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Saturday, colder in west.  
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## ANTI-TRUST BILL 'WITH HANDCUFFS' IS INTRODUCED

"To Declare Illegal Trusts and Combinations in Restraint of Trade"

### DAY OF MANY NEW BILLS

To Provide Home For Widows of Confederate Soldiers, By Senator Thorne

### ONE HOUR IN BOTH HOUSES

In line with the policy proclaimed by Governor Locke Craig, in his inaugural address, Representative Justice yesterday introduced in the House what he said to be an anti-trust bill "with a warrant and handcuffs in its hand," a bill "to declare illegal trusts and combinations in restraint of trade."

## SENATOR J. P. COOK.



Chairman Senate Finance Committee, Chairman Cabarrus County Democratic Executive Committee.

## WESTERNERS WANT PLACE IN CABINET

### President-Elect Wilson Given Four to Choose From

### SECRETARY OF INTERIOR

### Claim Western Man Would Be More Conversant With Conditions.

### Speech Endorsed

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—Democratic senators from the Rocky Mountain region today went to President-elect Wilson a letter urging the selection of a representative of that section as secretary of the interior. Mr. Wilson is asked to appoint former Governor E. L. Norris, of Montana; former Governor James H. Hawley, of Idaho; J. N. Field, of Oregon, or C. P. Tallman, of Nevada, and is assured that the selection of one of them would be satisfactory to the Democrats of the Far West.

### ANOTHER DELAY FOR CONDEMNED ALLOWED

### Governor Mann Grants Reprieve Until March 1 For Floyd and Claude Allen

(By the Associated Press.)

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16.—Attorney General E. A. Tamm, in a brief conference with Governor Mann, today announced that the execution of Floyd Allen and Claude Allen, condemned to die for the murder of a woman on March 14, would be postponed until March 1. The governor announced that on February 1, he would give the Allen sympathizers one hour, in which to present their argument for a commutation of sentence. Allen's son was today being held in the state prison at Raleigh. The governor said another delay in the execution of the Allen brothers would be granted if the same reasons were presented.

### Babies Warmer Post a New Class

### Postmaster General Asked to Explain How Infant May Be Wrapped for Transit.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—The mailing of babies by parcel post is a real infant industry which Postmaster General Hitchcock is asked to foster. Considering the circumstances of his bachelorhood, Mr. Hitchcock has considered seriously the calling into consultation of experts as to the mailing of babies on account of a letter which he received.

### W. H. WEATHERSPON.

### Chairman House Committee on Courts and Judicial Districts—Representative from Scotland.

### It Has Teeth.

The anti-trust bill introduced in the House yesterday by Mr. Justice, of Suffolk, makes it unlawful for any citizen or corporation to enter into any contract or have any combination in restraint of trade or otherwise which is in violation of the provisions of the act.

### As babies, in the opinion of the postmaster general, do not fall within the category of goods which may be transported by parcel post, the postmaster general is asked to consider the possibility of mailing them in some other manner.

### LETTER NOT RECEIVED.

### So Mr. Eustis' Withdrawal Comment— Suggestion 'Rememberable.'

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—Mr. Eustis, chairman of the inaugural committee, tonight had not received President-elect Wilson's letter, with reference to omitting the inaugural ball. Mr. Eustis and other officials having in charge the inaugural plans, were surprised when informed of the suggestion. Mr. Eustis declined to make any comment because the letter had not reached him. He got in touch with George E. Hamilton, chairman of the finance committee of the inaugural ceremony, and arranged for a meeting of the other officers tomorrow, to consider Governor Wilson's proposal. Mr. Hamilton declared Mr. Wilson's suggestion to be "rememberable."

## HOME RULE PASSES HOUSE OF COMMONS AMID REJOICINGS

Goes Through First Reading in House of Lords Where It Will Be Killed

### HOUSE CROWDED ALL DAY

Hats, Handkerchiefs and Papers Are Waved. While in Some Sections Feeling Opposes

### A LONG, STERN BATTLE

(By the Associated Press.) London, Jan. 16.—After a long, stern battle, the Home Rule bill passed the House of Commons today by a majority of 110. Later it was read for the first time in the House of Lords. There were two divisions in the lower House. Mr. Balfour's motion for its rejection was defeated, 258 to 268, while the third reading was carried by a vote of 261 to 257, one member on each side having left the House in the interval.

The result of the decision was too much of a foregone conclusion for a tremendous demonstration, but Irishmen inside and outside of the House did their best, and assisted by the Libs. and laborites, gave the measure for which they had waited and worked so long a good send-off on its way to the House of Lords, where its fate certainly is sealed.

### More Brilliant Speeches.

The division is preceded by another series of brilliant speeches by the political leaders among whom were Frederick E. Smith and the solicitor general, Sir John A. Simon, two of the cleverest among the younger members, and the veteran, John E. Redmond, Timothy Healy and Augustine Birrell, chief secretary for Ireland.

The House was crowded throughout the day. The Nationalists were only one man short of their full strength. Several of the other Nationalists, who are seldom able to attend, came over from Ireland for the division. The Liberals and Laborites too, turned out in force and the Unionists were not far behind. The galleries were filled to their capacity.

When the figures were announced the Nationalists waved hats, handkerchiefs and papers and cheered lustily for Premier Asquith and Mr. Redmond. The latter, who is usually impassive, was carried away by the enthusiasm of his followers and entered into the spirit of the demonstrations as effectively as the others.

Those who crowded the lobbies received the figures with another roar of welcome and added to this by cheering. The bill itself as a copy was carried by an official from the Commons to the Lords. The upper House met especially to receive the measure and formally passed its first reading.

### Police Vigilant.

The House of Commons soon quieted (Continued on Page Two.)

## Wilson May Omit Inaugural Ball

### Writes Chairman of Immigration Committee Asking Him to Consider This Change of Plans.

(By the Associated Press.)

Trenton, N. J., Jan. 16.—President-elect Wilson is in favor of omitting the inaugural ball altogether. Today he sent a letter to Wm. Coochar Eustis, chairman of the immigration committee, asking him to consider the feasibility of omitting the inaugural ball altogether.

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to see Woodrow Wilson inaugurated. The way to get the Free Round Trip Ticket is to subscribe to The News and Observer for \$1.00 a year, or \$6.00 a year, or \$10.00 a year. Subscriptions for a year, six months, three months or less, please. That will be the ticket.

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## CONCENTRATE AS FAR AS YOU CAN SAYS BIG BANKER

Jacob Schiff, of New York, Sees No Objection to Individuals' Piling Up Lucre

### HOUSE CROWDED ALL DAY

Says Laws of Nature Will Apply Individual Monopoly

### COMMITTEE TAKES REST

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—Liberty of individuals to concentrate money and power to the limit of their ability was advocated today before the House money trust committee by Jacob H. Schiff, of the New York banking firm of Kuhn, Loeb & Co.

Mr. Schiff declared that individuals should be allowed to exert their utmost efforts to concentrate fortunes and power until the "laws of nature" caused the attempted monopoly to fall of its own weight. He was opposed, however, to concentration through corporations and holding companies. Mr. Schiff could not say whether concentration had yet reached a point where it is dangerous.

### Depositors Protected.

In the course of Mr. Schiff's examination today he voiced the view that depositors in banks were sufficiently protected under the present law "if administered and kept up to the teachings of experience." He said that he could see no objection to one banking institution selling securities to another bank which it owned. "Prudence," he said, "would prevent the (Continued on Page Two.)"

## Clerk Spurred by Vicious Game Cock

Tetanus is Threatened from Wound, and Patient is Critical

(Special to News and Observer.)

Spencer, Jan. 16.—Spurred by a vicious game cock, L. E. Burch, of the clerical force in the Southern railway shops here, is in a serious condition from tetanus. Yesterday he attempted to drive the rooster across a lot at home, when it sprang upon him, sinking its spur deep into his thigh. Dr. H. I. Monk was called at once and soon found that the young man was threatened with blood poisoning or tetanus. Several injections of serum were administered immediately and the injured man is feeling well today. While his condition is not precarious as a result of the unusual encounter, an early recovery is hoped for.

## Governor Locke Craig AND NEXT IS President Woodrow Wilson

Reached a great time in Raleigh Wednesday. And in Washington on March Fourth there will be another great occasion.

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## FARM TRUST TO CUT COST OF LIVING



Both Low.

Both Low, a former mayor of New York city, but who has now gone extensively into farming, has announced that he had some of his friends are getting up a movement which, they believe, will do much to solve the high cost of living.

Capital's co-operation—These are the two ideas on which the plans of Mr. Low and his friends are founded. They have founded a league, a large part of the activity of which will be the promotion of legislation which will open up the way for the producers of New York state to organize co-operative buying and selling associations.

## MYLIUS DEPORTED BECAUSE OF LIBEL

### Secretary Nagel Finds Moral Turpitude in Case

Labelled King George V. of England, by Circulating Marriage Story

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—Edward F. Mylius, the journalist deported today by Secretary Nagel, of the department of commerce and labor, on the ground that in libelling King George V. of England he had committed a crime involving moral turpitude.

Mylius was convicted in London on criminal libel against King George V. in connection with the publication in Paris of a story alleging that the King when Prince of Wales had contracted a morganatic marriage with the daughter of Admiral Cluise-Seymour at Malta. In Mylius' defense was urged that if guilty of anything it was seditious libel and not criminal libel. Seditious libel would be a political offense. Secretary Nagel held that Mylius had not been convicted of a purely political crime, but of a crime involving moral turpitude under which the immigration law prevents his entrance into this country.

"I cannot assume," said Secretary Nagel in his decision, "that a layman who advocates the overthrow of government or the assassination of public officials was intended to admit the publisher of a false charge of bigamy because he advances a political position." (Continued on Page Two.)

## CONGRESS SUMMARY

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—The day in Congress:

**SENATE:** Passed legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill—containing provision for Commerce court to June 30.

Resumed consideration of omnibus claims bill defeating amendment for appropriation to French spoliation claims.

Senator Root vigorously denied speech credited to him and circulated extensively throughout Central and South America for purpose of stirring up strife against the United States.

Commerce committee ordered favorable report on bill authorizing construction of dam across Connecticut river at King's Island and levying annual rental.

Contract nomination Col. Edw. J. McClelland to succeed General Witherspoon as brigadier general.

Further testimony regarding Archbold letters.

House:

Began debate on army appropriation bill, carrying \$32,850,000. Chairman Graham, of interior department expenditures committee, made report charging that many funds had been committed against White Earth Indians.

## FRAUDS IN WILLIAMS CASE UNPARALELED IN REVENUE HISTORY

Is Statement of Commissioner of Internal Revenue Royall E. Cabell when Records Are Unearthed. Debauchery and Bribery Rampant—Reads Like a Romance of the Forty Thieves

### SUCCESSFUL FRAUD PRACTICED ON GOVERNMENT \$250 TO \$500 A DAY

Charges Against Judge Boyd Traced by Cabell to Attorney R. H. McNeill, Who, Commissioner Says, Declared He Knew in Advance What Judge's Ruling in Case Would Be—Recounts Complete History of Frauds and Legal Delays

(BY L. A. BROWN.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—Chairman Cox, of the House committee on expenditures in the treasury department, today made public the report on the N. Glenn Williams liquor case prepared by Commissioner Royall E. Cabell for the secretary of the treasury. The sensations which Mr. Cabell had predicted from the publication of this record are found in abundance.

"This case," declared the commissioner, "disclosed a situation absolutely without parallel in the whole history of the internal revenue administration."

### FORTY THIEVES SLOW.

Again the commissioner says: "There was disclosed a history of fraud against the government, of debauchery of employes, of bribery of revenue officers and so successful that it would seem more in place in the Arabian Nights entertainment as a report of the adventures of Ali Babi and the forty thieves than as a record of fact in a civilized country."

According to this report, "The evidence indicated a successful fraud upon the government of from \$250 to \$500 each day."

That part of the report which is concerned with the liquor case reads like a romance and is of interest and concern to North Carolinians, but its interest is surpassed in another section in which statements concerning Judge Boyd and District Attorney Holtton are quoted.

### HOW DISTINGUISHED FROM OTHERS.

The report stated that up to a certain point in the case, "The only thing distinguishing it from other cases of fraud upon the government was the magnitude of the transaction and the success that attended the fraudulent efforts," but it is added that "The two warrants of restitution issued by the judge of the United States District court in which the case was pending, contained the first order that WAS OUT OF THE USUAL RUN."

### Known Coming Decision.

Later the commissioner describes an interview with R. H. McNeill, a former North Carolinian, now practicing law in Washington, who was Williams' attorney, in which he says McNeill represented to him that Judge Boyd was Williams' intimate friend, that Judge Boyd would not allow "District Attorney Holtton or anybody else to attack Williams." The commissioner declared in the report that McNeill stated that he, Williams' attorney, "knew absolutely what the judge would do."

A request of N. Glenn Williams was directly responsible for the publication of this record to day. Williams wrote to Congressman Page last week asking that the House committee, which then had Commissioner Cabell before it and was investigating certain oenological cases, should take up the Williams liquor case. Mr. Page transmitted Williams' request to Chairman Cox, of the committee. Mr. Cox, yesterday told Commissioner Cabell of his intention to conduct an investigation of the case and the commissioner replied that he would be delighted to see such an investigation made. He sent the record to Chairman Cox immediately, and the chairman made it public today.

When Investigate Fully.

Chairman Cox studied the record carefully last night, he stated this morning, and he said he had made up his mind to summon witnesses and investigate every detail of the charges and implications contained in the record.

A member of the House judiciary committee which has charge of all impeachment trials of Federal judges and executive officers of the government before the Senate, to whom was referred that section of the report which had reference to Judge Boyd, said tonight that it contained statements of weighty import.

Commissioner Cabell has in the past declared that when the record of the case was made public, it "could speak for itself." Here are excerpts from the fifty typewritten pages which make up the record:

"On July 12, 1912, an order discontinuing the distillery warehouse of the D. C. Foster distillery No. 3, fifth internal revenue district of North Carolina at Williams, N. C., and ordering the spirits transferred to a general bonded warehouse at Louisville, Ky., in accordance with the provisions of section 2272, revised statutes of as amended, was issued over my signature, as commissioner of internal revenue, after deliberate formal conference between myself, Hon. Fletcher Maddox, solicitor of internal revenue, who is duly appointed and constituted legal adviser to the commissioner of internal revenue, P. E. Talbot, chief of the law division of the bureau of internal revenue, and W. Hubbard, Jr., chief of the assessment division of the bureau of internal revenue, all three of which officers, as well as myself, had had occasion to study this case in its various aspects for several years prior thereto, and all of us reached the conclusion that not only was it clearly within the rights and power of the commissioner of internal revenue to issue the order referred to but that it was clearly his duty so to act. The order was not complied with by the distiller or his agent and in due course, in accordance with the mandatory provision of section 2272, (Continued on Page Two.)"

## PUBLIC HEARINGS ON AMENDMENTS TO CONSTITUTION

All citizens of North Carolina who are interested in the question of amendments to the State Constitution are invited to attend a meeting of the House committee on Constitutional Amendment, to be held in the Senate chamber at 3 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, January 22, at which time the committee will hear any argument for or against a Constitutional convention and any argument for or against any specific amendments to the State Constitution.

The Senate Committee on Constitutional amendment, of which Senator A. B. Ellis is chairman, will be invited to sit in joint session with the House Committee, of which Representative E. J. Justice is chairman.

This was the decision arrived at by the House committee on Constitutional Amendment, after an informal discussion at a meeting held in the Supreme court library yesterday afternoon.

The committee desires as early as possible to set the sentiment of the people regarding this very important question, and to arrive at some definite conclusions as to what is the wisest action to take.

## GOVERNMENT WILL HOLD "DYNAMITING" EVIDENCE

Charles W. Miller, United States Attorney, makes first report to Attorney General and to Congress.

(By the Associated Press.)

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—A conference held here today between Attorney General Witherspoon and Charles W. Miller, United States attorney at Indianapolis, who conducted the "dynamiting" conspiracy trial, it was decided that the government would hold the evidence given at the trial intact and not forward it to State authorities for such prosecution as they might desire to undertake under State laws, unless a request is received from state officials. The evidence will not be disturbed until after the appeal. It is said that the state of limitations has run out on many of the possible offenses they might desire to inquire into.

Mr. Miller gave the attorney general a general review of the trial and it was his first personal report to his superior since the beginning of the case at Indianapolis, which resulted in the conviction of thirty-eight labor leaders and others of an alleged conspiracy to transport dynamite unlawfully in interstate commerce. The Federal prosecutor received the confessions of the accused general.