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Governor Spry Will Clear State

Says he Intends to Get Rid of Lawless Element of Population.

Salt Lake City, Utah, Nov. 19.—Governor Spry of Utah tonight announced his intentions to "clear the State of the lawless element that now infests the State and see to it that inflammatory street speaking is stopped."

The Governor's statement came as the aftermath to the execution of Joseph Hillstrom, a member of the I. W. W. and a native of Sweden, for the murder of J. G. Morrison and Morrison's son on January 1, 1914. Hillstrom was executed by a firing squad at 7:42 a. m. today.

When the officers went to get Hillstrom they found he had tied the door of his cell with stripes torn from his blankets. He fought the guards fiercely with the handle of a broom he had snatched from an attendant in the corridor, but when he saw the sheriff he became calm, saying, "You can't blame a man for fighting for his life." Accompanied by the officers he walked to the death chair. After he was seated they asked him if he had anything to say. He said:

"Gentlemen, I die with a clear conscience. I never did anything wrong in my life. I die fighting, not like a coward. Well, I'm going goodbye."

When the officer started to give the command to fire Hillstrom yelled "Fire," the squad fired and the bullets pierced his heart. He was dead in one minute and 10 seconds. None of Hillstrom's I. W. W. friends witnessed the execution.

Ed. Rowan, local secretary of the Industrial Workers of the World, took charge of the body. He announced that the funeral would take place Sunday afternoon under the direction of the I. W. W., and that the body would be sent to William D. Haywood, next Monday for burial at Chicago.

Telegrams were received this morning asserting that William D. Busky of Seattle had made an affidavit that he was with Hillstrom the night J. G. Morrison was murdered and that Hillstrom was innocent. The sheriff was requested to postpone the execution until this statement had been investigated. Warden Arthur Pratt of the prison then asked Hillstrom if he knew Busky and Hillstrom answered that he did not. The sheriff was then directed to proceed with the execution. Police later said an investigation proved Busky's affidavit untrue.

President Wilson twice appealed for further respite for Hillstrom. The president's second request made yesterday, was denied by Governor Spry as not based on any facts.

The Swedish Minister also had interested himself in Hillstrom's behalf and it was at his request that the President made his first request for a respite. The American federation of Labor in session at San Francisco recently passed a resolution, asking Governor Spry to use his efforts to secure a new trial for Hillstrom.

In his statement tonight Governor Spry said:

"Every lawbreaker, every man who defies law and order, every man who is opposed to law and order, call themselves what they will, will be driven out of the State. I am going to see that the work is started at once. If the city officers and others whose duty it is do not do so, I will do it myself. I am going to see that inflammatory street speaking is stopped and at once, let them call it 'free speech' or any other name they wish."

The governor said the militia would be used if necessary to clear the State of the men who have been "writing threatening letters and making incendiary speeches."

It is known that a considerable amount of evidence has been collected by the State in the last few months.

Diary Schools for Rowan

Permit me to call attention to the Dairy Schools that will be conducted in Rowan County next week by the Dairy Division of the Agricultural College at West Raleigh.

These dairy schools in the past year or so have been of a great amount of good to the farmers in the county and they should call for the largest crowds that can possibly attend. The program will begin in the morning at ten o'clock with an intermission of one and one-half hours for dinner which will be served by the good people of the communities where the schools are held.

J. A. Arey and J. L. Graybill assisted by the County Demonstration agent will have charge. The programme will consist of lectures and questions relating directly to the care of cows, cream, how to handle, test, market, etc., butter making, raising the calf, and at night there will be given at each of the places an illustrated lecture on the same subject. These lectures will be illustrated by slides which will show almost every phase of dairying with the best methods of being able to handle the various problems that may arise.

I am sure that at each place the people of the whole of Rowan County will be welcome and we would appreciate it if the people will turn out in goodly numbers so that these meetings may be made of greater value to all concerned.

The following are the dates and places. The people of each of these communities especially will take notice and have the things necessary on hand.

Woodleaf, Monday, November 20th.

Gold Knob, Monday, November 20th.

Lowerstone, Wednesday and Thursday, December 1-2.

Bostian, Friday and Saturday, December 3-4th.

W. B. CRUMPTON, Jr., Demonstration Agent.

How to Prevent Croup.

It may be a surprise to you to learn that in many cases croup can be prevented. Mrs. H. M. Johns, Elida, Ohio, relates her experience as follows: "My little boy is subject to croup. During the past winter I kept a bottle of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy in the house, and when he began having that croup cough I would give him one or two doses of it and it would break the attack. I like it better for children than any other cough medicine because children take it willingly, and it is safe and reliable." Obtainable everywhere.

Bury Them Three Deep.

According to the Savannah Morning News, October 20, 1915, three human skeletons were unearthed by workmen who were excavating for some sewer work at the home of the "Little Sisters of the Poor" where repairs were being made. The skeletons were buried one above another with eighteen inches of lime between. The skeletons fell apart when uncovered. Police were notified and the bones were reburied and upon investigation it was determined, so the report says, that the spot had once been used as a burying ground, and "the skeletons had probably been there for half a century."

That will do to tell. The fact that the bones were found at the home of the "Little Sisters of the Poor" and that they were buried in lime one above another leads quickly to the inference that there may be much truth in the stories of secret burials in lime in Romish institutions. Is there no way to get at the facts? An enforced inspection law might reveal some startling conditions in and around the closed houses of Rome.—The Menace.

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Alexander Heads Farmer's Union

The Farmers Go on Record Against President Wilson's Preparedness Plans.

Durham, Nov. 17.—With the election of officers; an address on the moonlight schools by Dr. J. Y. Joyner, State Superintendent of Public Instruction; the passage of a resolution pledging the convention as favorable to the movement; and a conference of the twelve members of the State social service committee, the convention of the North Carolina Farmers Union came to a close here this afternoon. Officers elected were as follows:

President, Dr. H. Q. Alexander, of Mecklenburg.
Vice President, Dr. J. M. Templeton, of Wake.
Secretary - Treasurer, E. O. Faires, of Moore.

State Organizer and Lecturer, J. Z. Green, of Union.
Doorkeeper, A. G. Hendren, of Wilkes.

Conductor, G. H. Glover, of Rowan.
Chaplain, Rev. G. M. Duke, of Franklin.

Executive Committee, W. B. Gibben, of Iredell; O. Wright, of Wilkes; W. H. Moore, of Pitt; Clarence Pos, of Wake, and R. H. Stone, of Guilford.

The farmers went squarely on record as being opposed to spending any more money for an increase in the Navy and the Army of the country. They were vigorous in their opposition to this policy of the President. That resolution follows:

"Whereas it now appears that a measure will be put on foot at our National Congress at its next session asking for an enormous increase in its appropriations for the increase in the number of battleships built and also in increasing the enrollment in our standing army; under the plea of being prepared to protect our country against the invasion of any and all belligerent countries to make war against our country, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the Farmers Union of North Carolina, being a peaceably inclined people, hereby enter our protest against any and all material increase in appropriation for this purpose."

Hold Dairy Schools in Stanley.

Under the supervision of J. A. Arey and J. L. Graybill, dairy schools began Monday. Schools will be held a various points through the county until December 9. The schedule is as follows: Smith's schoolhouse, Nov. 22. Advance schoolhouse, Nov. 23. Fairview schoolhouse, Nov. 24. Davidson County: Fredonia schoolhouse, Nov. 26. Holly Grove schoolhouse, Nov. 27.

Rowan County: Woodleaf schoolhouse, Nov. 29. Gold Knob schoolhouse, Nov. 30.

Lowerstone schoolhouse, Dec. 12. Bostian school house, Dec. 3 & 4. Iredell County: Cold Spring schoolhouse, Dec. 6. Trinity schoolhouse, Dec. 7. Gilbert schoolhouse, Dec. 8. Oak Ridge schoolhouse, Dec. 9.

Chamberlain's Tablets.

This is a medicine intended especially for stomach troubles, biliousness and constipation. It is meeting with much success and rapidly gaining in favor and popularity. Obtainable everywhere.

Harvest Home Fair at Livingstone.

The faculty students and friends of Livingstone College and Industrial School are conducting a harvest home fair at the college this week beginning Monday and closing Saturday. They have numerous splendid exhibits from the farm, shop, school and home. It is a show worth seeing and indicates that the Negro is keeping step with modern life and is progressing as fast as the white man, if not faster. The daily programs are interesting.

Fatal Shooting at East Spencer

East Spencer's death record by the pistol route added another victim Sunday morning about one o'clock. Ira Clark did the shooting and Will Mills stopped the bullets. These Negroes were friends and got into a dispute when Clark decided to stop the argument. He shot twice, the second bullet penetrated the heart and caused instant death. Coroner Summerset was called and after holding an inquest committed Clark to jail without bond to await a hearing in the Superior Court in session. Clark attempted now to escape and had gone some distance when overtaken by Deputies Graham and Nash.

Rowan Superior Court in Session.

The November term of the Rowan Superior Court convened Monday morning with his honor, Judge H. P. Lane presiding and Hayden Clement, Esq., prosecuting. Judge Lane called the jury's attention to their duties in a clear and specific manner and as is customary gave them to understand that a large responsibility rested upon them in the enforcement of law and the diminishment of crime.

The grand jury is composed of O. O. Harrington, foreman; L. O. Klutz, J. A. Peeler, H. H. Overcash, J. A. Blackwelder, H. B. Bailey, Gilbert Isonhour, W. L. Kimball, J. L. Eard, T. E. Swiggood, C. W. Beaver, M. L. Rodgers, R. A. Eller, Murry Peeler, John R. Beaver, I. Cowan Shaver, S. F. Lazenby, H. O. Farmer.

Again there are three cases for murder to be considered, to wit: Flossie Rose, who recently killed her husband Jim Rose, which the State was "accidental"; Boye Cook, who with others killed Gamewell Jeffries over a game of cards at Granite Quarry several months ago, and Ira Clark who shot Will Mills in East Spencer Sunday morning. Clark claims he shot in self defense, but was trying to get away.

There are quite a number of other cases on the docket including a charge of robbery, forgery and an attempt to murder Kenneth Brown, the night clerk at the passenger station, against S. P. Starves.

The following cases have been disposed of: Henry Samore and Sanford Freeman, affray, found guilty and taxed with costs; E. H. Hooper, plead guilty to larceny, given four months; Son Albinson, selling liquor, found guilty and fined \$75 and costs.

The case of D. L. Brown coming up from the County Court was affirmed, the sentence being fifteen months on the gang, four hundred dollars fine and confiscation of his automobile. He was given until Monday morning to dispose of his business.

S. P. Starves, was found guilty of breaking into the passenger station and plead guilty forging names to the mileage books which he attempted to use. Sentence has not been imposed nor has he been tried for the assault on Kenneth Brown.

Owing to the serious illness of Judge Lane's child in South Carolina, he adjourned court until Friday and left yesterday morning.

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Demand That Greece Demobilize

The Alternative Is to Fulfill Treaty Obligations to Serbia; If Neither Fight.

Nov. 21.—Field Marshal Lord Kitchener has left Athens for other fields of diplomatic or military action in the Near East.

The future policy of Greece is still undefined (officially) but dispatches from the Greek Capital quote the Government organ Embros as affirming that Lord Kitchener received formal assurance from King Constantine and his Ministers that Greece in no case would take steps hostile to the Entente Powers and that a solution of the differences would be found.

A commercial blockade of Greece has been declared by the Entente Powers, according to a new agency dispatch which quotes a note issued by the British Legation in Athens saying that the step was taken because of the attitude of the Hellenic Government "in regard to certain questions touching closely the security and liberty of action to which the Allied troops have the right under the conditions of their disembarkment on Greek territory."

It is added that while it is not the intention of the Allied Powers to constrain Greece to abandon her neutrality, the Allied Governments "have been somewhat disturbed by certain allusions to eventual measures, which if taken by the Hellenic Government would appear to them to be contradictory to assurances they have received."

When doubts on the subject are dispelled, the note says, the Allied Powers will remove the obstacles.

Whatever may be the intentions of the Greek Government there is no doubt as to the statement in the feeling of former Premier Venizelos and his followers that the duty of Greece lies with the Serbs and the Entente Allies. At a meeting in Athens they decided to urge non-participation by their party in the coming general election on the ground that in the event of another victory at the polls they would not be able to put the policy of Venizelos into effect.

Meanwhile the Teutonic Allies continue their absorption of Serbian territory. The only deviation from the customary daily reports of Austro-German and Bulgarian successes is contained in a report issued by the Serbian Legation at Rome which announces an important Serbian victory at Lukovitsa in the Nish district after a battle lasting several days. According to the Legation the Bulgarian losses were enormous.

The operations in southern Serbia are still somewhat beleaguered. On the French front in the extreme southeast quiet prevails. Of the situation around Monastir, however, nothing official has come through but unofficial advices say that the British have arrived there and are being reinforced. A Bucharest dispatch is authority for the statement that the first contingent of German troops has arrived at Constantinople.

Gorizia, the key to Trieste, is still under heavy bombardment by the Italian guns and Rome claims further successes here and also on the Carso plateau and in the Zagora sector.

Vienna admits that at Osliava the Italians succeeded in penetrating the Austrian lines, but declares that most of the position was recaptured and that extremely violent attacks against Podgora also were repulsed.

Along the western front in France and Belgium and on the eastern line in Russia there have been mining and artillery operations which have resulted in no important changes of positions.

London, Nov. 21.—The Entente Allies have demanded that Greece either fulfill their treaty obligations to Serbia or demobilize and to impress King Constantine that they mean what they say, as the Allies have declared a commercial blockade of the Hellenic Empire,

Methodist Conference Closes

The Western N. C. Conference of the Methodist Church, which has been in session at Reidsville, after deciding to meet at Gastonia next year and making the annual appointments closed Monday afternoon. The appointments for the Salisbury district are as follows:

J. C. Rowe, Presiding elder. Albemarle; Central, E. G. Tuttle, C. M. Gentry, supernumerary; First Street, W. S. Hales; Albemarle Circuit, H. F. Starr, supply.

Badin, to be supplied. Bethel and Love's Chapel, W. I. Hughes.

Obina Grove and Landis, P. E. Parker.

Concord; Central, M. F. Moores; Epworth and Centre, A. S. Raper; Forest Hill, O. M. Short; Westford, R. L. Forbis; West Concord, R. O. Brady; Concord Circuit, P. L. Terrell.

Cottonville, Z. V. Johnson.

Gold Hill, J. W. Strider.

Kannapolis Station, P. W. Tucker.

Kannapolis Circuit, S. L. Owen, supply.

Mount Pleasant, G. A. Stamper.

New London, E. J. Poe.

Norwood, R. M. Saylor, J. D. Rankin junior preacher.

Oakboro Circuit, to be supplied.

Salem, A. L. Coburn, supply.

Salisbury; First Church, T. F. Marr; Park Avenue, G. W. Vick;

South Main Street, J. H. Broadall, A. H. Whiner, supernumerary; Salisbury Circuit, R. C. Kirk.

Spencer, C. M. Pickens; East Spencer and North Main Street, S. E. Richardson.

Woodleaf, J. W. Kennedy.

Conference evangelist, South Main Street Quarterly Conference, R. A. Taylor.

Salisbury is rejoicing to have Rev. J. C. Rowe back as presiding elder, and Rev. T. F. Marr, as pastor of the First Church. They are much liked and highly esteemed here.

Beware of Cheap Substitutes.

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according to dispatches from Athens.

There is no confirmation of these statements available here out it is very certain that Lord Kitchener, the British War Secretary, who had an hours audience with the King of Greece yesterday and afterward saw Premier Skoufandis, took a firm stand and told them what the Allies could and would do unless the demands were conceded.

The Greek Cabinet met to consider the situation and a few hours should show what Greece's future attitude will be. The Greek Government has again affirmed its friendliness to the Allies but has not yet taken the steps required to prevent Greece from being counted among the friends of the Central Powers.

Bryan Has Small Crowd

W. J. Bryan spoke in the Colonial Theatre here last Thursday night to a small audience, the result of a down pour of rain. He was introduced by his personal friend, Hon. Theo. F. Klutz, and on the stage with him were Hon. John S. Henderson, who was a former colleague of Mr. Bryan in the House of Representatives along in the nineties. Rev. Byron Clark and Judge P. S. Carleton, Mr. Bryan delivered his set speech on the subject: "The European War and its Lessons to Us," which has been published several times.

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President Working on Message

Has a Lot of Plans that Have not been Asked for by the People.

Washington, Nov. 21.—President Wilson will devote much of his time this week to composing his third annual message to Congress which he plans to read personally at a joint meeting of the Senate and House on December 7. He has given instructions that none but very important engagements be made for him.

The president is working hard to have the message in the hands of the public printer before Thanksgiving Day. He has delegated on the chief features after careful consultation with close advisers, and is now writing it out on his typewriter.

Although the president may not refer to all of the subjects in his message at the opening of Congress the program which he hopes to see disposed of includes:

Strengthening the army and navy in accordance with the plans outlined by secretaries Garrison and Daniels.

A merchant marine bill.

Rural credits legislation.

Ratification of the Haitian-Columbian and Nicaraguan treaties.

The bill to give greater measure of self government to the Philippines and promising ultimate independence.

Conversation measures which failed of final passage at the last session.

Amendment of the anti-trust laws so as to allow the use of common selling agencies abroad by American exporters.

Legislation to protect the American market against the "dumping" of cheap foreign products following the European war.

Amendment of the Sherman anti-trust law so as to give the Federal government more power to prosecute trusts to interfere with American commerce by blowing up factories and ships.

The administration also is interested in the efforts to establish a budget system for co-ordinating expenditures and revenues of the government and in a closure rule for the Senate. The president, however, is not expected to take a direct part on the closure fight.

Rheumatism and Allied Pains Must Go.

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Salisbury Factory Gets Order for 1000 Mattresses.

The Taylor Mattress Factory, of which James D. Heilig is manager, has just received a contract for one thousand mattresses for the American Aluminum Company for use at Badin. Several car loads have already been shipped and others will follow as fast as they can be manufactured. This is the biggest order received by the Salisbury factory and it is gratifying to know its product wins on merit on the open market.

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