INHERITANCE TAX SWELLS TREASURY

Corporation Commission Turns Over $91,000 More.

Makes Total of $374,000 Collected In The State During The Past Year —Other News Of The Capital City.

By W. J. MARTIN.

Raleigh, Dec. 2.—The corporation commission turned over to the state treasurer today $91,000, balance of inheritance taxes collected the past fiscal year by the commission under the law passed by the legislature two years ago giving the commission this work. The payment of this sum into the state treasury rounds up a total of $374,000—total inheritance tax collections by the commission the past year. This is in comparison with less than $50,000 which was collected for the year just prior to the delegation of this tax collection to the commission.

Members of the commission say that they are confident that the inheritance tax revenue for the state the next year will be fully $1,000,000. The taxes the past year came from every quarter of the state with the tax against the Cone estate, Greensboro, constituting decidely the biggest lump sum. It is believed that with some readjustments of the inheritance tax laws by the legislature soon to meet it will be possible to run up this source of state revenue to a very considerable sum. It is a notable fact that the Kentucky newspapers are boasting that the state can easily pay off its entire indebtedness with the inheritance tax revenue on the estate of Mrs. R. W. Bingham, who was Miss Kenan, of Wilmington.

W. H. Woolard resigns as assistant state bank examiner and will be succeeded by J. G. Nichols, who served a long while as assistant examiner and then resigned to take up war work in the navy aviation department. He is just back from the training service at Miama, Fla. Mr. Woolard takes an important position with The Pamlico Guano Co., a branch of the Royster Guano Co., of Norfolk, Va.

Governor Bickett has issued a special appeal for the people of the state to rally to putting over the top the campaign in this state for war savings stamps, being pressed by Col. Fries of Winston-Salem, as director for this state.

There was only one county in the state that gave a majority against the constitutional amendment for a six months school term. This was Yadkin, where there were 590 for and 665 against the amendment. The 101,665 majority that the amendment received in the state is a tremendous gratification to Dr. J. Y. Joyner, state superintendent of public instruction, who says that the adoption of this amendment opens the way for a new era for education in the state, especially conservative, constructive educational legislation to come before the next legislature in paving the way for simpler and more equitable division of the school funds from taxation as between the county and the state. He believes that the way will be opened now for much more efficient instruction and supervision in the schools all through the state, every section being guaranteed six months term of schools without regard to local conditions. Dr. Joyner says the members of the new legislation will come definitely instructed for legislation that will assure the fullest benefits of the new constitutional changes in the law, both parties being committed to it.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson, who is serving her second term as president of the North Carolina Federation of Womens Clubs, has been secured by Insurance Commissioner Young to devote her time to furthering the organization and general activities of the North Carolina safety leagues which the commissioner has been having organized in the schools and among the womens clubs and other civic bodies for fire prevention and safety first effort designed to prevent as far as possible the heavy toll of lives and property exacted in North Carolina annually by fire and accidents.

It will be Mrs. Johnson's special work to keep in touch with these safety leagues and their organization and work and with the womens' clubs and other civic organizations of the women to enlist their special interest in this conservation work.

BIG PACKING COMPANIES ARE ALLEGED TO FORM A COMBINE

Washington, Dec. 2.—The federal trade commission in a supplemental report to congress today charged the five big meat packing companies of the country with a combination in restraint of trade and with controlling the sale of livestock and meats.

Evidence is cited at length to support the charges. Swift & Company, Armour & Company, Morris & Co., Wilson & Co., Inc., and the Cudahy Packing Co. are named.

"The evidence of the present day existence of a meat combination among the five big packers is voluminous and detailed," the report said. "This evidence is convincing, consisting as it does largely of documents written by the packers or their agents and including the memoranda made by one of the participants in the combination of the terms and conditions agreed upon at various meetings of the packers."

Girls Have Pretty Face And Beautiful Complexion

An Atlanta man makes new discovery that makes an old face look years younger. If your skin is dark, brown, or covered with freckles or blemishes, just use a little Cocotone Skin Whitener; it's made with cocoanut oil and is perfectly harmless. A few days' use will improve your looks 100 per cent. The wornout skin comes off evenly, leaving no evidence of the treatment, the new healthy under-skin appearing as a lovely new complexion.

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PROTECT BOND HOLDERS

Treasury Has Scheme For Detecting Liberty Bond Frauds.

Washington, Dec. 2.—A method of restricting fraudulent or highly speculative stock promoting schemes involving the trading of these securities for liberty bonds has been devised by the treasury, and may be put into effect soon to protect the millions of liberty bond owners against loss.

In effect, the treasury's plan would be a sort of national "blue sky" operation by which promoters would find their businesses subject to close scrutiny of the government. Those found suspicious or of actual fraudulent nature might be barred from accepting liberty bonds in payment for their securities, through the government's refusal to grant them operating licenses.

The authority for this plan is given in the provision in the fourth liberty loan act empowering the president to "investigate and regulate by means of licenses or otherwise" transactions in liberty bonds or certificates of indebtedness for two years after the proclamation of peace.

The law was based on the belief that after the war hundreds of promotion schemes would spring up to offer stocks and bonds for development projects in exchange for liberty bonds.

HUNS PLANNED BIG SEAPORT

Germany's Age-Long Dream To Have One On Rhine Delayed.

The Hague, Dec. 2.—Germany's age-long dream of obtaining a direct water route from the Rhine to the North Sea may be still further delayed by defeat. Instead of sending her ships through Rotterdam and Antwerp, her latest project is to construct a waterway from Wiesdorf, on the Rhine, near Cologne, to Emden, at the mouth of the Ems on the North Sea. It would have a depth of about 30 feet, so as to allow the passage of vessels of fairly large draft, and a length of 120 miles, and would cost around $75,000,000.

BEGIN TO PLAN FOR GREAT CELEBRATION 7 YEARS HENCE

Philadelphia, Dec. 2.—Looking more than seven years ahead, a number of citizens of this city and state have turned their attention to the 150th anniversary of the signing of the Declaration of Independence.

A resolution has been prepared for introduction in the state legislature, which meets in January for the appointment of a state commission to arrange a great international exhibition to celebrate the return of peace, in conjunction with the 150th anniversary of national independence in July, 1926. Appeal will be made for cooperation on the part of the whole nation and of our war allies as well. It is proposed to urge congress to foster the celebration.

REMOVE RESTRICTIONS ON INTERIOR COTTON SHIPMENTS

Washington, Dec. 2.—Restrictions on the shipment of cotton from interior points for eport wilxl be removed by an order to be issued tomorrow by the railroad administration, Senator McKellar of Tennessee, announced tonight after a conference with Director Chambers of the railroad administration's division of traffic.

Removal of the restrictions, Senator McKellar said, will permit direct shipment from interior points in the south of cotton to all allied and neutral countries except the neutrals contiguous to Germany and Austria. Heretofore bills of lading for shipments were limited to the seaboard.

GERMAN SHOOK THE MAILED FIST AT THE BULGARIANS

New York, Dec. 2.—German newspapers were shaking the "mailed fist" at Bulgaria only a month before the Germans were compelled to sign the armistice on the western front. "The Bulgarians and their king might have stuck it out for the German fist is still hard and knows how to protect friends and smash enemies," was the threat of the Cologne Gazette.

Germany's losses in campaigns with Bulgaria in Serbia, Macedonia and Dobrudja were given by the Berlin Lokal Anzeiger as 61,700, including 9,837 killed.

CONSTRUCTION PROJECTS AT VARIOUS CAMPS STOPPED

Washington, Dec. 2.—Abandonment of the construction projects ordered by the war department include the following: Training school for officers and enlisted specialists at Fort Monroe, Va.; all construction work at North Camp Jackson, South Carolina, except accommodations for two artillery brigades; officers' training schools Camps Gordon and Hancock Georgia; de-lousing plant, Camp Eastis, Va.; Liberty theatres and evtensions to existing theatres at the following camps: Bragg, N. C.; North Camp Jackson, S. C.; Wheeler, Go.; Wadsworth, S. C.

"FLU" STILL GRIPS ASHEVILLE AND COURT IS PUT OFF

Asheville, Dec. 2.—With thirty-two cases of influenza reported in the past 24 hours, the epidemic seems to be on the increase here again, and Judge McElroy, at the request of the health officials, has called off the term of court scheduled for next week. The picture houses still remain open, but whether they will be allowed to continue is a mooted question. Every possible precaution is being taken, and the authorities hope to get the epidemic under control again before it spreads to anything like its former proportions.

Use Kenilworth Hospital.

Asheville, Dec. 2.—Continued use by the government of Kenilworth hospital would seem to be indicated by the work done there at present, a force being engaged in closing up all the porches to provide additional wards. The hospital at present accommodates 500 patients, and the enclosing of the porches will provide for an additional 100.

Hun Damage in Belgium.

Brussels, Dec. 2.—The central industrial committee of Belgium after an investigation estimates that Belgian damage through German military occupation and seizures of machinery and raw material at 6,000,560,000 francs.

To Command Camp Lee.

Washington, Dec. 2.—Maj. Gen. Omar Bundy, who recently returned from France, has been assigned to command Camp Lee, Virginia. Originally he was ordered to command Camp Pike, Arkansas.

Emigrants to South America.

Honolulu, Oct. 29—(Correspondence.)—Japanese liners touching here on the run to South American ports are carrying large numbers of emigrants to the southern republics.

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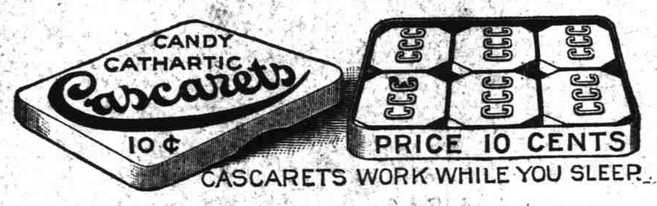

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PRESIDENT'S SPEECH GIVES BOOST TO RAILWAY STOCKS

New York, Dec. 2.—President Wilson's address to congress today, interpreted in financial quarters here to indicate that the government was not as strongly committed as had been thought to federal ownership of rails and utilities, led to an immediate advance in stock market prices.

The quoted values of rail issues rose two or three points, notably Southern Pacific with a gain of 3 1-8, Union Pacific 2 3-4 and New York Central 2 points. Their upturn found response among other classes of stocks.

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UNION CARPENTERS ARE HEREBY notified to be present at the regular meeting Wednesday, December 4th. All urged to attend. Important business. W. L. Riddle, Sec. de 3-2t*

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RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$2,526,004 16	Capital Stock	$ 200,000 00
Liberty Bonds and other Securities	270,049 75	Surplus Profits	33,170 03
Real Estate	47,544.61	Dividends Unpaid	423 62
Furniture and Fixtures	26,062 71	Bills Payable	110,000 00
Cash and Due from Banks	405,935 50	Re-discounts	99,277 69
		Deposits	2,832,725 39
Total	$3,275,596 73	Total	$3,275,596 73

Accounts of Banks, Firms, Corporations and Individuals Solicited

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