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NATIONAL BOWLING TOURNAMENT PROPOSED

Asheville Is Likely to Be Represented on North Carolina Team.

Following the suggestion of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender company of Chicago, Secretary H. E. Barlow of the state bowling tournament that is now in progress between six Y. M. C. A. teams in this state, has announced that a picked team will be selected to participate in a national tournament.

There are now state tournaments in progress in this state, New York, Ohio, Illinois, Kansas and Iowa, and it is the idea of the E. A. Hungerford, president of the Brunswick-Balke-Collender company to have each state pick a team at the conclusion of the tournaments now in progress and have these bowl for the national Y. M. C. A. championship. Scores of the teams will be telegraphed to the Illinois

team, which will be the most centrally located. Asheville will of course strive to have the local team represented on the state team from North Carolina, and it is highly probable that the local team will be represented, as Asheville is now leading the other five teams in the state in point of scores made.

BROOKLYN TENEMENTS BURNS; ONE BOY DEAD

New York, Feb. 1.—Fire wrecked five double tenement houses in the Bay Ridge section of Brooklyn Saturday, resulting in the death of William Schmecker, seven years of age, who was burned in his bed. Thirty families were rendered homeless.

LAWSON CONTINUES HIS TESTIMONY IN INQUIRY

New York, Jan. 30.—John R. Lawson, of the United Mine Workers of America, who denounced conditions in the Colorado mining camps in his testimony before the Federal industrial relations commission inquiry yesterday and sharply arraigned John D. Rockefeller for his failure to inform himself as to conditions there, resumed his testimony before the commission today.

BRYAN ADVOCATES THE GOLDEN RULE

Speaks Before Social Service Conference in Session in Raleigh.

Raleigh, Feb. 1.—The Golden Rule, as a guide in the dealings between men—both national and international—was advocated by Secretary Bryan Saturday in an address before the North Carolina Conference on Social Service. Men must have a clear conception of their duty before they can work to the best advantage, Secretary Bryan said.

Secretary Bryan touched briefly on the liquor question, and declared that the health of the country was of more importance than all our natural resources. He declared, in dealing with the child labor question, that no state, individual or community had a right to deny any child the right to play and study, and insisted that the punishment of any person who denied this right should be drastic.

During his speech today, Mr. Bryan wore for the first time a skull-cap made by a little Tennessee girl. Secretary Bryan addresses the North Carolina general assembly this afternoon.

NEGRO NURSE OF WAR OF STATES IS DEAD

New Albany, Ind., Jan. 30.—Lucy Nichols, said to be the only negro woman to be given a membership in the Grand Army of the Republic and pensioned for her services as a nurse during the war of the states died here yesterday. She joined the Twenty-third Indiana regiment in Tennessee in 1869.

HEAVY FIRE FACED BY EMPEROR WILLIAM

Berlin, Feb. 1.—(By way of London.)—The correspondence agency of Berlin asserts that it learns from dependable sources that Emperor William stood in the heavy fire during the battle of Bolsonas and only after the insistence of his entourage would he retreat. After remaining where he was a long time, to leave for a safer place.

NEW EQUIPMENT FOR DEPARTMENT

Local Firemen Receive New Devices That Greatly Add to the Department.

The Asheville fire department has just received part of the new equipment recently ordered for the department, which with the equipment now on hand and the remainder to come within the next few days, will place the local department in the front ranks of any of the departments of the country. Asheville has every equipment that any department of the state has and can boast of many new features which other departments in this state do not have.

Saturday an Eastman deluge set was received, the set being the very latest thing in use by the big metropolitan companies to fight the largest fires. The set consists of a 15-foot hose, with connections on one end for three, two and one-half inch hose connections. On the other end, the nozzle rests on a tripod about three feet high, which is arranged so as to throw one, two or three streams. This nozzle can be made stationary or it can be unhooked and taken up a ladder where the firemen can play it on a fire. There are five different nozzles, each of a different size and it is figured that with the heavy pressure on the local fire plugs that a stream coming from the nozzle which is fed by three lines of hose will soon knock out a fire of any size.

In the equipment received is also a hose clamp, which will be used to cut off the water without having to go back to the line. To arrive within the next few days is a Baker cellar pipe, which will be used to fight fires in basements. This arrangement is entirely new and has only been used a short time by the biggest fire departments in the United States. Tests will be made some time soon by the firemen when the actual working of the equipment will be watched with interest by the members of the local department.

PRESIDENT WILSON WAS ONLY JOKING

President's Statement About Visiting Battleground Explained to Gallinger.

Gazette-News Bureau Wyatt Building Washington, Jan. 30.

Senator Gallinger of New Hampshire has taken the occasion to refer to President Wilson's declaration of an invitation to Gullford battleground in July. He was speaking against the ship purchase bill. He said:

"One of the leading generals of Washington's army, a man who distinguished himself on all of the battlefields of the revolution, a man whose name has gone down in history as one of the greatest heroes this country ever produced, is to have a monument erected to his memory at Gullford, and the president of the United States will not attend that dedication because he is afraid it will be an unneutral act. Unneutral to whom? To England, of course, what other country would find fault?"

"If that is a proper attitude for the president to take, we will have the flag on the White House and on this capitol hauled down on the Fourth of July. They ought to be hauled down."

"I shall await with a great deal of interest a denial of this dispatch. The dispatch says that the president's decision, together with the reason he gave, caused surprise and disappointment in North Carolina. I should think it would."

Senator Overman told Senator Gallinger that President Wilson was joking about an "unneutral act." He said everybody laughed when he said it.

Senator Gallinger accepted the explanation.

If women do not wet the vote before her death, Mrs. Margaret Stockman of London is so framing her will that her son will be disinherited.

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