

VIEWS OF CHARLOTTE IN FRENZIED THROES OF THE PEACE CELEBRATION



MUSICAL TREAT COMES TONIGHT

Paris Symphony Orchestra at the Auditorium. Patriotic Concert on Tri-Color Day and Event of Uniquely Timely Importance.

MAJ. DUPONT SENDS REGRETS. Camp Logan, Tex., Nov. 11. The Charlotte Observer, Charlotte, N. C.: I deeply regret not to be with you for celebration of this glorious day and reception of French orchestra. MAJOR DUPONT.

The coming of the great Paris Symphony orchestra for a patriotic concert in the Auditorium this evening is an event of uniquely timely importance.

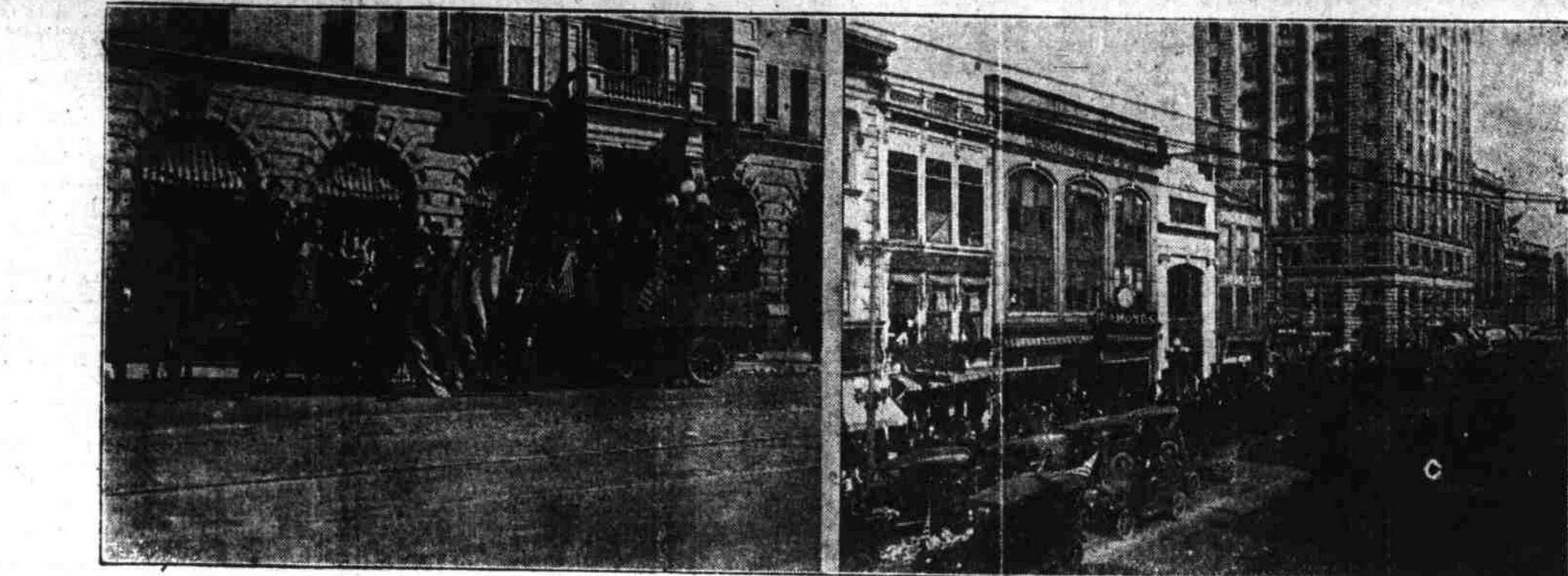
The tour of America by France's premier orchestra was planned many months ago and the date originally assigned for the Charlotte concert was Monday, October 21. Then the influenza epidemic intervened and the tour of this section of the country had of necessity to be postponed. Later, today, November 12, was scheduled.

Dimly within the hopes of the arrangers but practically beyond their expectations, peace has come to a war-weary world on the very eve of the date set for Charlotte's entertainment of these distinguished French musicians.

There is scarcely a musical organization in the world which could more fittingly or more inspiringly help Charlotte celebrate the gladdest news for generations and the concert at the Auditorium this evening will doubtless from a glorious climax to thirty-six hours of epoch making celebration.

Upon the arrival of the orchestra this morning, they will be met by a committee representing the city of Charlotte and the Charlotte Music Festival association who will see to it that the city's hospitality is extended in most liberal fashion. A luncheon will be served at the chamber of commerce and in the evening before the concert a dinner at the Manufacturers' club. Between these two

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BY LEAKE CARRAWAY.

"Der Tag." The day. For years and years Wilhelm, who once was emperor of the Germans, has talked of "the day," when he would celebrate his accession to the domination of the world.

Yesterday Charlotte assisted in celebrating "the day" when kaiserism took its place in the discard, and the scenes of the streets were beyond description.

"Hog wild" are the two words in the English language which most adequately describe the frame of mind in which Charlotte woke Monday. And throughout the day and well into the night this particular brand of insanity

events the members of the orchestra will visit Camp Greene where they will be officially received by Colonel Macomb and his staff, and there will follow this an extended eight-seater tour by automobile over the city.

The advance sale of tickets has been very gratifying and all indications point to a representative audience at the Auditorium this evening. On account of the patriotic nature of the concert, it was announced yesterday that it had been decided to set apart a section of the auditorium for the colored people and that Dr. Long, of Biddle university, would have charge of these seats. Those desiring them should communicate with Dr. Long, it was stated officially.

WILSON RIDES THROUGH MERRY-MAKING THROGS

Washington, Nov. 11.—In the midst of Washington's peace celebration to night, President Wilson with Mrs. Wilson seated beside him, drove down Pennsylvania avenue through throngs of shouting merry-makers. He was recognized by few.

held sway. At Independence Square, that spot hallowed by the blood of countless patriots who fell at Kings Mountain, Cowpens, Guilford Courthouse and numberless other hard-fought fields, the activities of the public centered. Never a moment's respite did the traffic officers at this point have throughout the day. And to be frank about it, there was no use in trying to maintain order because there was no such word in the lexicon of hearts long wearied by the wait for the glad tidings from Europe.

In the group above, picture No. 1, made from the Central hotel balcony, shows a view of the Square, looking north into Tryon street, where much of the spectacular element of the

TEXT OF THE GERMAN ARMISTICE TERMS

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anxiety and misgivings. When peace is made, upon whose promises and engagements besides our own is it to rest?

Let us be perfectly frank with ourselves and admit that these questions cannot be satisfactorily answered now or at once. But the moral is not that there is little hope of an early answer that will suffice. It is only that we must be patient and helpful and mindful above all of the great hope and confidence that lie at the heart of what is taking place. Excesses accomplish nothing. Unhappy Russia has furnished abundant recent proof of that. Disorder immediately defeats itself. If excesses should occur, if disorder should for a time raise its head, a sober second thought will follow and a day of constructive action, if we help and do not hinder.

The present and all that it holds belongs to the nations and the peoples who preserve their self-control and the orderly processes of their governments; the future to those who prove themselves the true friends of mankind. To conquer with arms is to make only a temporary conquest; to conquer the world by earning its esteem is to make permanent conquest. I am confident that the nations that have learned the discipline of freedom and that have settled with self-possession to its ordered practice are now about to make conquest of world by the sheer power of example and of friendly helpfulness.

The peoples who have but just come out from under the yoke of arbitrary government and who are now coming at last into their freedom will never find the treasures of liberty they are in search of if they look for them by the light of the torch. They will find that every pathway that is stained with the blood of their own brothers leads to the wilderness, not to the sea of their hope. They are now face to face with their initial test. We must hold the light steadily until they find themselves. And in the meantime, if it be possible, we must establish a peace that will justly define their place among the nations, remove all fear of their neighbors and of their former masters, and enable them to live in security and contentment when they have set their own affairs in order. I, for one, do not doubt their purpose or their capacity. There are some happy signs that they know and will choose the way of self-control and peaceful accommodation. If they do, we shall put our aid at their disposal in every way that we can. If they do not, we must await with patience and sympathy the awakening and recovery that will assuredly come at last.

BAPTISTS OF WILMINGTON ASSOCIATION TO CONVENE

Special to The Observer. Wilmington, Nov. 11.—The Baptists of the Wilmington association will meet at Wrightboro church Thursday and Friday of this week, in annual session. There are 35 churches in the association, some of them among the largest and most important in the state; and numerous delegates are expected. They will be entertained by the people of the community, irrespective of denomination. On the program are Dr. John Jeter Hurt of the First church here; Rev. J. A. Sullivan, of Calvary Baptist church of the city; Rev. W. M. Higgins, Rev. E. L. Weston, Rev. A. D. Carter, Rev. A. L. Goodrich, Rev. J. H. Booth, C. E. McCullen, D. L. Gore and E. B. Joney, the last three being influential laymen.

spontaneous celebration was staged. At this corner hundreds of thousands of vehicles of every sort and description, from the handsome passenger car, through the whole gamut of motor-driven vehicles, to the country wagons drawn by mules who with wise eyes viewed the scene of the celebration of the victory of right over wrong.

In picture No. 2 is seen a view of the Square from window in the office of Dr. B. J. Witherspoon, in the Jordan building, looking down on the Square, and from this point could be seen perhaps the greatest activity of those who had for the day apparently taken leave of their senses.

Picture No. 3 shows a view of West Trade street, from the Square past the

Selwyn hotel, First Presbyterian church, and the Southern Manufacturers' club.

Picture No. 4 was taken on South Tryon street, looking across the Square, down North Tryon street, and gives but poor conception of the frenzy which reigned there during the entire day.

Picture No. 5 shows a big army truck, driven by a United States soldier, and a transfer wagon drawn by two mules, both loaded to the gunwales, with screaming, shouting, gesticulating men, women and children—but two of hundreds of such conveyances which dashed about the streets from 3 o'clock yesterday morning until press time last night.

At night no serious accident had been reported as a result of the enthusiasm which turned Charlotte topsy-turvy over night. A number of minor accidents scarcely worth the name, were reported but in no instance was there an injury to a single individual.

At times the fun so furious that it appeared that accidents of grave nature could not be avoided. But with a safety which could almost be spoken of as providential, they were escaped and the royal good will which prevailed during the day and night but added to the dramatic setting of the celebration which the people took into their own hands and proceeded, each one in his own way, without leadership, rhyme or reason.

Fallen for Freedom

SECTION NUMBER ONE. The following casualties in the army are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces: Killed in action 172, Died of wounds 42, Died of accident and other causes 42, Died of disease 118, Wounded (degree undetermined) 107, Wounded slightly 85, Missing in action 110.

Total 611. The following North and South Carolinians are included: Corp. Greer, Edmond B., Lenoir, N. C.; Pvt. Allen, Beverly M., Raleigh, N. C.; Pvt. Grant, George E., Liberty, S. C.; Pvt. Hopper, Barney H., Forest City, N. C.; Pvt. Demerson, Henry F., Brookford, N. C.; Pvt. Hayes, Samuel E., Jr., E. D. 1, Whiteville, S. C.; Pvt. Bay, Walter E., Elk Park, N. C.; Pvt. Robbins, William E., Wilson, N. C.

N. C. WOUNDED (DEGREE UNDETERMINED) Pvt. Austin, Lemuel G., Marion, N. C.; Pvt. McKnight, John W., Dalton, N. C.; Corp. Osbourne, Robt. P., E. D. 1, Wallburg, N. C.; Pvt. Sutton, James M., Gibsonville, N. C.

SECTION NUMBER TWO. The following casualties in the army are reported by the commanding general of the American expeditionary forces: Killed in action 179, Died of disease 101, Wounded slightly 110, Missing in action 30.

Total 440. The following North and South Carolinians are included: KILLED IN ACTION: Corp. White, Oscar W., Edenton, N. C.; Pvt. Martin, Ernest F., Mount Airy, N. C.; Pvt. McMillan, Charles G., Raeford, N. C.; Pvt. Bidgley, James R., Campobello, S. C.; Pvt. Wash, Thomas L., E. D. 1, Boomer, N. C. DIED OF DISEASE: Cook Howell, Arthur R., Thomasville, N. C.; Pvt. Baker, Robert, Meadwell, N. C.; Pvt. Bowen, Robert, Home Path, S. C.

NEGRO SOLDIER CUT UP IN NEAR RIOT

A negro soldier was badly cut up by a fellow-soldier of ebony hue during a small riot which occurred at a negro dance in a hall at the corner of Second and Caldwell streets about 10 o'clock last evening. A negro soldier was locked up as the injured man's assailant although he strongly proclaimed his innocence.

Two emergency riot calls were telephoned to police headquarters asking for aid from the manager of the dance hall but as all civilian police and military police were on other duty at the time it was nearly a half hour before enough M. P.s could be mustered to break up the melee. The injured soldier was hurried to the base hospital where his wounds were dressed.

TO RELAX RESTRICTIONS.

Washington, Nov. 11.—Slight relaxation of restrictions on non-war building, may be expected almost immediately. Priorities Commissioner E. B. Parker, of the war industries board, said tonight.

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