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READERS OF THE PATRIOT FAR AND NEAR.

New Baptist Pastor.-Rev. W. R. White, who comes to Greensboro from Campbellsburg, Ky., to take the pastorate of Asheboro Street Baptist church, will occupy his new pulpit Sunday for the first time.

In New Home.-Prof. Thomas R. Fouse, whose residence on West Lee street was almost destroyed by fire last Saturday, has rented a dwelling or South Mendenhail street and will occupy it until he rebuilds.

Hagan-Byrd.—Invitations have heen received to the approaching marriage of Mr. Kenneth Fry Hagan, of this city, and Miss Vera Byrd, of Enoree, S. C., the ceremony to take place in Columbia, S. C., December

Progress.—Satisfactory progress is being made in putting down the asphalt surface on the con-10 Greensboro and it is expected that the task will be completed before Cristmas.

Move to Mebane .- Rev. and Mrs. W. F. Kennett moved yesterday from Stokesdale to Mebane, where Mr. Kennett becomes pastor of the Methodist Protestant church. He has just concluded a pastorate of seven years

A "Forward" Dinner .- The Chamber of Commerce is arranging to give what is to be known as a "Forward Greensboro" dinner at the Y. M. C. A. Monday evening, this being part membership and otherswise strengthening the Chamber of Commerce. The dinner will be served at the rate of \$1 a plate.

Mrs. Pitts Dead.—Mrs. Emma Pitts died Tuesday morning at her home hear Guilford College, following an vears old and is survived by her husters and three sons. The funeral and interment took place yesterday afternoon at Deep River church, the services being conducted by Rev. Albert | C. W. Gold and S. M. Bumpass,

Engagement Announced .- The engagement of Miss Mary Blackburn, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Blackburn, of this city, and Mr. William Andrew Balsley, of Reidsville, onstration work in Guilford. has been announced, the wedding to take place early in January. Mr. Balsley is a son of the late Dr. Turner Balsley, of Reidsville, and a ne-

Greeks Return Home.—Two young members of Greensboro's Greek colony-James Coutolas and George Katsodas-will leave in a day or two for New York, from which place they will sail for their native land to offer their services to their king and country in this time of stress. It is said that other Greeks in Greensboro will probably return home soon to past 12 months. enlist in the Greek army.

Had Relatives Here.—Capt. Samuel L. Lineberry, a retired railroad conductor, who had a number of relatives in Guilford county, died Sunday at the home of his son, Mr. Albert A. Lineberry, in Lexington, with whom he had resided since retiring from the railroad service about 18 months ago. He was 64 years old and a brother of Mrs. H. B. Owen and Messrs. J. A., M. A., C. C. and J. A. Lineberry, of this county.

Hobgood, Jr., who spent some time man, W. A. Allred, J. W. Bloxton, S. in a hospital in Charlotte following her return from Cheyenne, Wyo. where she was taken seriously ill a few weeks ago, has returned Greensboro and is stopping with her sister, Mrs. R. G. Sloan. She has recovered from her illness, but does not expect to return to Wyoming, where her husband is engaged in special work for the United States department of justice.

College Student Dead.—Miss Ava Lee Lyon, a member of the senior class at the State Normal and Industrial College, died Tuesday morning at St. Leo's hospital, following an operation for appendicitis she underwent three weeks ago. Her mother had been at her bedside during her illness and a sister and an uncle arrived a few hours before the end came. The body was carried yesterday to the home of the family at Lyon, Granville county, for the funeral and interment. The bereaved relatives were accompanied by President Foust, of the Normal College. | county institutions during the month, | pital. Twenty visits to hospital."

MATTERS OF INTEREST . THE PROPOSITION OF JOHN A. YOUNG IS ACCEPTED BY COUNTY

AS AN EXPERIMENT.

The business of greatest public interest transacted by the county commissioners at their regular monthly meeting Monday and Tuesday concerned a contract entered into with McConnell road in repair for a disteast of the city limits.

Association and the Chamber of Comin repair the McConnell road from of the remainder of the property. the South Buffalo bridge to the city limits at a cost not to exceed \$200 a was couched in the following lan-

"That for an amount not to exceed crete road leading out of High Point \$200 per mile annually I will reconstruct and keep in repair the McConnell road from the South Buffalo the road at its original width, keep washout, and keep the roadbed free from ruts and holes.

on the Flat Rock charge, this having of each month of actual money spent, We held against the county on this been his fourth pastorate on that charging nothing for material gotten but did not pass upon the extent of off my own farm for road repair and

charge nothing for my own time." After considerable discussion by the commissioners, Mr. Young and is very explicitly stated in the deeds the delegation accompanying him of the proposition and the subject of of the program for enlarging the road repair work generally, the board decided to enter into a contract with used by the county as a public square, Mr. Young for a period of six months. It is thought that this will give ample time in which to try out the experi-

Young and endorsing his proposition inconsistent with its use as a public was composed of the following genband, Mr. L. L. Pitts, three daugh- and C. H. Grantham, representing the Merchants' Association, and C. M. Vanstory, Garland Daniel, H. L. Coble, R. C. Bernau, H. J. Thurman, the Chamber of Commerce

> The board voted unanimously to continue the annual appropriation of \$500 as the county's share of the expense of maintaining the farm dem-

It was decided to make an appropriation of \$100 each for the next year to the military companies of phew of Mr. W. G. Balsley, of this an increase of \$25 in the appropriation for each company.

the Superior court, covering the transactions of the various county offices, was submitted and showed the county's affairs to be in fine shape. The commissioners will hold a special meeting December 20 to go over the report in detail and check up the business of the county offices for the

The following jurors were drawn for the civil term of Superior court to convene January 17: D. L. Pritchett, F. R. Shepherd, J. C. O'Briant J. F. Greeson, John Brown, Robert Staley, John Haynes, J. R. Rumley, J. L. Holt, J. T. Gant, W. A. Greeson, N. C. Hanner, J. A. May, J. M Archer, F. A. Brooks, A. E. Thomas, J. C. Hackett, R. D. Tucker, S. L. Gilmer, R. A. W. Cable, D. L. McDonald, A. M. Fentress, E. A. McAdoo, J R. Lowe, C. H. McKnight, R. W. H. Mrs. Hobgood Here.-Mrs. F. P. Stone, J. K. Osborne, N. A. Stead-W. Vickery, R. P. Gossett, W. Y. Bevill, J. T. Taylor, Z. A. Wall, Alfred Glass, A. B. Robinson, Winfield Davis, W. P. Lemons, T. S. Coon, J. J. Frazier, H. P. Smith, A. A. Gordon, A. B. Swaim, T. D. Gilliam, W. C. Herndon, C. M. Brown and W. F. Motsinger.

Health Officer's Report. In his monthly report to the commissioners Dr. W. M. Jones, the county health officer, called attention to the gratifying fact that there has been no epidemic of any contagious disease in the county this fall. There have been many contagious diseases in the county, but they have been reported promptly, and through co-operation on the part of the attending physicians and the health officer they

have been kept from spreading. During the past month five cases of typhoid fever, 16 cases of scarlet fever and 10 cases of diphtheria were reported to the health officer.

Aside from his visits to the various

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TO WORK ROAD BY CONTRACT COURT HOUSE CASE DECIDED IN THE UNITED STATES COURT GERMANY ASKS FOR EVIDENCE THE

TITLE IS CLEARED AND COUNTY SNIPES CASE TO BE CALLED LEFT FREE TO DISPOSE OF THE PROPERTY.

The county of Guilford wins in the long drawn-out litigation concerning the court house property, the Supreme court having handed down an opinion yesterday afternoon to the Mr. John A. Young for keeping the effect that the easement claimed by the Porter and Caldwell heirs applies important case of the term-the inance of about two and a half miles only to the 18-foot alley-way on the western boundary of the court house (Accompanied by a delegation rep- lot. The court holds that this porresenting the Greensboro Merchants' tion of the property conveyed to the county by W. C. Porter and W. A. merce, Mr. Young appeared before Caldwell nearly 42 years ago must the board Tuesday and submitted a be kept open, but the county is free proposition to reconstruct and keep to make any disposition it may see fit home recently on a search for block-

Justice Clark, who states, after refer- ficers, took their revolvers from them mile per annum. His proposition ring to the various conveyances of real estate to the county for court Greensboro, which advice was follow-

house purposes: "It follows from the above statement that the only property which the county owns within its present square on which there is an easement bridge to the city limits, maintaining is that which is marked 'from Porter' and 'from Caldwell' east of the Barup the fills, paint the iron work and ker and Sockwell line. When this repair the bridges, except in case of case was here before the county contested the validity of the reservation of an easement by Porter and Cald-"I will render a report at the end | well, and that it ran with the land. | submitted to an indictment for illicit the easement. The easement reserved in these two lots (and there is no reservation in the other conveyances) from W. C. Porter and W. A. Caldwell to the county, 5 Feb., 1873, i. e., 'The lot herein conveyed' shall be and if any building inconsistent theregrantor, his heirs and assigns 'may enter upon the land herein convey-The delegation accompanying Mr. ed' and remove any buildings thereon square. There is no easement in Hemen: J. M. Henerix, W. E. Phipps favor of Poster and Caldwell given in, or restrictions imposed upon, the use of the adjoining square, whether already owned or thereafter to be purchased by the county. So long as the county uses these two lots as 'a public square' the easement is in-

K. of P. Officers .- The following have been elected to serve as officers of Pythias, for the next term: Chancellor commander, H. C. Snyder; vice chancellor, H. W. Sinclair; prel- this fact was emphasized by Greensboro and High Point. This is ate, R. H. McLunnen; master of judge. works, C. M. Pritchett; keeper of records and seal, C. C. McLean; master The annual report of the clerk of of finances, F. D. Kerner; master of exchequer, A. A. Johnson; chaplain, Rev. C. E. White; inner guard, J. B. Pleasants; outer guard, Henry W.

> Dr. Jones made 11 charity calls, had 16 disinfections made, presided a one post morten examination, examined seven insane patients, delivered 22 lectures and made 11 microscopic examinations.

Dr. Jones' report on the county in stitutions follows:

"County home-Since last report there has been one death at the home and some new comers. The institution is in good shape in every way and the management is everything that could be expected. Some are at | ties. the home in the insane ward that I hope and expect to be able to place in the Morganton hospital. One man who is now totally blind from cataract will be operated on at an early date and have his sight materially improved. Six visits have been made to the home.

"Worehouse-Here the report does not vary materially from that of previous months. Only two visits have been made.

"Jail-Here conditions are as for previous months. There are a couple of insane cases in jail. One, a negro woman who has pellagra and for whom application was made to the state hospital, but failed to obtain admission; the other a white man, declared insane in the state of Virginia by a jury, is waiting for proper court papers before being sent to Raleigh One negro woman, also insane was in jail for a few days, but was removed by friends and relatives. Eleven visits have been made.

"Camps-The camps have all been visited during the month, 11 visits being made. One death, a white man from Catawba county, who died following an operation at St. Leo's hos-

TODAY—NO IMPORTANT TRIALS SO FAR.

The time of the United States District court, which convened Monday, has been consumed so far in hearing cases charging illicit distilling and other minor infractions of the federal statutes. It is expected that the most dictment of Frank Snipes and his sons, Charles and James Snipes, of Forsyth county, for resisting revenue officers-will be called this afternoon.

This case grows out of a visit made by Deputy Collector Neelley and Special Officer Johnson to the Snipes at Berlin. ade liquor. It will be recalled that The opinion was written by Chief the Snipes gang drew guns on the ofand advised them to return to ed by the officers.

> dict of guilty in a case charging Ern- man government itself., est and Arlie Vuncanon with illicit distilling.

Julius Hawkins entered a plea of guilty to a charge of illicit distilling. John Williamson, of Montgomery county, who was indicted for illicit distilling, was found not guilty.

Frank Hoots, of Yadkin county, distilling and was fined \$100.

Prayer for judgment was continued in a case charging Tom Patterson. of Rockingham county, with illicit distilling. The defendant has been

in jail five menths awaiting trial. The following were chosen as members of the grand jury: T. F. Rankin, Rockingham county, foreman; Thomas B. Bailey, Lee C. Elliott, S. W. Loftin, S. N. Allen, Frank with shall be erected 'thereon' the R. Fuller, W. T. Sockwell, William A. Slate, Jerry M. Mitchell, Will Sherman, Jonas W. Norman, Robert Talley, Hester Young, C. C. McDade. Lee H. Hill, R. M. Hancock, Giles C. Cheek, R. N. Hadley, B. S. Hurley, R. F. Estes and W. W. Summers,

In beginning his charge to the grand jury Judge Boyd took occasion to give a brief description of the character and function of the Federal court. He inveighed against the misconception of the tribunal by many who have considered it as a thing apart. It is a court of the people, established under the Supreme court of the United States, the only tribunal of Greensboro Lodge No. 80, Knights formed by the constitution, declared Judge Boyd. The Federal court is distinct from that of the state, and

> From a discussion of the court's province Judge Boyd proceeded to a delineation of the federal acts the violation of which supply the greater portion of the business of the District court. The revenue laws, framed in 1862 and revised from time to time, were described as of prime importance. The violations are chiefly of the sections referring to whiskey and tobacco, especially in this section, he declared. While on this topic Judge Boyd warned against the bringing of petty retailing cases before the court under acts which contemplate a wider scope of law-breaking. The smaller cases are best handled in the state courts, according to the attitude which Judge Boyd has from time to time assumed in his discouragement of the bootlegger detective's activi-

The parcel post law was mentioned and the jury was told to bear in mind that any holding up of packages from their destination, or any calling for them by the persons other than the addressee, under misrepresentation of identity, are infractions of Federal law. This topic was declared by the court timely on account of the approach of the gift-giving holiday and the attendant general use of the parcel post.

The judicial interpretation of the Mann white slave act was mentioned in the charge. Any person paying the transportation of a woman of any race from one state into another, or persuading such a person to cross from one state into another for immoral purpose, in either case is guilty of an infraction of the law, and the matter is actionable by the federal authorities.

The season caused Judge Boyd to speak of the federal law which makes it illegal for quail to be shipped from any state which has its own laws against it. This is federal and state co-operation, and the fingers of the United States are long, the court warned. In proof of this, the judge court.

ATTACHES TOUCHES POINT OF NATIONAL HONOR.

The gravity of the issue between the United States and Germany over the question of the recall of Captain Boy-Ed and Captain von Papen was increased when the state department let it be known that it would refuse the request for the evidence on which it demands the removal of the two officers.

The request of Germany for the evidence came through two channels, the German embassy in Washington and by cable to Ambassador Gerrard

The German ambassador raised the point of national honor and his representations to the state department were urgent. He took the position that German honor is at stake as the result of the request for the recall of the two attaches on grounds impli-Yesterday the jury returned a very cating the embassy, if not the Ger-

> Count von Bernstorff insisted that his government is entitled to have in its possession all the facts so that it can form an opinion as to whether the action of the United States constituted an unfriendly act, or whether the banishment of the two men was justified or not.

Government Has the Evidence. The following epitome of the situ ation is given from the government's "bill of particulars" against the two dismissed German attaches:

1.—The government has establish ed by documentary evidence that the accused attaches and Captain Franz von Rintelen together planned and partly executed enterprises involving tens of millions of dollars.

2.-These enterprises included the instigation of widespread labor disorders and of a Huerta-directed revolution in Mexico.

PHYSICIAN SPENT NIGHT UNDER HIS AUTOMOBILE

Dr. F. C. Hyatt, the city health officer, is confined to his home on South Mendenhall street, suffering from injuries and exposure received Sunday night, when he lay in an unconscious condition under his automobile for eight or nine hours. He had a close call for his life and it seems almost miraculous that he escaped without more serious injury.

Dr. Hyatt was called to Burlington on professional business Sunday af-Elon College his automobile left the of the House. road and turned turtle in a field, pinning him beneath. Dr. Hyatt was rendered unconscious and remained in that condition until early Monday morning. When he came to himself he was in great pain and almost frozen. His cries for help aroused a colored man who lives near the scene of the accident. The negro was unable to release Dr. Hyatt from his position beneath the automobile and aroused several Elon College students, who came to his assistance.

After he had been released and his car righted, Dr. Hyatt continued his journey to Greensboro, reaching his home about 6 o'clock Monday morning. He was accompanied by one of the students who had aided in his rescue. Dr. Hyatt drove his car home with only one hand, his other hand and arm having been painfully njured in the accident. He also suffered a slight concussion of the brain and several bruises about the body.

related the manner of the entanglement of certain North Carolina dealers in contraband birds some time ago. The federal officers looked in on the books of Baltimore game dealers and found credits to Tar Heel persons. These clews followed up revealed the fact that the birds left by freight shipment in this state as "barrels of dried applies" or of "potatoes."

Near his conclusion Judge Boyd spoke of America as to its differentiation from most other countries, where the sovereignty is in certain families, who stay secluded in comfort and safety while the people bear the brunt of war. In this country the citizenship in a great republic is a national affairs, and now presents a prideful experience, declared the

SAYS THE DISMISSAL OF TWO PREPAREDNESS THE KEYNOTE -OUTLINE OF NATIONAL DEFENSE PLANS.

> Washington, D. C., Dec. 7 .- President Wilson in his annual address to Congress today laid down the administration's plan for national defense and told his hearers it was necessary for the new and broad doctrine of pan-Americanism.

> With sharp words he arraigned American citizens who by their sympathy for the foreign belligerents have endangered the neutrality of the United States.

> "America never witnessed anything like this before," declared the President with deep feeling.

The President's outline of the plan for national defense and the need for it was received in silence by the Senators and Representatives, but with rapt attention. His declaration of a new pan-American doctrine was received with deepest interest.

Outside of the main points of national defense and his references to pan-Americanism the President covered a broad range of subjects, the broadest he ever has in an address to Congress. It included the building of a merchant marine, the raising of revenue for the defense projects, a rural credit law, ultimate independence for the Philippines, conservation bills and a variety of measures left over by the last Congress.

When the President urged merchant marine legislation he was loudly applauded and was forced to stop, and

"It is high time we resumed our commercial independence on the high

Republicans clapped their hands. vigorously when he said that "the task will be accomplished of building up an adequate merchant marine, for American private capital would ultimately undertake and achieve as it has undertaken and achieved every other like task among us in the past with admirable enterprise, intelligence --- 1 -- -- -- --- --- --- --and vigor."

A doctrine of pan-Americanism-of full partnership between the nations of the Western Hemisphere in world affairs-was proclaimed by President Wilson today in his third annual address to Congress, the theme of which was preparedness by the United States to defend not only its own independence, but the rights of those with whom it has made common cause. ternoon and started on his return to The message was read by the Presi-Greensboro about 8 o'clock in the dent to the Senate and House assemevening. As he was approaching bled in joint session in the chamber

> Every recommendation embodied in the document had to do with comprehensive plans for strengthening the national defenses. The program included the army and navy plans already made public by Secretaries Garrison and Daniels, legislation for government owned merchant ships, a rural credit law, the Philippine and Porto Rico bills which failed of final passage at the last session, conservation legislation, a law giving Federal aid to industrial and vocational education, and the creation of a commission to inquire into the transportation problem.

The "un-Americans."

Naturalized and native-born American who, sympathizing with belligerents abroad, have plotted and conspired to violate their own country's neutrality were scathingly denounced by the President, and Congress was urged to provide adequate Federal laws to deal with such offenders

Internal taxation was proposed as the means of providing the money necessary to add to the naval and military establishments. Sources of taxation suggested were incomes, gasoline, naphtha, automobiles and internal explosion engines, fabricated, iron and steel, and a stamp tax on bank checks. Extension of the war revenue bill and continuance of the present tariff on sugar were recommended, and the sale of bonds opposed.

This message was the longest Mr. Wilson has ever delivered to Congress. He began with a statement that since he last addressed Congress:

"The European war has extended its threatening and sinister scope until sovereigns are the people, and they it has swept into its flame some porare slow to make war, for when war tion of every quarter of the globs, is declared the kings shoulder the not excepting our own hemisphere; muskets and go to the front. This has altered the whole face of inter-

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