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# ILMINGTON GAS RATE SECOND PRIMARY TO BE MORETY OF PROMISED SPECIAL PERMISSION WILL INVESTIGATE THE ROTARIANS GIVE BIG BLAIR COMMISSIONER OWERED BY ORDER OF HELD AT RALEIGH MAY IN AN LABORATE PLAN WILL BE NECESSARY RULES AND CHARGES OF RECEPTION TO COWAN OF INTERNAL REVENUE OMMISSION MEMBERS 2 TO DECIDE CONTESTS One Hundred Thousand Addi- FOR ADDITIONAL CUTS ALL SOUTHERN PORTS AND JOSEPH THOMPSON HARDING HAS STATED

Lowered From \$2.35 to \$2.05 Yesterday

## RATE REMAINS HIGH

More Should Be Paid Here Than Elsewhere

By JULE B. WARREN

charged for the first 10,000. nd the gross rate per thousand for his control. gas consumed in excess of 20,000 30 cents less than the rate

urring statement with the order as to school. justification for a higher rate for am, Greensboro and Winston-Salem. Wilmington has a gas output greater han any of these cities, it has some dvantage in freight rates on coal and gas oil, and in my opinion its rates for gas should not be higher than in other cities named."

City officials seen last night after he news of the order of the corporaapressed pleasure at the finding of And the opinion of Comssioner Maxwell, as given in the spatch from Raleigh, found numerous upporters—men and women who could of conceive of Wilmington, a larger ty than Raleigh. Durham and Greensoro and with certain natural advanages over those places, paying a ligher rate for gas

So far as could be learned, the prometers means little in Wilmington, ince the popular "quarter meters" have never been in wide use here. The duction order, however, is considered

# WOULD MEET POLITICAL

INCHBURG, Va., April 21 .- Harry George Tucker, of Lexington, Va., aged 69, in a statement here today, 200 yards and let the winner take ounty last night.

## ARGUMENTS ARE BEGUN IN JONESBORO CONSPIRACY

BRISTOL, Va.-Tenn., April 21.—Argudents in the trial of the 13 men at esboro. Tenn., charged with conounty jail were begun today with adications that the case will go to jury by noon tomorrow.

testimony was taken today. The hal started more than a week ago, was interrupted several times beuse of the Illness and death of Bu-Adams, one of the defendants. The arguments will be continued to-

## HANGE MADE IN THE MEASURE AFFECTING NEW LEGISLATION

ASHINGTON, April 21.-Final vote he house on the temporary immistation bill with the indications of passage by a large majority was

dmissibility to immigration officials. WAR RISK NEEDS

WASHINGTON, April 21.—The war ik insurance bureau needs an addilonal \$8,790,272 to meet a deficit expected to develop July 1, congress was Mormed today by Secretary Mellon.

medical and hospital service.

Per Thousand Cubic Feet Balloting Will Decide Results in All Races Except Municipal Judgeship

(Special to The Star)

RALEIGH, April 21.—The second nunicipal primary when the candidates in the occupied territory for the cost Maxwell Sees No Reason Why for commissionerships of Raleigh will run off their races will be held on May 2. The only place that will not be tain percentage of coal mined shall be contested for in the May primary will exported to Germany. The percentage be judgship of the municipal court. commissioners, is now set at 25 per W. B. Harris defeated his candidate in cent of the output, says La Liberte, RALEIGH, April 21.—Decrease in the first primary, and there is no one which adds that an additional tax of 16 North Carolina cities to run this race off since there were gold to the already existing rates for 16 North Carolina cities to run this race off, since there were tax of 10 marks gold to the aiready existing anging from 10 to 35 cents per thou- only two candidates in the race for coal sold outside the Ruhr, and three and feet was ordered by the corpora- this place. Mayor T. B. Eldridge will marks gold on lignite, will be levied. be opposed by E. E. Culbreth for first allies in the profits from German in-The following gross rates per thou- place on the municipal board. John dustry have not been fixed. first 10,000 feet will be Bray will be opposed by R. I. Pool for April 1; Winston- commissioner of public works, it is cent tax on all exports from the Ruhr. It provides also for manufacturing unreduced from \$2.30; now understood, though Bray ran so der allied control of certain exportable Raleigh, \$1.95, reduced from \$2.30; far ahead of the whole ticket in the articles and the delivery of raw ma-

\$1.85, reduced from \$2.10; Pool comes somewhat as a surprise. Interest in the whele contest centers rations account. \$2.35, reduced from \$2.50; around the fight between J. Sher-New Bern, \$2.55, reduced from wood Upchurch and Commissioner of of the work will be under control of others have come in to the commission.

Public Safety J. H. Mooneyhan for the French engineers and the division of Ten counties reporting said the board 12.50; Henderson. \$2.50, reduced from job which handles the police, fire and the proceeds among the allies will be had decided to leave values as they 19.60; Oxford, \$2.50, reduced from \$2.60 sanitary departments of the city. Up- made by an allied commission. ligh Point, Salisbury, Spencer and church ran ahead of Mooneyhan in the East Spencer, \$2.10, reduced from \$2.35; first primary, and claims that he will ceeds from the coal deliveries alone reensboro. \$1.95, reduced from \$2.10; have little trouble in winning out in will amount to 1,900,000,000 francs oldsboro, \$2,35, reduced from \$2.60; the second. Upchurch has been mixed yearly, while the return from the oth-Washington, \$2.35, reduced from \$2.60. up in municipal politics in Raieigh er industries are figured at one bil-The gross rate per thousand feet since the old days of the aldermanic lion, thus tataling nearly 3,000,000,000 as consumed in excess of 10,000 system, when he came to the board france per year. hie feet shall be 20 cents less than of aldermen year after year from one of the city wards, which he had under

Morrison Will Speak Governor Morrison has so far caught charged for the first 10,000. From the up with the work of his administration above rates a discount of five cents that he has accepted a number of inthousand feet less than the gross vitations to speak during the next sixweeks. He will be the speaker for th fore 5 o'clock on the afternoon of the Daughters of the Confederacy in Ralth day after it is rendered. The eigh on Memorial day. He will deliver harge for gas furnished through pre- the commencement address at Peace may meters shall in each case be five Institute in Raleigh, will be one of the ents less than the gross rate set out speakers at the Elon College com-The minimum charge mencement, and has also accepted an all cases shall be \$1.50 per month. invitation to deliver the commence-Commissioner Maxwell filed a con- ment address for the Statesville high

## Wilmington than for Raleigh, Dur- PRESIDENT HARDING HAS GOOD NEWS FOR FARMERS

## Intimates Reduction of Freight Rates Will Be Considered

WASHINGTON, April 21 .- Delegates to the national farmers' union convention here were received on the south lawn at the white house by President Harding who promised to give in March, Mr. Biley said, and if he has the opinion of officials connected with "serious consideration" to their sug. gone to Russia the question is how he the commission. The 50 counties which gestion that a conference of representa- obtain his passport or how he left the have already performed operations on tives of the labor board, capital, the United States. basic industries and the railway executives be called to consider means for GUILFORD SUCCUMBS TO reduction of freight rase. The President said the suggestion was deserving of sincere thought.

The delegates were accompanied to the white house by several senators and riso in the order concerning pre-pay representatives and Senator Capper, Republican, Kansas, especially addressed the President regarding the conference. In presenting a memorial outlining their views to the President, favorable, as a saving of 30 cents on the farmers said they were eager to sized torrent of hits off shore in the will not amount to a great deal in the he thousand feet is an item that will work with other industries for the so- first ining today and with 4 earned aggregate, but the heavier cuts of some ermit a tidy little saving by users of lution of the rate question in order runs off of 5 clean hits sewed up the counties, if allowed to stand, will put

# OPPONENT IN FOOT RACE SWINDLERS WILL GO BACK

as they did a year ago. These will be devil, for 30 minutes without either lan, Jr., will be the next president and land the port would never have been scored on. as they did a year ago. These will be devil, for 30 minutes without either lan, Jr., will be the next president and land the land that he is willing to meet diamapolis in connection with an attate Senator E. Lee Trinkle, of Wythetempt of alleged swindlers at Huntslike, his opponent for the Democratic ville to fleece Marshall Hinchman, of
the Senator E. Lee Trinkle, of Wythetempt of alleged swindlers at Huntslisted over again this coming May, and
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that R. F. Walker will be re-elected
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Shore's single scored Newlin, who had around three hundred million dollars. challenge in speeches in Mecklenburg ing been set for May 9 before Kenneth reached first on an error in the second That may be a little high, but it is is booked to appear on the local mat Charlton, United States commissioner. and Newlin's infield hit and H. Shores only 33 per cent less than the total some time next week. However, the out today, charging use of the mails added the second Guilford run. Both to defraud and conspiracy to use the infields worked smoothly. Lefty Wil- tion that the high priced stocks of to- the match will be announced later. mail for fraudlent purposes. Bond son featured with a shoe string catch bacco and cotton goods are included in was fixed at \$5,000 in each case.

A. J. Conway was arrested in Huntsville and transferred to Birmingham Guilford .........010 010 000-2 5 2 storm the Washington and simultaneously postoffice inspec- Carolina .........400 000 000-4 9 2 tors caused the arrests of George napolis and J. J. Huntington, allias Morris; umpire Legrande. "Hoosier Kid," James J. Crawford, alias Blair and a man named Cramer, BUGG'S COUNSEL COMMENTS alias John Hayes.

According to Ralph Quinn, assistant United States attorney, these men with Conway, who is now in the Jefferson county jail, will be tried in Birmingthe grand jury in the Northern dis-

iting in committee of the whole, had ly firm although somewhat small. Sales 5% to 6%, mostly 5% to 6%, mostl the total each nationality registered Fifteen New York, 4 Philadelphia, fix the wages of the railway company

Desented satisfactory proof of their Washington, Missionaries 8 to 8½, employes have agreed on the wages."

idmissibility to immigration officials. poorer 5½ to 6; crate; Buffalo 23 cars

HARRISON RE-ELECTED Carolinas and one Louisiana on New York Market this morning.

Wolfe, of Cleveland, in the fifth round Other officers chosen were A. C. By- today by defeating Arthur Howard, 125 money would go to the bureau's of a scheduled five-round bout here ers, firelsonburg, vice-president, and to 0, won his 200th consecutive game, lical and hospital service.

Wolfe, of Cleveland, in the little five-round bout here ers, firelsonburg, vice-president, and to 0, won his 200th consecutive game, lical and hospital service.

tional Poilus for the Forces in Germany

PARIS, April 21 .- One hundred thousand French troops in addition to those now on the Rhine, are provided for in the plan elaborated by the military and civil commission. There now are 80,000 French troops

maintainence of which is 44,000,000

francs monthly. The allied plan provides that a cer-

The plan also provides for a 40 per first primary that the re-entry of Mr. terial the value of which will be placed to the credit of Germany in the repa-

Laliberte says it is expected the pro- ranging from 10 to 60 per cent.

Washington On Lookout for I. W. W. Leader Who Has Failed to Appear for Trial

WASHINGTON, April 21 .- The department of justice is without advice. all the rates except those applicable to Wilmington, Elizabeth City, Oxford and Henderson. "I can find no justification for the rates for the three latter cities higher than the rates named ter cities higher than the rates named for Goldsboro, New Bern and Washington," declares Mr. Maxwell. "And or so.

The governor is still ill and has not been to the executive offices since Monday when he started to Greensboro, as to the present whereabouts of Wilh liam D. Haywood, secretary of the liam D. Haywood, secretary of the liam D. Haywood, secretary of the liam D. Haywood, who dustrial workers of the World, who have to adjust these values of the bare and the tax commission will be no inequalities as between the different counties.

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The new commission is apparent that the counties which have as to the present whereabouts of Wilh liam D. Haywood, secretary of the dicate, however, Mr. Baley added, that Col. A. D. Watts, in the city today, lad. he is in Russia, possibly at Riga or

As Haywood has until Monday to turn himself over to the authorities to sonal notice of the work until he has begin serving his sentence after the been officially sworn in. Likewise, he recent disposition of his case by the Supreme court, Mr. Balley said, the de- ments, but there are many who would partment could not take steps to apprehend him until then. If Haywood does not show up Monday, he said, the department would use every means it

commands to effect his return. Haywood was last seen in New York

# TAR HEELS' ONSLAUGHT

Five Hits in First Frame Result in Four Runs and Turns Trick

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., April 21 .-Carolina broke loose with a small property values of the state as a whole TO ALABAMA FOR TRIAL

The standing Liewellyn, pitching his from taxation worries that the advofirst game since he sprained his ankle BIRMINGHAM, Ala., April 21.—The three weeks ago, cut loose with a cates thought it would. Warrants for the men were sworn sacrifice fly sandwiched by an error, valuation of this type of property last name of his opponent is not now of a hard liner.

The score:

mingham and Atlantic railroad, was ject to taxation in North Carolina. The cussed; the Atlantic Coast Line and ham or in Huntsville, as indictments out of the city, but his counsel, Mor- companies do not try to avoid this the Norfolk Southern railroad comagainst them will be sought before riss Brandon, issued a statement on taxation, though they love to pay taxes panies were severely condemned for the the ruling of the labor board today. no more than anyone else, but the ship- poor service accorded the traveling are expected to arrive at Bolling field Miss Clara Cudaby and Mrs. W. P. if Judge Sibley had not fixed the natural process, for May is the end of The express company was scored se-CHADBOURN, April 21.—Strawber- wages of the employes the railroad the selling season and the accumulative verely for the manner in which it would not be operating today. The ted stocks of tobacco bought during handles perishable matter, especially

HARRISON BE-ELECTED ROANOKE, Va., April 21 .- Fairfax KRAMER SCORES O. K.

CLEVELAND, April 21.—Danny Kraident of the Virginia Herford Cattle
mer, of Philadelphia, knocked out Jack
Wolfe, of Cleveland, in the fifth round

Marrison, president of the Southern
railway, tonight was re-elected president of the Virginia Herford Cattle
association in session here.

Other officers observed.

Violent Construction of the L. C. Commission Will Also Look Winning Municipal Candidates Into Propriety of Making Change Part Service Rate

## MORE REPORTS IN

Law Is Required

Over Then

Ten Counties Leave Values as They Were: Cuts of Others Average 10 to 60 Per Cent

By JULE B. WARREN RALEIGH, April 21 .- If any more counties make a horizontal cut in their tax values they will have to get special permission from the new tax commission, and that permission can be given only by a violent construction of the law. The machinery bill carrying the value cutting provisions requires all counties desiring to make horizontal cuts in their values to do so on the first Monday in April and to report

these cuts to the commission not later than April 20. In addition to the 44 counties which had reported up to the time the story in connection with this was carried in According to Laliberte, supervision this correspondence Sunday morning, 10 were, and the other 44 had made cuts

The average reduction of the 4 counties reporting is 21.63 per cent. Presuming that the other 44 countles. which have not yet reported intend to make no cut the average reduction for the state is 11.68. That figure, however, is subject to change for some of the counties which have not made a reduction will go over the whole valua-tion by individual owners and re-list the whole property valuations in their counties This may be done between now and July, in which month the work must be completed and the final report urned over to the tax commission.

A large number of the countles plate no general change in their tax sidered that the majority of the 44 counties not yet reporting will make no changes at all, the conclusion is ap-

nothing to say about the whole business. He is not yet an official of the declares he has authorized no appointserve under him.

Average Drops Even when all of the countles have reported to the tax commission the average cut in tax values will show the tax values show about 25 per cent reduction on the average. The counties which made the largest reductions or which are likely to make the larger cuts, were among the first to report. The commission does not believe the reports from the remaining fifty counties will show such heavy reductions. and that the average will be decreased rather than increased.

The 15 per cent reduction in

The personal property tax values year. When it is taken into considera- known, but his name and the date of the hands of the manufacturers at the WILSON DISCUSSES THE

R. H. E. listing time. The change of the date of listing property from January to May, a Battleries: Guilford, H. Shore and change made at the earnest solicitation. fore the special session of the general last Tuesday night, matters of imporassembly, will cause come of this loss. tance to the town and county were dis-January listing gets at least fifty mil- cussed and the association went on ON RULING OF LABOR BOARD lion dollars worth of tobacco in the record as favoring a finance to disburse MARINE PLANE AT FAYETTEVILLE ATLANTA, Ga. April 21.—Col. B. L. between January and May is shipped. The \$530,000 school bond issue to be Bugg, receiver for the Atlanta, Bir- out of the state and hence is not sub- voted on in May was thoroughly dis- ed the trail blazing round trip to St. sent east for burial. "If the receiver had relied on the ment of the tobacco to Virginia and public and for the inadequate proteclabor board", said Mr. Brandon, "and other manufacturing points is but the tion to life and limb at grade crossings.

B. Harrell, O. B. Harrell, Guy Harrell If will be reopened, it was asserted. and Paul Gray.

WASHINGTON, April 21.-Rules and Va., are to be investigated with a view to prescribing such rules as may be necessary, the Interstate Commerce commission announced today. commission will also inquire into the propriety of making international changes a part of the whole service rate established by the carriers

The investigation, the date of which the commission has not yet announced, will be made as the result of numerous complaints made by the railroads. Ports included in the investigation will be Norfolk, Va.; Charleston, S. C.; Savannah, Ga.; Mobile, Ala.; Pensacola, Fla.: New Orleans and Galveston,

Apathy Has Been the Rule for president of the club, could not resist Many Years, But Women Wake Things Up

(Special to The Star)

year, and they are not indifferent.

Desiring a clean town in every sense were the first to get their reports to every section of the town, the Demothe school building Monday afternoon, mington. and indorsed a ticket composed of the sentiments of practically every woman of Rotary, "Service above self."

cations for mayor. of integrity, fairness of mind, sound celibates remaining in the club that who, it is believed, will stand for a the married life."

## ROMANOFF AWAY OFF AND meeting yesterday and following the KID ELLIS WINS CONTEST

Brute Force Prevails in Main; Weight Gets Hiram a Draw

"Kid" Ellis won from Romanoff in the wrestling contest at the Academy Romanoff twice in succession. Ellis gained the first fall with a full body hold, the second through use of the body scissors. Romanoff, very much Man," in that every time Ellis would get him in a good hold, he would grunt | Walker and E. M. Berry, the executive that "commerce and business may game. Shore tightened up after the again assume their normal business.

game. Shore tightened up after the first inning and, although the Tar had to solve. In the opinion of the strength, but the brute force of Ellis, appeared to possess some brute organization next Tuesday. This was

A fast and snappy preliminary was secured two deadly Frank Gotch toe "Pink" Gardner, Schenectady, N. Y.

## SCHOOL BOND ISSUE

WILSON, April 21.—At a meeting of

Dassage.

One amendment adopted would perthis allies suffering religious persecuthe appropriation of \$2.2 to 25; best to 25; best to 35; poorer 25; Missionaries an indictment charging market 25 to 11 need it nad no jurisdiction. If the labor board had no jurisdiction to fix the wages of the employes of the railway company, it certainly has none way company of \$40,000, taking the available funds of \$40,000, taki by the 1919 census, and would be in 1 Newark, 1 Potomac; total 21.

\*\*Bleet for fourteen months from date of All states 66. Today's market 25 to labor board had no jurisdiction to fix nection with the lynching of Jim Ro- will take charge tomorrow, it was an-

> FORD TURNS TURTLE When his Ford touring car turned turtle yesterday afternoon on the Masonboro road, Mr. Siske was slightly MOBILE, April 21.—The annual con-injured. However, it was reported at vention of the Birmingham, New Or-James Walker Memorial hospital last leans and Atlanta districts of the night that his condition was not se- American Society of Mercantile Engirious, no bones having been broken. neers will convene here tomorrow

Get Glad Hand From Rotary; Nominations Are Made

Rotarians who are ordinarily ready charges made by railroads for wharf- for any surprise were thrown off their age, handling, storage and other extra props yesterday on going into the services at South Atlantic and Gulf room at the Y. M. C. A., where the ports at and south of Hampton Roads, weekly luncheon is usually held, only to find that no preparation had been nade for them.

After a few minutes delay, spent in wondering the why and wherefore of another dinnerless day, a procession Jim Cowan at the head and singing a Salem, for internal revenue commissong pledging their loyalty to the new sioner is a tribute to a good, clean mayor, the Rotarians marched into the record. gymnasium and found on their arrival there not only a table reaching the length of the gym, set and handsomely decorated, but also about sixty husky youngsters in line who belong to the boys' club directed by the Rotarians. Under the supervision of Rotarian Odis B. Hinnant, assisted by Raymond

their skill turning somersaults and vaulting much to their own amusement as well as that of their senior, but not much more sedate, spectators. Roger Moore, J. B. Rice, Jim Cowan and even the portly Carl Polvogt, dignified the returning urge of youth and entering into the sports with the boys, and perhaps today paying the penalty of using muscles too strenuously in trying to prove that a man is only a

boy grown up. It was very evident that the club WARSAW, April 21 .- Interest in the was doing all it could to show Jim town elections is being shown for the Cowan that it was proud of his triumph on Tuesday, and that it was equally first time in many years. Heretofore, desirous of pledging the guest of the almost anyone who would take the of- day, Kiwanian "Joe" Thompson, that fices could have them; but the women it will support him who holds the oney bags of the city for the next four years.

Joe Thompson, recently nominated as commissioner of finance, spoke in a values. The counties most interested of the word, as well as fair dealing to happy way over the good work of the Rotarians, and assured all present that he would do all in his power to ad-Jim Cowan was at his best in re-

> B. Hinmann, I. E. satterfield, A. B. pressed all with the conviction that he Baines, G. G. Best. Mrs. Faison Pierce, had placed his candidacy before the was so happy over such a condition that he was so happy over such a condition that he was so happy over such a condition that he was so happy over such a condition that he was so happy over such a condition make acted as secretary. Mrs. Wo which the office presented, He assured with the confirmed without manck made the nemination speech of his hearers that his motto in executing opposition. The anti-saloon league manck made the nomination speech of his hearers that his motto in executing young Mr. Stevens, and echoed the the duties of his office would be that present when she spoke of his qualifi- Louis Shrier, the most recent benedict of the club, was accorded a hearty The personnel of the town commis- reception by the Rotarians, and he was sioners indersed is composed of men allowed to make a plea to the few

business judgment, property owners they give up their bachelorhood for square deal to all", and administer The silver cup which was won for the town's affairs to the best of their attendance by the Wilmington club at the recent district conference held cers were elected as follows: n Norfolk was on exhibition at the motion of Rotarian Odis Hinnant, the cup was sent filled with flowers, furnished by Rotarian Will Render, to Rotarian Swift Boatwright, who was prevented from attending on account

of sickness. One of the communications dispatch ed yesterday was a letter to Rotarian Warren G. Harding thanking him for his message of congratulation which of Music last night. The "Kid" threw the clubs of the seventh district conference received.

From among W. D. MacMillan, Jr. Lawrence Sprunt, Jesse Roache, Ed. Hardin, Jim Post, Jim Huntington, E. resembled Joe Checkenshie, the "Wild L. White, J. L. Becton, C. W. Polvogt, Marsden Bellamy, Pat Riley, Dick wildly and wriggle out of the hold. committee from which Retary officers Romanoff showed some science and he will be elected at the meeting of the decided upon at the Rotary meetwho was heavier, and who also out- ing yesterday when the abovenamed members of the club were nominated. The executive committee will first be named and then this body will staged, with Joe Strain grappling elect the president and other officers.

## CARPENTIER ANNOUNCES PLACE TO TRAIN FOR MR. DEMPSY

PARIS, April 21,-(By Associated Press.)-Georges Carpentier, the Euopean champion, who is to start shortly for the United States to fight Jack Dempsy for the world's heavyweight grades on succeeding evenings, closing pugilistic championship, will have his training quarters at Long Beach, Long Island, instead of at Summit, N. J. Carpentier expects to be much cooler at the seashore than in the Orange moun Lloyd, alias G. W. Overton in India- Hayworth, Carolina, Ilewellyn and R. of the farmers who came enmasse be- the Wilson Merchants' association held tains during June. He also has wired Joe Jeannette, asking him to act as his chief sparring partner and adviser.

WASHINGTON, April 21. - Marine aviators who in two airplanes attempt-Thomas, Virgin islands, only to be turned back at Sante Domingo on account of bubonic plague at Porto Rico, under the care of physicians tonight. here tomorrow. They have covered 4.842 miles since their departure March 29. The aviators arrived at Fayetteville, N. C., today

from Daytona, Fla. HELD FOR EMBEZZLEMENT NORFOLK, Va., April 21. - Harold GEORGIA BANK CLOSES Gordon Blundin, president of the Com-GRAY, Ga., April 21.—The Bank of monwealth National Bank of Reedsville, before a receiver was appointed, but nent white men have been arrested on Gray, a state institution, closed its charged with embezzlement and misrested last night.

Blundin is a colonel on the staff of Gov. Westmoreland Davis. WILL CONVENE TODAY

Winston-Salem Man, Friend of Democrats and Republicans Alike, Draws Fine Job

## HIS RECORD CLEAN

Only Opponent Was Mr. McDermott, of West Virginia, Who Had No Chance in Senate

(Special to The Star) WASHINGTON, April 21 .- The nomwas formed with Rotarian Mayor-elect, ination of David H. Blair, of Winston-

Nobody was able to say anything against Mr. Blair, and he won when the other candidates engaged in flyblowing contests. At the outset the North Carolina man had no show, but his splendid backing, including lead-Padgett, the boys were soon showing ing business men of the state, made an impression on President Harding. and when it became apparent that it would be impossible to put J. H. Mc-Dermott, of West Virginia, through the senate for that job and serious objections would be made to other aspirants, Secretary Mellon and President Harding turned to the south for a man

without handicaps. The President's serious interest in Mr. Blair manifested itself Monday. when Major Stedman called to press Judge H. G. Copnor for the circuit judgeship. Just as Mr. Stedman started to leave the white house. President Harding asked him if he knew Mr. Blair, and Mr. Stedman told him that he had been his rival for congress and he was well acquainted with him, followed by a request from the President of Senator Simmons for informa tion about Mr. Blair. Mr. Simmons was able to make a good report on

him. cratic Women's club of Warsaw met in vance the interests of the city of Wil- Moorehead had already endorsed Mr. Blair, thereby giving him the support following: For mayor, H. L. Stevens; spending to the demand of his fellow of the North Carolina organization. I town commissioners: J. W. Quinn, E. Rotarians for a speech and he im- looked to President Harding as if the looked to President Harding as if the state was united for Mr. Blair, and he will give him its o. k. and he will soon

> DIOCESE AUXILIARY ELECTS OFFICERS AT WINSTON-SALEM

WINSTON-SALEM, April 21 .- Mrs. T. W. Bickett, of Raleigh, was chosen president of the woman's auxiliary of the North Carolina Diocese of the Episcopal church here today. Other offi-

Vice-president, Mrs. W. L. Hall, of Hillsboro; treasurer, Mrs. W. D. Burwell, of Henderson; secretary of educational department, Miss Ella Hall, of Charlotte; united offering custodian, Mrs. H. G. Cooper, Oxford; secretary department of social service, Mrs. J. C. West, Chapel Hill.

TRUCK AND AUTO COLLIDE A collision between a coupe, opertruck driven by a negro, caused considerable excitement at the intersection of Second and Chestnut streets yesterday afternoon, but none of the occupants of the coupe or the truck were injured. The fender and front wheel of the coupe were badly dam-

aged, but otherwise the damage to both auto and truck was slight. SEARCH FOR BROKER MIAMI, Fla., April 21. - Seaplanes and boats will leave Miami at daybreak tomorrow morning to search the waters between here and the Bahama islands for Webb Jay, wealthy Chicago broker, and party of four, who are believed to be missing at sea in the

little speed boat, Sue J. COMMENCEMENT AT WARSAW WARSAW, April 21. - Commencement exercises of the Warsaw school begins Sunday with the baccalaureate sermon at the Baptist church. The literary address will be delivered by Dr. Hamilton of the State university. Exercises by the primary grades will be Monday evening and by the other on the evening of April 29 with the

## FUNERAL SERVICES FOR CUDAHY SATURDAY MORNING

graduating exercises.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., April 21 .- Funeral services for John P. (Jack) Cudahy, who ended his life by shooting yesterday, will be held next Saturday morning, it was announced late today. The body probably will later be

Mrs. Edna C. Cudahy, the widow who broke down yesterday, remained Melhon, her husband's sisters, were with her.

FEAR PROLONGED STRIKE OF ENGLISH COAL MINERS

LONDON, April 21 .- Fears were a prolonged stoppage of work at the

At the conclusion of a meeting of the miners' executives today, Frank Hodges, secretary of the miners' union, said district reports all clearly indicated the men were standing firmly by the principles of the national wage board and a national

It is considered not unlikely that tomorrow's conference of miners' delegates will adjourn without reaching a decision. Meantime, the government appear; to be standing aside until the parties to the dispute are able to agree on some ba-

sis for a conference.