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PRESIDENT WILSON ACCEPTS TOKEN OF LEAGUE ADHERENTS Chief Executive Makes His First Public Appearance in More Than a Year CROWDS GATHER ON LAWN AT WHITE HOUSE

Hundreds of League Advocates Cheer President as He is Lifted in Wheel Chair to East Portico of White House; President Acknowledges Songs by Crowd Washington, D. C., Nov. 4.—President Wilson made his first public appearance tonight in more than a year, when he was lifted in his wheel chair to the east portico of the White House hundreds of Washington League of Nations adherents gathered on the lawn to do him honor.

WIFE AND DAUGHTER OF LYNCHED NEGRO WOUNDED Orlando, Fla., Nov. 4.—Estelle Perry, wife of the negro Perry, who was lynched, and daughter, Cartha, who were taken to Tampa to avoid any mob tests, were wounded while fleeing. The daughter was twelve years old. The Orange county sheriff requested Tampa officials to have Estelle taken to a hospital for treatment.

BRITISH MINES TO BE IN FULL BLAST MONDAY London, Nov. 4.—Work is not expected to be fully resumed in the coal mines, closed by the recent miners' strike, before Monday, when the railways also are expected to institute normal service. Restrictions on light-work are likely to be removed tonight, but the limitations on the supply of household coal probably will be continued for the next two weeks.

HARD YARN SPINNERS TO CURTAIL PRODUCTION Charlotte, Nov. 4.—The Soft Yarn Spinners Association and the Hard Yarn Spinners Association had a joint meeting in this city today at which curtailment was practically decided on. The object of the meeting was to discuss conditions and prices and in view of the depressed condition of the market the association represented in the meeting practically voted on curtailment for the present.

PLAN ON FOOT TO POOL ALL LOW GRADE COTTON Corpus Christi, Texas, Nov. 4.—Plans to pool all low grade cotton in Texas for shipment to European countries will be considered at a state-wide meeting called today by the United Cotton Growers' Association for November 16 at Waco. Plans are signed by Fred Roberts, president of the organization, and thirty-two farmers of twenty-nine Texas counties.

ALIEN LAND LAW IN CALIFORNIA PASSES San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 4.—California, by a three to one vote Tuesday, passed the "anti-alien" land law, a measure intended to restrict tenure of land by non-ascendable aliens. The measure recently was the subject of diplomatic exchanges between the State Department and the Japanese foreign office.

PLANS FOR GREAT COTTON COMPANY Atlanta, Ga., Nov. 4.—Formation of a \$12,000,000 foreign trading corporation under the Edge Act for the purpose of financing dealings between the cotton growing States of the South and foreign countries will be actively begun at a meeting to be held in New Orleans on Saturday, November 6, and to be attended by prominent bankers from all of the Southern States.

Southern Bankers To Meet at New Orleans Saturday To Begin Organization TO FINANCE DEALINGS WITH FOREIGN NATIONS Plans Call For \$12,000,000 Foreign Trading Corporation To Be Formed Under The Edge Act; Is Not To Control Cotton Situation, But To Finance Sales of Cotton

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CLUB WOMEN WANT CENSORSHIP FOR IMMORAL MOVIES Unrestricted Public Dances De-nounced As Source of Modern Degeneracy CONSTRUCTIVE PROGRAM FOR COMMUNITY WORK Henderson Club Entertains Visitors at "Harvest Festival" and Reception; Legislative Council Formed To Take Up Outlets For Needed Social Measures in N. C.

Henderson, Nov. 4.—Suggestive moving pictures and unrestricted public dances were among the "problems of the new era" to which the council of the North Carolina Federation of Women's Clubs gave attention today, and these "modern evils" received the severest condemnation. The council is unanimously behind a censorship bill, which is now being drafted to be presented to the next session of the State General Assembly.

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ROCK ROAD AHEAD OF NEXT CONGRESS, KITCHIN DECLARES New Minority Leader Predicts That Democrats Will Win In Next Election EXCESS PROFITS ACT AN OBNOXIOUS MEASURE Republicans Bound To Stand Behind Esch-Cummins' R. E. Bill, Which Means Increased Burdens in Freight and Passenger Fares; Tarheel Leader In Fine Fettle For Fray

The News and Observer Bureau, 603 District National Bank Bldg. (By Special Leased Wire.) Washington, Nov. 4.—"Don't worry, the Democrats will come back to Congress two years from now with a majority that will make every Democrat smile," said Claude Kitchin, the new minority leader of the House.

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The following table showing the electoral votes as a result of Tuesday's election is based on latest returns. The outcome in Arizona, Nevada, New Mexico and North Dakota is still doubtful, and these states are not counted in the totals. These states involve fourteen electoral votes.

Table with columns for State, Harding, Cox, State, Harding, Cox. Lists electoral college results for various states including Alabama, Arkansas, California, etc.

LEAGUE DECEASED, SAYS MR. HARDING President-Elect Says New International Association Next On Program FIRST SPEECH SINCE ELECTION ON TUESDAY Does Not Question High Ideals of Versailles Covenant; Declares America Is Going To Play Her Part in The New World Relationship

Marion, Ohio, Nov. 4.—Making his first speech as President-elect, Warren G. Harding declared that the Versailles League of Nations was "now deceased," although the new administration intended to see that the nation played its part in a new international association founded on peace and justice.

NO BITUMINOUS COAL SHORTAGE IN NATION Head of National Coal Association Says Production Is at The High Mark New York, Nov. 4.—D. H. Wentz, of Philadelphia, president of the National Coal Association, composed of bituminous coal operators, declared there was no shortage of bituminous coal in the United States in his testimony here today before United States Senate committee on reconstruction and production, investigating the coal situation.

N. AND W. TO CONSTRUCT 1,000 STEEL COAL CARS Roanoke, Va., Nov. 4.—One thousand steel coal cars with a capacity of 120 tons each at a total cost of \$3,250,000 will be constructed in the local shops of the Norfolk and Western railway in the near future, officials of the road announced here today.

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W. S. Dollar Higher. Santiago, Chile, Nov. 4.—The United States dollar was today quoted at seven pesos, the highest price since early in 1918. The price had climbed from about five pesos during the last four months of America.