

# JOHN D. COOPER TAKEN BY DEATH

## Prominent Business Man of Henderson Dies; Funeral This Afternoon at 3

Henderson, Jan. 19.—Mr. John Downey Cooper, one of the oldest and most highly respected business men of Henderson, died at his home here last night at 7 o'clock. Death resulted from angina pectoris, the same disease which proved fatal to his brother, David Young Cooper, who died on December 20 last.

The funeral will take place at 3 o'clock tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon from the Methodist church and will be conducted by Rev. L. E. Thompson, the pastor. Interment will follow in Elmwood cemetery. The active pallbearers will be R. B. Crowder, W. P. Ghobson, W. B. Farham, A. H. Cheek, Harry Bush, B. H. Crisp, T. G. Horner, J. E. Young, honorary pallbearers, S. S. Farham, C. B. Cheatham, J. B. Owen, George A. Ross, W. S. Parker, George B. Harris, J. I. Miller, C. S. Brewer, J. H. Bridges, T. B. Bullock, A. A. Bush, T. L. Harris, R. G. S. Davis, T. T. Hicks, T. M. Pittman, Dr. H. T. Upchurch, P. H. Thomas, R. C. Corbett, A. S. Farham, E. L. Haskins, C. A. Lewis, J. B. Tappan, L. L. Barton, L. C. Kinsey, D. B. Kimball and B. J. Southard.

Mr. Cooper is survived by his wife who was Miss Fannie Burwell. His children are: Mrs. J. B. Farham, British American Tobacco Company, London; Lewis G. Cooper, recorder of Greenville; John D. Cooper, Jr., superintendent of the Harriet cotton mill; James W. Cooper, assistant superintendent of the Harriet cotton mill; A. Cooper, medical student at the University of Pennsylvania; Henry S. Cooper and Marshall Y. Cooper, students at the University of North Carolina; Mrs. A. A. Zollhoefer, of Henderson. He also is survived by two brothers, M. A. Cooper, of Waco, Texas, and J. C. Cooper, of Henderson.

Mr. Cooper was born in Granville county March 15, 1849, and was in his 72nd year. He was educated at Horner Military School. He has for many years been conspicuous in the business life of Henderson. He was president of the Farmers and Merchants Bank, president of the Carolina Baggage mills, president of the Farmers Loan and Supply Company and director and one of the largest stockholders in the Henderson and Harriet cotton mills.

## BALLOONIST TELLS OF SUFFERING FROM COLD

Rockaway, N. Y., Jan. 19.—Two of the three balloonists who were lost four days in frozen Canadian wilds after their recent flight, portrayed their sufferings from cold, hunger and worry today before a court of inquiry investigating the trip. One of them, Lieut. Walter Hinton, pictured the intense suffering of the eldest of the trio—Lieutenant Farrell—saying Farrell sank frequently from exhaustion, fainted and at one time after making remarks which Hinton told the court it would be "unfair" to quote, the younger officers conferred on the advisability of taking a knife away from him.

Lieutenant Hinton did not make clear whether Lieutenant Farrell had begged his companions to cut his throat, or his body for food and press on, as the former had stated in a letter to Mrs. Hinton—statements which led to the fight between the two airmen at Mattie. He briefly discussed this altercation and said he did not consider Farrell responsible for what he did or said, "due to his overwrought nerves and condition."

Lieutenant Farrell did not testify, as he was still ill, but the air station medical officers said he probably would be able to appear tomorrow. Hinton told the court of an instance showing the spirit of sacrifice shown by Lieutenant Kloor, the 23-year-old balloonist who commanded the party. On the morning of the second day's tramp they prepared to eat their first carrier pigeon, he said, and it was decided, after broiling the bird, that Hinton and Farrell would divide the breast, leaving the rest to Kloor. The "kid" complained that he was getting more than his share, and gave a wing to each of his companions.

## KINSTON FIGURES ALSO DECLARED TO BE WRONG

To The Editor: We note in your issue of the 17th inst. the publication of the tobacco sales on the various North Carolina markets, in which you name as the average for the Kinston market the present season \$13.35.

Our records, which should correspond with the North Carolina Crop Reporting records, show the following figures: 30,527,256 pounds sold for \$4,136,368.24, averaging \$13.76.

In justice to our market we shall deem it a favor if you will be kind enough to make the proper correction in the event you find our figures to be correct. THE KINSTON TOBACCO BOARD OF TRADE.

## ANOTHER ERROR IN FIGURES REPORTED BY SMITHFIELD

Smithfield, Jan. 19.—There was error in the News and Observer of the 16th, wherein it was stated that the average for the tobacco crop of the Smithfield tobacco market for the year 1920 was \$16.25. This should have been \$16.35, according to a statement made by the secretary of the Board of Tobacco Trade for Smithfield.

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## DURHAM BUSINESS MAN THINKS FUTURE BRIGHT

### William A. Erwin Predicts Cotton Will Eventually Bring Fair Price

Dunn, Jan. 19.—Cotton is going to reach a price somewhere near its cost of production and good times are going to return to the South in the not far distant future, according to William A. Erwin, head of one of the largest chains of cotton mills in the country, who was here yesterday.

But, he said, the country need not expect a repetition of the hectic days of the wild dollar and wilder profits. "We must get down to work," he declared, "determine to treat every man squarely and go back to the old time religion which prompted us to live soberly, honestly and reasonably."

"We have all professed," he continued, "and professing has not been good for us." Of course he excepted "so poor cotton mill men" from the list of profesters, but did admit that his warehouses were full of manufactured goods sold at the "highest prices the world has ever known." These goods, however, were never delivered to the purchasers, because when the public went on a strike against high prices the orders were cancelled.

## IRELL MAN DIES FROM INJURIES CAUSED BY FALL

Statesville, Jan. 19.—John Munday, who made his home at Mr. John Harkey's in Cool Spring township, died rather suddenly, Monday afternoon, his death, it is alleged, being due to the effects of whiskey.

Locally, he usually traveled in a dog cart, drawn by a horse. Monday morning he went to mill at Turnersburg. That afternoon, en route to his home, he was observed to have been riding first one way, then another. Finally some one noticed the horse had stopped in the road and investigation disclosed that Munday had fallen out, his body on the ground and his feet remaining in the cart. He breathed for some time.

## BIG LEAGUE TEAMS WILL PLAY IN WINSTON-SALEM

Winston-Salem, Jan. 19.—Arrangements have been completed by the athletic association of R. J. Reynolds Tobacco Co. for the appearance in this city on or near April 6 of the New York Americans and Brooklyn Nationals. The two big league baseball teams appeared here last April while returning North from their training camp in Florida. They drew the largest crowd that attended any of their games before the big league seasons opened.

## MARRIAGE LICENSES

MARRIAGE LICENSES. One marriage license was issued yesterday in the office of the register of deeds, the contracting parties being Thomas Garrett Crutchfield, of Washington, N. C., and Nancy Ruth Pope, of Raleigh.

## The Weather

Raleigh, N. C., Jan. 19, 1921. North Carolina—Partly cloudy and much warmer Thursday and Friday.

TEMPERATURE

Highest temperature	33
Lowest temperature	17
Mean temperature	25
Deficiency for the day	16
Average daily excess since Jan. 1st	3.2

PRECIPITATION (in inches)

Amount for the 24 hours ending at 8 p. m.	0
Total for the month to date	2.12
Deficiency for the month	.12
Deficiency since Jan. 1st	.32

HUMIDITY

8 a. m.	12 m.	8 p. m.	
Dry bulb	18	27	30
Wet bulb	15	22	25
Rel. humidity	52	43	45

PRESSURE (Reduced to Sea Level.)

8 a. m.	30.88	8 p. m.	30.83
Sunrise—7:23 a. m.	Sunset—5:28 p. m.		

## Poisoned by Thousands

(By L. W. Bower, M. D.)

Backache of any kind is often caused by kidney disorder. Poisonous matter and uric acid accumulate within the body in excess, overworking the sick kidneys, hence the congestion of blood causes backache in the same manner as a similar congestion in the head causes headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish, irritable, have spots appearing before the eyes, and lack ambition to do things.

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## PALMER CALLS ON SENATE TO PROBE

### Attorney General Demands Sweeping Investigation of Recent Charges

Washington, Jan. 19.—Insistence of Attorney General Palmer that a sweeping Congressional investigation be made of charges that Department of Justice agents in rounding up alleged radicals last winter were abusive and disregarded the legal rights of the accused, brought assurance today from a Senate judiciary sub-committee that it would hear first hand both the agents who supervised the raids and their critics.

The Attorney General appeared today before the sub-committee which was considering the advisability of granting amnesty to persons convicted of violating the espionage act and other war time laws. Mr. Palmer told the sub-committee that an amnesty proclamation would not effect an immediate and wholesale release of persons confined in prisons for violation of war time statutes, because such case would have to be gone into on its merits to see whether it came within the pale of the proclamation.

Mr. Palmer also discussed the charges made against his department by the National Popular Government League. These charges were drawn up, he declared, by a group of attorneys, "many of whom were counsel for persons arrested for deportation on charges of being alien radicals." Then asserting something more than blind allegations, hearsay evidence and loose charges on the part of persons "who are not disinterested," the attorney general asked that an attempt be made to ascertain the facts.

"I have nothing to go on but the reports of Department of Justice agents carefully selected men who have sworn to abide by the law, and tell the truth," said Mr. Palmer. "Naturally I believe them. As far as my men have obeyed the instructions given them by the department, I'll stand by them. If they have exceeded their authority or used high handed methods, I want to know it."

Senator Sterling, chairman of the sub-committee, announced that on next Tuesday it would have Professor Zachariah Chafee, of the Harvard law school faculty, one of the attorneys who preferred charges against the Department of Justice in the name of the National Popular Government League. The Attorney General was requested to have special agents who supervised last winter's roundup, also on hand Tuesday.

## ACCIDENTAL SHOOTING OF BOY CAUSES HIS DEATH

Farmville, Jan. 19.—The home of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Davenport was made sad by the death of Wallace, their 9-year-old son. He was shot by a rifle in the hands of some boys, and died instantly. The shooting was thought to be accidental. The coroner held an inquest but was unable to find out which boy did the shooting.

Endorse State Welfare Work. Winston-Salem, Jan. 19.—The Rotary Club of its weekly meeting went

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ON THE BUSY CORNER

## Congress Votes Down Effort For Increasing Size

(Continued From Page One.)

Federal Reserve Board today accepted an invitation to deliver an address at a dinner the Winston-Salem Board of Trade will give in that city Friday night. Mr. Harding will leave for the Twin City tomorrow night.

Representative Clyde Hoy appeared before the House public buildings and grounds committee this morning and gained a unanimous favorable report on the bill authorizing the exchange of a site and \$175,000 offered by the Gastonia Citizens National Bank for the present postoffice site.

Under the bill it is the plan to erect a new building on the site included in the transfer with the \$175,000 the bank will pay in the trade. The bill passed the Senate at the last session, but despite the unanimous report of the House committee, it is doubtful that it will be able to get it through at this session, because of the growing congestion of business.

## TURBULENT SESSION IN CONGRESS ON REAPPORTIONMENT

Washington, Jan. 19.—(By The Associated Press.)—At the end of the most turbulent session of the present Congress, the House today adopted the reapportionment bill with an amendment limiting its membership for the next ten years to the present total of 434.

The fight to prevent increase to 483 was won several hours earlier, however, when the House, sitting in committee of the whole, refused to postpone consideration of the whole question of reapportionment and then voted, 198 to 77, to keep the present maximum. It was after long parliamentary wrangling that the bill was brought before the House itself for a final show-down. The 434 vote of 207 to 76, and the measure made ready for Senate concurrence.

Right at the start the effort was made literally to knock the bill in the head by striking out the enacting clause. It started a veritable row during which the House got its feet tangled in parliamentary proceedings from which it was lifted back into an orderly run with difficulty.

After deciding to go ahead with the measure, Representative Barbour, Republican, California, member of the Census committee which reported it, managed to make himself heard above the din by proposing the 435 maximum adopted, around which the battle was waged. Other amendments were offered.

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## Notice to Tax Payers.

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## CITY MANAGER PLAN APPARENTLY DIES HERE

The city manager committee of the Chamber of Commerce, which was appointed recently to consider data regarding the city manager plan of municipal government, has adjourned indefinitely without making a report or recommendation. The committee, which is headed by Mr. R. Brown Shepherd, held its second meeting Monday night

in the rooms of the chamber and after further consideration of information for and against the city manager plan, decided to adjourn indefinitely, in the meantime leaving the matter intact.

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## Bill Offered To Radically Revise Revaluation Act

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It discriminates against member banks of the Federal Reserve system.

Senator Oates stated the bill "had been acted upon favorably by a unanimous vote of his committee and that the Attorney General" had pronounced it constitutional. However, it was referred to the Committee on Judiciary No. 2.

The only bill to slip through was the bill designed to permit the city of Goldsboro to sell bonds amounting to \$410,000 below par. The measure was passed in the form of a substitute, which requires the bonds to be sold at par, but permits a commission to be paid for the sale.

Senator Burgwyn attempted to take advantage of the passage of the bill in order to get through a measure authorizing the commissioners of his county to sell \$11,000 in gold bonds at not



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