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COMMITTEE HOLDS A STORMY SESSION

Discussion of Attack from Armored Train Precipitates Clash

FIST FIGHT NARROWLY AVERTED

Investigation Causes Near-Fist Fight Between Senator and Manager of Operators—Crew of Armored Train Offer Testimony.

Charleston, W. Va., June 17.—A stormy session of the Senate Mine Strike committee...

This afternoon, following an earnest conference between Senators Swanson, Kenyon and Martine...

Conditions were quiet among the miners on Paint and Cabin Creeks...

Mr. Morton and others discussed at length the fight at the miners' camp at Holly Grove...

When Chairman Swanson announced the noon adjournment...

HOUSE DEMOCRATS TO MEET. Will Consider Report from the Caucus Budget Committee...

V. Pres't E. H. Munson.



Prominent Young Wilmington Business Man, Officer State Merchants' Association.

MEDICAL SOCIETY MEETS

North Carolina Physicians in Sixteenth Annual Session at Morehead City—President Munroe's Annual Address

(Special Star Telegram.)

Atlantic Hotel, Morehead City, N. C., June 17.—The Medical Society of the State of North Carolina opened its 16th annual session here today...

His reports stated that through the efficient efforts of the secretary, Dr. John A. Ferrell...

It was considered a very able address and ranks with the best made in the past by Dr. Munroe's predecessor.

POLAR EXPEDITION

Canadian Party Leaves Victoria for the Frozen North

Victoria, B. C., June 17.—The Canadian Polar exploration expedition, which will spend three years in the Arctic...

THE "LOBBY" TRAIL LONG AND WINDING

Committee Examines Private Files of Sugar Industry Agents

LETTERS AND TELEGRAMS READ

Publicity Methods of Sugar Representatives Investigated—Only Small Part of Correspondence Read into Record.

Washington, June 17.—The trail of the "lobby," the Senate has been following more than two weeks...

It was a trail so long, so complicated and so winding, that after more than two hours of patient effort...

More than 70 had been read when adjournment was taken tonight.

Some told of Hamlin traveling to large cities, giving out interviews...

None of the letters disclosed that the railroads had been interested...

Two telegrams were exchanged between Hamlin, Senator Clark and Truman G. Palmer...

ORDINANCE INVALID.

Carriers Will No Longer Furnish Lists of Liquor Shipments

Jacksonville, Fla., July 17.—The Southeastern district convention of the Fraternal Order of Eagles opened this morning for a three days session...

SIX SUFFRAGETTES ARE FOUND GUILTY

Formed Conspiracy to Commit Malicious Damage to Property

ONE MAN AMONG MILITANTS

Prisoners Disdainfully Resent Sentences Passed by Judge—Sensational Scenes Are Enacted in Court Room

London, June 17.—Six of the most prominent leaders of the militant suffragettes organization...

The women, officials of the Women's Social and Political Union...

Miss Kenney, 18 months; Mrs. Saunders, 15 months; Miss Kerr, 12 months; Miss Barrett, 9 months; Miss Lake and Miss Lennox, 6 months each; Mr. Clayton, 21 months.

The prisoners were committed to the Third Division which entails hard labor.

With the exception of Mrs. Saunders, all the women loudly proclaimed their intention of going on a "hunger strike."

Prior to passing sentence, the judge said that he doubted the prisoners sincerely believed that by their lawless conduct they were forwarding a good cause.

Home of you must be religious," he continued, "if you are not, at least you must believe in a moral governor of the universe."

After passing sentence he said: "One of counsel has suggested that the time for leniency has passed and I do not intend to grant a reprieve."

Miss Kenney: "They have got to let me out or kill me. I think your summing was most biased and unfair."

Greater interest was taken in tonight's proceedings than in any previous stage of the trial.

Senator James, when his attitude before the committee became known, "Because some countries levy a tax on the imports of the American beef trust, why should we, in retaliation, starve the people of the United States?"

Senator Hitchcock, of Nebraska, whose amendment to the tariff bill levying a graduated tax on tobacco output, was rejected by his colleagues...

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President of State Merchants' Association.



Mr. Joe Garibaldi, of Charlotte, Presiding at Annual Sessions of Convention Now Being Held at Wrightsville Beach.

JAMES TAKES VIGOROUS STAND MONEY FOR CUSTOM HOUSE

Kentucky Senator Opposes Countervailing Duty on Meat and Cattle; Declaring Articles Should be Unrestricted

Washington, June 17.—Senator Ollie James, of Kentucky, who made the sugar tariff speech in the Senate...

When the majority members of the Finance committee resumed consideration of the proposed countervailing duties on agricultural products...

Senator James emphatically declared that the Federal building at Asheville, which was instructed to restore the old rates...

Another blow was dealt the railroads today when the Interstate Commerce Commission issued an order reducing the rates on fertilizer...

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STATE MERCHANTS AT WRIGHTSVILLE

Eleventh Annual Meeting of North Carolina Association at Beach

THE WELCOME ADDRESSES

Responses Were Cordial and Expressive of Pleasure at Being Present—Today's Programme is Announced.

Welcomed with pleasing and eloquent addresses and most cordially greeted by members of the Wilmington association...

Practically no business was transacted last night, the meeting being taken up altogether with the addresses of welcome...

The convention was called to order last night at 8:00 o'clock by Mr. Joe Garibaldi, of Charlotte, president of the association.

Mr. Little made a few introductory remarks and then presented Councilman Chas. C. Loughlin, Mayor Pro Tem of the city of Wilmington...

Mr. Little said, in introducing the next speaker, that he had long been a citizen of that place...

Col. John VanB. Metts, extended the welcome in behalf of the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.

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CAROLINA BEACH — Mid-week dance tonight. Excellent music, commodious pavilion, and miles of safest mainland beach bathed in softest moonlight.