, duction in the crucible steel industry was about 40 to 50 per cent of the total cost, which he said, in response to things taken that day, according to Chairman Underwood, was much hearth steel business.

E. P. Reichelm, of New York, want-(Continued on Page Two..

#### OUTLINES

Governor-elect Locke Craig will be ina at Raleigh today.

noped progressives would win in every

tral bank" declared a prominent bank- noon. Committee vesterday.

Washington, Jan. 14.—An attempt to of the Standard Oil Co., yesterday told ing follow with the final event, the session to canvass the vote for State of one million dollars, former Senator

second class postoffices by an amend- ident Taft's order placing fourth class North. Privileges of the floor were Jack Johnson was taken off a train

2 o'clock this morning. It is thought and closing bid 2 3-4; offered at 3. Boise, Idaho, January 14.—On the of Justice to investigate affairs of notified and is expected to visit the Corn quiet, 57 1-2. Turpentine quiet. Rosin easy.

North Carolina's New Governor.

HON. LOCKE CRAIG

## CAROLINA LEGISLATURE READY FOR CEREMONIES

Both Houses Held Only Brief Sessions Yesterday-Prominent Visitors and Preparations for Inauguration of Governor at Raleigh Today-

Local Bills.

(By Wm. J. Martin.) sessions today, during which, however, North Carolina General Assembly now | believe it would remedy the evils that ceremonies of the inaugural of Governor-elect Locke Craig tomorrow. Little will be done in a legislative way to-

the street decorations today for the inaugural ceremonies. There are streamers on either side of the princiare arched across the streets at frequent intervals. State and National flags are especially conspicuous. The Governor-elect arrived very quietly the Yarborough Hotel preparatory for the ceremonies tomorrow and tomor-11 o'clock tomorrow morning from the foot of Fayetteville and Martin streets. Governor Craig and party get in line at Hotel Yarborough and the procession moves up Fayetteville street street: thence out to North street and thence to Blount and to the Governor's inaugurated Governor of North Caro-mansion where there will take place greetings between the retiring and Gov. Wilson is greatly interested in incoming Governors. Then the parade the Senatorial contests throughout the will move back to Capitol Square and country and declared yesterday he around Edenton, Salisbury and Morgan streets and into Fayetteville street again and thence to the new auditori-"This country can never have a um where there will be the inaugural eral was adopted without discussion sound monetary system without a cen-ceremonies beginning promptly at

er before the House Currency Reform | . The luncheon to the new Governor and party in the afternoon and public from the House that that body was tinental Trust Co., of Washington. The W. W. Winkfield, a former employe reception at the mansion in the even-

Senate-Fifth Day The Senate was called to order at

lumbus: Thos. P. Warren of Craven, Bills Introduced Bryant-Appoint a justice of peace for Chapel Hill township, Orange

Peterson-Provide for government

in a week, the allies having firmly commission government, adapted to was adopted. made up their minds to break off nego- North Carolina needs. Referred to At 1 o'clock the Senate adjourned the Gilmer County Bank, while he was

the 17th amendment to the United Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 14.-After brief States Constitution, providing for election of United States Senators by direct vote of the people. Mason, of eral law or of attempting to forfeit

tion 3, Chapter 712, Public Laws of try from Europe for his white wife, 1911, so as to take from the commis- Etta Johnson, who committed suicide sioners of Hertford the right to con- a few months ago. The latter case is any circumstances was passed on its several readings, as was the bill of ditable and for this reason Johnson The finishing touches were put on Mr. Peterson to regulate pay of jurors had no right to leave this country.

Thorne's bill to make it discretionof Superior Courts to discharge pris- Canada, according to the police. pal streets over the curb and others oners committed to jail when not indicted at the next term of court folthe only witness and she was not able plans for the proposed fight in Paris row night. The military and civic to appear at the next term. His coun- between Johnson and Palzer. parade forms on Fayetteville street at sel moved for discharge, and the judge refused to grant it. On appeal the O'Rouke, "from the coast and it out-Supreme Court held the present provi- lines the deal, except that Vienne, the sion of the law mandatory, in State Paris promoter, offers \$30,000 or privvs. Webb in the 155th Report. The lege of 70 house split. law was made in 1868 when no county around Capital Square to Wilmington had courts oftener than every six must be made with Johnson by mail months or thereabout. The bill was as the government seems determined passed without opposition. Senator Jones' bill to authorize the even temporarily."

Commissioners of Forsyth to issue bonds to pay off a debt of \$55,000 on the Court House was passed on second reading by roll call. The House resolution indorsing Josephus Daniels for Postmaster Gen-

At 11 o'clock word was received

to go at once. institutions giving amounts paid to States Savings Bank, but will devote as follows: Institutions for blind, \$2,ment to the postoffice appropriation postmasters under the civil service, extended to ex-Senators Jno. C. Mills, \$14.98 monthly for principal officers; of Rutherford; J. A. Brown, of Co- State treasurer's office, \$9,000 per Carolina for Wilson and Marshall. Afyear; Insurance Department, \$11,796 ter performing this duty, Mr. London annually for employes outside of the left for Trenton where tomorrow he

> Senator Davis, of Carteret, reported which have endorsed Mr. Josephus for the Committee on Rules the pro- Daniels as a cabinet member. P. R. A. posed changes in Senate rules from

the voters, to hold an election for the House Senator Jones took up the rules adoption of a commission form of gov- matter again and another long dis- Ellijay, Ga., Jan. 14.—John H. Car-

The House-Sixth Day. Peebles-Provide for payment to Prayer was offered by Rev. Mr. Joy- similar charges, instituted by the clerks of courts of surplus funds in ner, of Fayetteville Street Bantist North Georgia National Bank, of Blue-

resolution of Senator Watts to ratify (Continued on Page Eight.)

# TAKEN FROM TRAIN ON WAY TO CANADA

Jack Johnson Prevented from Fleeing Country by U. S. Officers

### VIOLATING TERMS OF BOND

Negro Pugilist Says He Had No Intention of Violating Federal Law or Attempting to Forfeit \$30,-000 Bond

Battle Creek, Mich., January 14 .-Jack Johnson, the negro pugilist who. while en route for Toronto, was taken from a train here this morning at the request of United States officials, left for Chicago late today, accompanied by his wife and other members of his party. The pugilist was in charge of Bert J. Meyers, a Federal officer.

Johnson is said to have at first insisted that the local authorities had no right to detain him, but when a patrol wagon came in sight he left the train this morning without further complaint.

· He said he did not wish to violate any of the terms of the bond insuring his appearance in the United States District Court and simply intended to go to Toronto to consult with Flanagan, his former manager, regarding a proposed fight with Al Palzer in Paris. He claimed that the latter's manager had offered to arrange a fight for \$25,-

Recognized by Passenger Chicago, January 14 .- First information of Jack Johnson's flight from Chicago was given by the publication in a local newspaper of a telegram from a passenger who recognized the negro on the train. Acting on this, Charles S. De Woody, superintendent of the Department of Justice, traced the train on which Johnson was supposed to be traveling and wired the police at Battle Creek to arrest him. Shortly after his arrest, Johnson called Superintendent DeWoody by telephone and explained that he had no intention of staying in Canada or had not thought of violating the Fed-

Johnson was indicted months ago by the Federal Court on several counts for alleged violation of the Mann Act and is at liberty on bonds. He is also charged with smug-Senator Barnes' bill to repeal Sec- gling valuable jewelry into this coun-

Mann Act violations are not extrathe Federal authorities assert. His payment on the train of cash fare to ary instead of mandatory for judges Toronto indicated his intent to go to

St. Louis, Mo., January 14.-Tom lowing the commitment was explain- O'Rourke, Al Palzer's manager, stoped by Bryant, of Durham, who cited ped in St. Louis tonight on his way a recent instance where a negro had from Los Angeles to Toronto to meet committed an assault with criminal Jack Johnson and representatives of intent upon a woman. His victim was the French promoters and discuss "I sent Johnson a telegram," said

"Now I suppose the arrangements

not to allow him to leave the country

W. H. COOPER ELECTED.

Becomes Director of Continental Trust Co.-North Carolina's Vote. (Special Star Telegram.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 14.-Wade or comment after a clerical error had Hampton Cooper, brother of W. B. and Thomas E. Cooper, of Wilmington, has just been elected a director of the Conready to receive the Senate in joint Continental Trust Co., has a capital ing president. Mr. Cooper still retains More reports from departments and his position as president of the United H. A. London came to Washington today and delivered the vote of North

JOHN H. CARTER RELEASED.

will tell Governor Wilson of the en-

dorsement of various organizations

Out on Bail.

er, who was brought here yesterday of misappropriation of the funds of its president, was released today on \$2,000 bond. After his release, Carter The House convened at 11 o'clock, was again taken into custody on three Ridge, Ga. At Blue Ridge, Carter was On motion of Mr. Murphy the rules also released on \$1,000 bond. Carter is The chair laid before the Senate the were suspended and a messenger sent well known in North Carolina, Tennessee and Georgia, as a promoter.