

JUNIUS BROWN FAVORS ANTI-K. K. K. MEASURE

17th District Senator Wants People to Keep Unmasked When Away From Home

FOR NEW TRAFFIC LAWS

Madison, Dec. 25.—Announcement that he would support legislation to make a person appearing off his premises disguised so as to destroy identity guilty of a misdemeanor...

made uniform in order that owners of motor vehicles may better understand them; that all vehicles operating upon the highways at night should be provided with lights...

"It is my belief that all cities and towns should have the same regulations with regard to the operation of motor vehicles in order to avoid confusion on the part of drivers. If this were done, no city in the state would have regulations and laws with which non-residents would not be familiar..."

Annual Sandhill Ball To Be Held At Courthouse Tonight

Carthage, Dec. 25.—The annual sandhill ball, heretofore held during the holidays at Pinehurst, will be held Friday evening, December 29th...

Basket ball tonight. "X" vs. Wake Forest. Y. M. C. A. Gym. 8:15—Advt.

SHIPPING BOARD SAVES BY CHANGE OF POLICY

Government Fleet Operators Will Handle Own Insurance After First of Year

LAWSUITS MAY RESULT

Washington, Dec. 25.—More than 50 per cent saving to the United States shipping board emergency fleet corporation in the overhead costs of handling claims for personal injury, sickness, damage to cargo...

Wants Medical College Free From "Entangling Alliances"

Hickory, Dec. 25.—"I favor a fully equipped medical college for the state, free from any entangling alliances, representative of W. A. Denton, of Catawba county declared today in announcing he will support during the next session of the general assembly a program of legislation designed to improve the educational system of North Carolina..."

ALAMANCE COUPLE WED

Miss Kathleen Sartin Becomes the Bride of C. Fred Blanchard. (Special to Daily News.) Burlington, Dec. 25.—A wedding that came as a delightful surprise to their many friends was solemnized on Monday December 25 at 3 o'clock in Burlington at the home of Rev. J. W. Holt when Miss Kathleen Sartin...

HICKORY T. P. A. POST HAS ANNUAL BANQUET

Lester Wolfe and A. M. Byrd Chief Speakers—Hickory Favors Proposed New Railroad. (Special to Daily News.) Hickory, Dec. 25.—With a large number of members and their wives present, the annual banquet of post K Travelers Protective Association, held here last night was featured by toasts by J. Lester Wolfe, of Charlotte, state president, and A. M. Byrd, of Charlotte, chairman of the legislative committee...

WEDDING AT CONCORD

Miss Hulah Rockett Becomes Bride of Dr. Orrestes P. Rein. Concord, Dec. 25.—A beautiful wedding took place at the home of R. L. Rockett in Concord Tuesday afternoon, December 25 at 4 o'clock, in which Miss Hulah Rockett became the bride of Dr. Orrestes P. Rein, of Lenoir college. Hickory. The ceremony was performed by Rev. George E. Menden, pastor of the Concordia Lutheran church...

TELLS CAUSE FOR THE HERMIT CRABS

Provide For and Secure Protection From Species With Whom They Live. (Correspondence Associated Press.) London, Dec. 11.—The mystery of the hermit crab, and the reason why he always lives with "messmates" of other species, has at last been cleared up. Dr. J. H. Orton, of the Plymouth marine biological laboratory, whose pet oyster became famous by revealing to science the power of the mollusc to change its sex, has studied the relationships of the common hermit crab to the anemone and certain aquatic worms which live communally with it...

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These woolen union suits are as soft as eider-down—they do not scratch or tickle—and because they are not coarse—in the course of a day we have three to ten calls.

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"The former shipping board believed it advantageous to enter into the American Steamship Owners Protective and Indemnity association, in order to build up this form of mutual marine insurance organization in America, whereas formerly all such organizations had been under British control. And moreover at that time the shipping board had its hands full with a construction program and the organization chafed growing out of the war pressure..."

"But now the American Steamship Owners association has expanded until it has entered upon its books more than 2,000,000 gross tons of privately owned shipping besides that belonging to the shipping board. And also, the shipping board has built up an organization within itself capable of handling much of the work that has been handled by the American Steamship Owners association. The new arrangement will do away with most of this duplication of effort."

"The withdrawal of the shipping board from the American Steamship Owners Protective and Indemnity association opens up a number of technical questions relating to the liability of the shipping board in connection with past transactions with the American Steamship Owners association. The shipping board believes itself entitled to large refunds on business handled by the association in the past. It is the intention of the shipping board to press these claims against the association so that in the final settlement an equitable adjustment may be made."

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Germany Explains Delay In Meeting Demands For Timber

Berlin, Dec. 25.—Germany's delay in meeting the entente's demands for timber was due mainly to the date on which the government received specific notification of the allies' requirements, according to an explanation issued today by the German minister of commerce. The commission asks an extension of time to the first of April. The majority of the demands, the commission declares, were received only on March 21, and these for England on April 20. This resulted in delay in the contract deliveries and compelled purchases in the open market. Moreover, the sudden depreciation of the mark in June upset the government's calculations. Nevertheless, up to November 15, the demands for Belgium and France were completely fulfilled, and promises are made that England will receive a large delivery before the end of the present year.

Canadian Indians Want Home Rule For Country

Montreal, Dec. 25.—A demand for home rule similar to that enjoyed by Ireland and expression of a hope that the present treaty might be smoothed without bloodshed were included in a letter sent today by the chiefs of the Caughnawaga Indian tribe to Minister of Indian Affairs Stewart. Discussing the representations made to the government after a pow wow of the chiefs, one of the older Indian leaders declared that the right of self-government was given to the Caughnawagas by treaty with Great Britain. "We are willing to live peacefully in Canada," he said, "but if Ireland can have independence, so can we."

In the course of the letter to the government the chiefs stated that parts of the Indian act were used by the Canadian government to acquire Indian property for nothing and that they had witnesses who could prove that the Indians were deceived when the law was drafted.

Mrs. Mitchell Is Dead. Washington, Dec. 27.—Mrs. Harriet D. Mitchell, widow of former Senator John L. Mitchell, of Wisconsin, died suddenly today at the latter's residence after an attack of heart disease. General Mitchell left this afternoon with the body for Milwaukee, Wis., the home of his mother, where interment will be made.

Davis Favors "Saving Wage" New York, Dec. 25.—A saving wage as opposed to a living wage was advocated today by Secretary of Labor Davis, speaking today before the Advertising Club of New York. The more living wage would eventually mean that the nation's industry, he said, emphasizing the importance of strong propaganda for the use of the saving wage as the basis of American industrial relations.

Strike Is Averted Cleveland, Dec. 25.—A general strike in the women's garment industry has been averted by the signing of the "Cleveland plan" agreement between the Cleveland garment manufacturers association and the Ladies Garment Workers union. It was announced today. Three thousand workers are affected by the agreement, which runs a year beginning December 21, and perhaps indefinitely.

Driven From Homes by Fire. Erie, Pa., Dec. 25.—Seven families were driven from their homes by a fire which destroyed the Erie theater building today and spread to the three-story Zuck building adjoining. Every available piece of the fire department equipment was battling the flames in the midst of one of the worst street storms in years, which demoralized transportation and which put several fire alarm circuits out of order.

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ONE-HALF PRICE Today and Saturday— A Clearance of Holiday Merchandise. Articles on sale will be found on Main Floor Aisle tables, also on tables in House Furnishing Department. Look for the reduced tags. Among the items you will find: 65 Dozen Men's and Women's Handkerchiefs Half Off Regular Price. 10 Ivory Toilet and Manicure Sets Half Off Regular Price. 76 Boxes Holiday Stationery Half Off Regular Price. One Lot Of Novelty Hand-Painted Baskets Half Off Regular Price. 300 Pieces Novelty Leather Goods Half Off Regular Price. 60 Attractive Hand-Painted Serving Trays Half Off Regular Price. ON SALE IN NEW ANNEX AT HALF PRICE.

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Our First Reduction Sale of Women's and Misses' Winter Coats offers exceptional values in stylish Coats of lovely materials and now reduced to \$19.50, \$29.50, \$49.50, \$69.50. Every coat in our regular stock has been reduced for this sale, and in addition there are many new coats which have just arrived in time for this sale. The diversity of materials is extensive—including Velours, Bolivia, Normandy, Fashiona, Lustrosa and Gerona. The colors are navy, black and brown; sizes 14 to 44. Save Yellow Trading Stamps They're Valuable. New Store Hours: Open at 9 Close at 6 Saturdays at 7.

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