

THE SYNOD'S SECOND DAY

TWO SESSIONS BEING HELD

Much time is taken up by discussion as to the Church's Beneficiary Students. The Finance Committee is being organized. The Finance Committee is being organized. The Finance Committee is being organized.

China Grove, April 30.—In the historic Lutheran church known as Luther's chapel, about one mile from China Grove, the Evangelical Lutheran Synod of North Carolina is holding its one hundred and fifth annual meeting.

The reports of committees and the transaction of other minute business occupied the remainder of the morning session. Synod adjourned with prayer at 12 o'clock for dinner.

Rev. George H. Cox, D. D., who retired from the presidency of Synod at the beginning of this meeting, is one of the best known and one of the ablest Lutheran ministers in North Carolina.

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DAVIDSON'S COMMENCEMENT

Programme Shows a Splendid Corps of Speakers, Including: President Edwin A. Alderman...

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THE SUNDAY CIVIL BILL

Mr. Townsend's Amendment Providing For Enforcement of Hepburn Act is Adopted by a Majority of Five.—An increase from \$50,000 to \$300,000.

Washington, April 30.—When consideration of the Sunday civil appropriation bill was resumed by the House to-day, sitting as a committee of the whole, the amendment proposed by Mr. Townsend, Mich., to increase from \$50,000 to \$300,000 the appropriation to enable the Interstate Commerce commission to examine into and make public the accounts of interstate railroads, and authorizing the employment of special examiners for that purpose, was taken up.

Mr. Townsend quoted from a message from the President in which the Executive said that failure to make appropriation for carrying out the publicity clause of the Hepburn act would be to attack the law in its most vital point and give relief to those corrupt corporations which the law was intended to reach.

Mr. Townsend said that refusal by Congress to provide for the expense of examining the accounts of the railroads would be tantamount to an informal repudiation and repeal of the law itself.

Mr. Tawney, chairman of the appropriations committee, complained that Mr. Townsend was misrepresenting the action of that committee in cutting the original estimate for this work from \$750,000 to \$50,000 and placing the committee's move in a false light. The intention was denied by Mr. Townsend.

Mr. Tawney declared that if it required an army of examiners and detectives and special agents to enforce the publicity clause of the commerce act, then that clause was a complete failure. He said the Interstate Commerce commission had already reported that the accounts of the railroads shall be kept.

Debate proceeded under the five minute rule until 2:35 o'clock when the amendment was taken up and passed by a division vote of 73 to 55. On subsequent vote by tellers, demanded by Mr. Tawney, 88 voted in the affirmative and 73 in the negative, so the amendment was adopted by a majority of 15.

LEOPARDS ESCAPE FROM ZOO.

Jump Barrier and Land Among the Audience—Police Prevent a Panic—Boy Boldly Claved About the Face and Neck.

Baltimore, April 30.—During the performance at the Zoo to-night two leopards jumped the barrier, landing among the audience. A boy, named Long, was badly clawed about the face and neck and a panic that would almost certainly have meant the loss of many lives was averted by the prompt action of Police Sergeant Barranger in closing the exit door and allowing only one or two of the terrified people to descend the stairs at a time. There were several hundred persons in the audience when seven leopards were sent into the arena, which is surrounded by high steel bars, to go through their performance.

One of the leopards is said to have been irritated by Long, who was close to the cage. This leopard scrambled over the top of the cage and clawed Long savagely. A second leopard got loose and dashed down the stairway to the office and Sergeant Barranger slammed the door. The police locked the doors and held in the terror stricken crowd until danger of panic was past. The leopards were captured by trainers and returned to their cages.

RESUMES COMMAND TUESDAY.

Admiral Evans Will Take Charge of the Fleet Tuesday as He Leaves For Golden Gate.

Santa Barbara, Cal., April 30.—The Atlantic battleship fleet sailed this morning at 6 o'clock for Monterey, where anchors will be dropped to-morrow at 7 a. m.

After one day at Monterey the two squadrons of the fleet will separate, the eight ships of the first squadron steaming across the bay to Santa Cruz for a three-day stay. They will be joined at Santa Cruz by the second squadron on May 4th, in order that the entire fleet may be there for 24 hours, as will be the case at Monterey. Then on May 5th Admiral Evans will resume command as the fleet is about to leave Santa Cruz for the Golden Gate.

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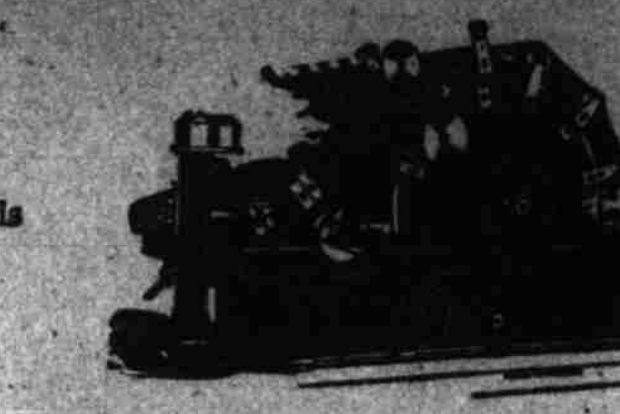
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2:30 a. m. No. 23, daily, for Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Pullman drawing room sleepers to Augusta and Jacksonville. Day coaches to Jacksonville.

3:30 a. m. No. 8, daily, for Richmond and local points.

4:30 a. m. No. 44, daily, for Washington and points North. Day coaches Charlotte to Washington.

5:30 a. m. No. 35, daily, for Columbia and local points.

6:30 a. m. No. 14, daily except Sunday for Seneca and local points. Connecting at Stateville for Asheville, Knoxville and Chattanooga.

7:15 a. m. No. 23, daily, for Atlanta. Day coaches Charlotte to Atlanta. Stops at principal points en route.

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