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SENATORS RECONSIDER MOGES' SALARY RAISE, GRANTING A THOUSAND

Burgwin of Northampton Denounces Juvenile Court as Greatest Farce

FOR EXTRA JUDGES

Provision Presented House for Supplying the Courts in Emergencies

> Morning Star Bureau, Yarborough Hotel, R. E. POWELL

cb. 3 .- The senate spent ort of its session today in a superior court by \$1,000. the pay of the heads of riments other than constifrom the present flat, and allowing Sumcounty to abolish its ras tacked an amendment for the provision for Bladen county. rary to expectation, other coun-

The bill as it passed the senate county of Northampton, a ral county with no cotton mills, to office of county welfare missioner without reservations or rpretative amendments. Burgwin resisted all efforts to on amendments which would

the measure more acceptable to tate commissioner of welfare, and ng so found occasion to deliver ch against the heads of those departments created by the legiswho "drunk with power," tried egulate the internal affairs of the es. He was "sick and tired" of Not Local Question

urgwin spoke following Jim Detote system and that the abolition of these officers would open the state have a right to feel then they pay their money for ning the schools in North Carothe school children are attendschools

Burgwin prefaced his remarks children to would impose on the superinof public instruction the duty forcing the compulsory school

Northhampton county,

the price of cotton. But not think the county welfare

the Charlotte man inquired a

had not intended to say the juvenile court sys-

se two counties, the

by which the senate orth Carolina was practically every state speech making the

suspension of the rules.

How Senators Voted

Brown, Burgwin of New Han-Carpenter, Delaney, (Continued on Page Six)

Fate of Deering's Crew Is a Mystery

HATTERAS, Feb. 3.-Mystery surrounds the fate of the crew of the schooner Carroll A. Deering, resting high on the shoals, where she was blown during a gale off the Carolina coast. As the vessel is stripped of all boats and there is no sign of life abourd, it is believed the men put out from the vessel in small row boats which capsized in the rough sea and all were lost.

Tonight the schooner was standing majestically on the reef with full sails set defying the elements, which threaten to smash her hull and send her to sea a complete wreck.

For three days the coast guard cutter Seminole stood by awaiting a favorable wind to fling a tow line to the derelict, but today the cutter was forced to put back to her home port at Wilmington because of boiler trouble.

The coast guard cutter Manning and the tug Rescue were summoned from Norfolk to take up the stand and tomorrow the two vessels will make in effort to drag the "fivemaster" from the imprisoning shouls. The stiff gale which has been sweeping the coast for the last several days has shown signs of abatement and seamen regard the chances good,

HAVE LEAD OVER REST

Committees Seem Disposed to Give His Bill a Favorable Report

WOMAN IS FOR IT

run the affairs of his county or Mrs. Martin Sloop of Avery County Out-Talks All the Men Talkers

> Morning Star Bureau, Yarborough Hotel By R. E. PURCELL

RALEIGH, Feb. 3. Hearings on al the road bills so far introduced in either branch of the general assembly the Doughton-Connor bill

The good roads boosters, led by Heriot Clarkson, came near stampedhe so-called Clarkson bill Commerprogram that has the backing of Clarkson, Kirkpatrick, McGirt, Miss Hattie Berry and a host of others who

woman, out-talked all the men before draft possible for carrying a hard-surfaced program forward and she wanted the administration left to Commisabout road building than everybody

ner, of the Asheville board of trade; Sprunt Hill, of Durham; D. F. Giles, of Marion; W. C. Newland, of Lenoir; ex- protection or tariff for revenue only but was broad enough to give the war Senator R. L. Burns, of Carthage; was in sight also. Senator Fletcher ac-Leonard Tufts and the champions of cused the Republicans of using the R. O. Everett led for the proponents

S. O. MacGuire offered the Republican bill with a non-partisan appeal for a bigger issue of bonds than the fifty millions in the Doughton-Connor measure. Behind him came Peyton Mc- PRESIDENT CALLS SENATE Swain, of Shelby, with a bill which is not widely different from the Everett

has about agreed to let the Doughton- municated request of President-elect Connor bill come to the floor with a Harding, today issued a proclamation favorable report and stage the big calling a special session of the senate In the meantime, it became to convene March 4. known here today that Governor Morrison has yielded on his maintenance plan and that he is nearer in accord eral days ago by Senator Underwood with the road forces than he has been since his inauguration. It appears ate, who received the request of the that the Doughton-Connor bill will President-elect through Senator Lodge prevail with minor amendments to of Massachusetts, the majority leader. meet the governor's objection.

HEAD OF BUILDING TRADES COUNCIL DECLARED GUILTY

dell, president of the Building Trades council, tonight was found guilty of the charge of extortion from builders by a jury in Justice McAvoy's court

Shortly after the verdict was nounced Brindell was remanded to the are not. Shortly after the conclusion prepare an amendment Tombs prison, where he will remain of the war the county appropriated a increase in judges' until Tuesday when sentence will be substantial sum to have 4,000 handsome to do with the liquidation job in could not vote for in- passed upon him. The maximum penal- medals made, it being the plan to pre- France, and who was described by Mr. salaries of all officials ty is 15 years, imprisonment. Sent one to each man who served in Dawes as "a hard-boiled egg" as an bill. He finally withdrew Brindell, who is 41 years old, and the war. To date, Clerk of Court Hararmy trader, will be heard tomorrow and the bill went lives in the Bronx, was indicted on ry A. Dargan, who is charged with the by the committee. final reading. The vote December 7, 1920, and placed on trial duty of Issuing the medals, has been

January 11, 1921. RULES COMMITTEE MEETING NEW YORK, Feb. 3 .- The annual Griffin, Hamilton, Hart- meeting of the intercollegiate football Alamance, Long of Hali- rules committee probably will be held McCollock, McGougan, Mc- in this city Saturday, March 5, accord-Mendenhall, Nash. Gates, Sams, ling to tentative arrangements an-Stubbs Swain, Taylor, Walker, nounced here today. Attendance of all for Greenville county for the year 1921 was broken in the fall. Theodore In-Brassfield, Bumgard- pected and several proposed changes or Bur win of Northmpton, Byrd, amendments to the playing rules will be discussed.

CLAIMS FORDNEY BILL CHARLES G. DAWES HAS JOSEPHUS DANIELS WOULD MEAN ADDITION BULLY TIME SWEARING

Consumers Would Have to Pay Denounces Millions On Meats, Flour and Sugar, Alone

Tariff Measure Would Aid Agriculture

WASHINGTON, Feb. 3-Although debate on the Fordney tariff bill dragged aimlessly on the senate floor today, real progress was made towards definite action on the measure. Senator Mc-Cumber, Republican, North Carolina, obtained agreement to take up the bill with its amendments for a second reading and, outside of the chamber, lead-

The tentative program probably will e submitted to the senate tomorrow under their nose. and consent asked for an agreement to vote on the bill February 15 or soon path was clear for acceptance of the

Suggestions and counter-suggestions the day. All were based on political maneuvering and the leaders conferred while Senators Capper, Republican, Kansas; Fletcher, Democrat, Florida; McKellar, Democrat, Tennessee; and pied the attention of the few senators present with speeches. Mr. Robinson discussed provision for taking care of

brief colloguy with Senator Ransdell. statements that a sugar trust existed. Kellar's aid, but Mr. Ransdel declined to be convinced and concluded his end of the argument by saying he would 'neither deny or affirm the existence of

Tennessee senator challenge supporters of the bill to show how i would aid the farmers, asserting that he pockets of the sugar trust" and estimated that on three necessities meats, flour and sugar, the country would be "taxed between \$1.500,000.00

the law would be effective does, after the speech he has made, he have to hold his nose.

cause an increase in prices he felt the | 000,000. destruction of the farming business and they pay high prices permanently. Age-Old Tariff Row

age-old battle over tariff tariff bill to make protectionists out of all of the farmers and "sew up their in the future." He said big business, especially the manufacturing establish-Doughton and H. G. Connor, Jr., fol- ments, were desirous of high import their measure as the best thought of farmers a prohibitory rate on their products, strength would be mustered for later revision of the Underwood act, now under consideration by the house ways and means committee. The senate will meet an hour earlier

Request that the special session b called was made to the President sevof Alabama, minority leader of the sen-The session will act on cabinet and other appointments by Mr. Harding and probably will last only a short time.

VETERANS DON'T WANT THE MEDALS COUNTY PROVIDED

by Greenville county's experience they devil in the ranks who better eserved was in his bunk at the time able to place only a few above 1,000 al-

widely advertised. GREENVILLE COUNTY BUDGET (Special to The Star) GREENVILLE, S. C., Feb. 3 .- Total

\$515,331 by property levy tax,

though the county's offer has been

OF 2 BILLION DOLLARS AT HOUSE COMMITTEE

Investigations of Army as Partisan Attempt to Disgrace It

NO HELP TO FARM REAL "CUSS" WORDS

Defending Pershing and All the Rest

broadside was let loose by Charles G.

Attacking what he characterized as a partisan attemny to names of the whole American army because of the blunders of a few, the ers of both sides reached a tentative supply procurement in France, deinderstanding to fix a date for a final clared house committees could serve a most useful public service by turnmillions of government dollars right rived unexpectedly from Washington

after. Senators tonight believed the Dawes from swearing like a "buck" ter Woodson, of Charlotte, and in the private. He strode around the com- house by Representative Edgar Pharr, mittee room, hitting harder than he of Mecklenbudg. The secretary came was hit, and swearing madly every to the capitol rom each side came frequently during time he construed the questioning as a committee from his editorial rooms activity. reflection on any part or parcel of the and went to the hall of the house in about them in and out of the chamber Chairman Johnson, himself a former Both were given ovations. service man at the front, told Mr. Dawes at the end of the hearing he Robinson, Democrat, Arkansas, occu- as truthful and as unafraid to speak

Had Very Good Time Dawes made turned his waathful language upon thought the people were sick of them.

would be no news in this. Don't forget that it was an American war, not a Republican or a Democratic war, and the record of the glorious work of our army will live hundreds of years af- health and essential to health are high ter your committee is dead and gone standards of living, straightness and When the name of General Pershing was brought into the discussion Mr.

Dawes could scarcely control

the date be made six months hence. Mr. | cause I sold a lot of second-hand junk instead of keeping 40,000 better course would be for the country soldiers there to guard it, while we to pay them now "rather than to await tried to peddle it. My conscience hurts me sometimes when I think we charged

Hits War Department

The award of distinguished service medals came in for a fierce attack. It broke more hearts, Mr. Dawes said, than anything 'else,' because thousands hour has come when this can be better government and state bonds,

the stress of war, but told the committee it would get nowhere and that the public was not concerned with those mistakes now.

Armistice Day Deaths It's the most damnable lie ever uttered. viewing from a partisan standpoint the France, as this committee given away-it was cheaper than burning or burying it. They pinned one of honors in the way of medals? Judging damned sight better gone to some poor

Judge W. B. Parker, who had much sent one to each man who served in Dawes as "a hard-boiled egg" as an

> CONTRACTOR BADLY HURT (Special to The Star)

GREENSBORO, Feb. 3 .- John G. Ingram, contractor and builder, slipped and fell from the roof of Latham's apartment house on East Sycamore Islipped on the ice

· UNIFICATION OF EDUCATION

In Address Before Joint Session of Legislature He Advocates Piacing All State Schools in Hands of One Board of Trustees-Would Put Other Institutions Under One Control—Approves of Morrison

RALEIGH, Feb. 3 .- Advocating uni- Carolina. We have lost motion, lackfication of the educational policy of ing to the governor, "the state owes the state and backing the program of sponsibility. Governor Morrison with but few ex-Tennessee Senator Denies That Strides Up and Down the Room of the navy, addressed a joint session you a great debt for your vision in Such of the general assembly at noon today, the magnificent inaugural address you The navy chief, soon to return to made and your recent message to the Raleigh as a private citizen, suggested general assembly. No part of it means to the law-makers the creation of one more to effective government than to board of trustees for all the educa- give responsibility to the chief mag-WASHINGTON, Feb. 3 .- Another tional institutions of the state to be istrate of the commonwealth. called the "University of North Caro-

makers two years ago. His appearance today was an ening the search light upon the waste of tirely extemporaneous one. He ar-A group of women in the crowded became known, a joint resolution was this morning and when his presence committee room failed to prevent Mr. started in the senate by Senator Walwith the legislative

> Public Health First . tounded 20 years ago, upon of them, died under 40, men of dis- state primary law. and health officers, have made men able to work more days, so that basically the greatest service you can render to North Carolina is to protect the

shall make North Carolina the forestate the performance of the service for social betterment rendered under the direction of Roland Beasley. I commend it to your favorable considerfalse news that Pershing was at a children of our commonwealth, but

primary schools to the university. Must Unify Education serve the interests of every institution were to establish a board of trustees or directors, a small body, that should geants who had the grit of generals. | ville and every state institution of characterized as one of the most dis- be following policies which have suc-

several boards, and I beg to suggest

TESTIMONY CONFLICTS

Say Soldier Was in Barracks Robbers Get \$25,000 From During Lynching

IN GUARDSMAN'S CASE

HAMILTON, Ala., Feb. 3 .- Sergeant Robert L. Lancaster, accused of being the Walker county jail and killed him on January 13, had his day in the might have done just as we did-or Marion county court house here today. fect that Lancaster was a member of the death party, and to establish by that it was committed by a band of six League of Nations and piously called veterans of the World war anxious for those medals on me, but it had a racks during the hours the lynching is bay while the bank was being robbed. when anything goes wrong, the Demo-

walked to the barracks.

by the state as one who saw the kil- | the lights. ling, testified that he picked up the bunch of soldiers at the drug store at Townley before midnight, took them

the defense might prepare its case.

Morning Star Bureau, to you the consideration of one board that will control every asylum and eleemosynary institution in North

"Governor Morrison, he said, turn-

"For a score of years I have believed He made an appeal for the and my service in Washington has Dawes today against the congressional short ballot and asked the general as- strengthened belief into a conviction, methods of investigating the conduct sembly to give the governor the power that the governor of North Carolina to pick a cabinet and to make his ap- ought to be the governor of North pointees responsible to the executive. Carolina, just as the general assembly Mr. Daniels touched upon taxation ought to be the law-maker of North blacken the and roads but briefly, devoting the Carolina. What have we today in this major portion of his talk to broadening commonwealth? we have lost motion the executive's authority and power everywhere because we clothe the gov- litical affairs. former brigadier-general in charge of tional life of the education of the education with high sounding titles tional life of the state, a thing he ad- and names and deny him the vocated in an address to the law-necessary power of administration which belongs to the President in his four American business men served great office for the federal government and belongs in most commonwealths to the governors chosen by the people.

Should Have Cabinet entitled to a cabinet of his own choos- first meeting of the commission on reing, which will share his views and parations occurred exactly two years be responsible to him so as to secure ago, on February 3, 1919.

"Every man in North Carolina in fighting outfit of which he was a part. company with Governor Morrison, the state house who administers the laws you make, every man who controls the railroads and telegraphs and many might be able to pay as much "The first thing that concerns a peo- public service corporations and banks, as 25,000,000,000 dollars. One of the wished there had been other witnesses ple is its health," the secretary said, is the law, and every state department 'We have come to a day when men ought to be responsible under the law live longer than they lived in other to the governor and all his appointgenerations. I remember of being as- ments should be confirmed by the of further information and reflection. to senate. We should have responsible we must be careful how we select them. vate ground! I was amazed that most We should preserve and strengthen our

> fraternity, surgeons, physicians | gestion by Governor Bickett for a short no warrant for money should be paid out of the treasury except upon the apaws of the state. I would give the have administered their duties with be it a man or a nation, works hard ation. In past years we have lagged care and honesty and fidelity, but you responsible governmeth until North Carolina is governored by a responsible administration, with a cabinet chosen by the governor and confirmed on the whole is rather dubious. The by the senate.

We have today great problems and very difficult problems. The war comernor Bickett and Governor Morrison, pelled the federal government to do we have taken a long forward step in many things it had never done before the education of our people from the War measures were essential and the "I do not suppose for a minute it gentlemen, the time has come when the sovereign power of a state over its railroads must be exercised, and when control the traffic of public service

"You have a great problem, a problem that has been simplified by you. authority that do not carry taxation lived up to. (Continued on Page Two)

HOLD A TOWN AT BAY WHILE LOOTING BANK

Pinellas Bank, Largo, Fla.

Grilling of Ira Money, 17-year-old the Pinellas county bank at Largo this out of their power to influence the had terrorized the village and robbed the bank of \$25,000 in cash and securities, stood tonight as the sole new development in the robbery More complete reports emanating

men, who practically held the city at on the country to thank the Republiof the bank block, it is reported, By other witnesses the defense oh- and persons who ventured to the street on Republican failure to join the tained testimony that Lancaster was in were frightened back into their homes league and thus be in a position to charge of a patrol the night preceding by displays of pistol markmanship. the lynching until midnight, and that The home of J. S. McMullen, cashier, he and other members of the patrol was kept under a flood of searchlights while the robbery was being commit-This testimony was considered of ted, according to his wife, who added great importance from the fact that that both were awake but afraid to steamship Stephen will leave here to-Leslie West, the only witness offered leave the house, under the glare of morrow for Key West to establish

DENNIS HOOKS CONVICTED street about 8 o'clock this morning and to the barracks where they prepared Hooks was found guilty of the charge American Telephone and Telegraph appropriations of \$561,331 are asked was probably fatally injured. His skull for the trip to the jail, and then took of murder, the jury recommending company under a permit issued by the for Greenville county for the year 1921 was broken in the fall. Theodore In-The state completed submission of night, in connection with the deaths term in prison.

ALLIES HAVE ERRED IN NOT DEFINITELY FIXING AMOUNT OF INDEMNITY

Americans Vigorously Condemn the Assessment on the German Exports

TAX ON THRIFT

An Indeterminate Tax Penalizes Worker, Whether Man or Nation

By MARK SULLIVAN

(Copyright, 1921, by .The Star) WASHINGTON, Feb. 3-Enough time has now passed since the announceto make possible, a careful appraisal of their effect both in general and especially on our own financial and po-

When this subject was under consideration by the peace conference, on the commission that had the subject in charge, and a few other Americans also participated less formally The governor of North Carolina is in the discussions. Incidentally, the

The average judgment of the American officials at that time, as to how much Germany could pay, did not differ materially from the amount that most cautious named a figure as low as however, these Americans, in the light have tended on the whole to reduce and it is this part of the recent set-

tlement which the Americans most vigorously condemn It robs the settlement of exactly the merit which it was hoped settlement would have. Instead of making the could invent no better device than an and every other office in the state ad-lindeterminate tax. It was exactly this sort of thing which kept Ireland back in the men we have elected to office to keeps the renting-farmer everywhere hold these important positions. They down. If the subject of such a tax. and is thrifty, he is penalized.

> Germany May Be Able most optimistic go no farther than to say it is just possible that Germany

For several months practically all our leaders have been of the opinion that the fixing of the Germany reparations would be the first and indispensand reassurance which should come by the income tax, the best tax, the uncertainty. What was expected and burden of state government will peling on the part of the world that this borne by those most able to bear it. uncertain factor was cut of the way Washington nor Raleigh, nor anywhere confidence that the terms are reasonelse, will bonds be issued by any able and therefore can and will be with them. The bane of our govern- stabilization of exchanges which came is on all our hearts and I believe the ment is that with the issue of so many in anticipation of the event. That demany | gree of stabilization has not yet slipof men entitled to the medals were directed by a unified control than by people buy these bonds and escape ped backward, but there has not come that lift which was expected and would have come with such a settlement as would have satisfied the judgment of the world, as to both its justice and

its practicability Politically, the Democrats genially apprehend the worst. The Republicans ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Feb. 3 .- stability in Europe. Since they made they have come to realize that by policy of isolation they have put !t thief factor upon which our own refrom the scene of the robbery indicate publicans blamed it on the Democratic A man was stationed at each cor- when anything goes wrong, the Democrats self-righteously lay the blame cast the influence of America on the

side of what is just and wholesome. TO LAY CABLES

NORFOLK, Va., Feb. 2 .- The British telephone communication between that point and Havana. Three cables are to be laid by the International Tele-SOPERTON, Ga., Feb. 3.—Dennis phone and Telegraph company and the

The cables will be five miles apart. nounced here today. Attendance of all the proposed county budget as completed submission of night, in connection with the deaths of the members of the committee is ex- in the proposed county budget as completed submission of night, in connection with the deaths of T. K. Lumley, and will be in operation, according to the proposed changes or pleted today by the supervising auditor. With him, stated that his father was its testimony at 1:30 this afternoon and of T. K. Lumley, Sr., and T. K. Lumley. Of this amount, it is planned to raise working from a scaffold and his foot curt recessed until 2:30 in order that Jr. Hooks was sentenced to a life officials in five weeks, the total cost being two million dollars.