IMPORTANT NEWS THE WORLD OVER

IMPORTANT HAPPENINGS OF THIS AND OTHER NATIONS FOR

SEVEN DAYS GIVEN

What is Taking Place in The South-Will Be Found in Brief Paragrapha

Domestic against the woman suffrage constitutional amendment.

Prohibition seems to have carried may yet shift either way.

Col. Robert Bacon, former ambassa-

had undergone an operation. offered by P. H. Quinn, national committeeman from Rhode Island, reviewand urging the support of all independ-

ent and progressive voters in the 1920 campaign to perpetuate those poli- awaiting evacuation. ad that the Carranza government will any other country in the world. ask the United States for permission | Kalut's last eruption was on the to transport troops through Texas, 23d of May, 1901, when one hundred New Mexico and Arizona, in order to and eighty-one persons were killed. put down the rebels in northern Mexlco. This is regarded as reflecting a situation more serious in Mexico

ais home in Pall Mall, Tenn., and realized what he has declared since he By unanimous vote the house ways injured more or less seriously. returned from France was the great- and means committee has ordered a est desire of his heart, the desire of favorable report on a resolution re-

again seeing his aged mother. As a fitting celebration of Memorial in the war revenue bill. Day, Hog Island at Philadelphia, es-;ablished a world's record for ship European launchings at one yard by sending overboard five 7,800-ton cargo carriers

The members of the national execuare in session in Chicago, and it is an- radical Socialist leader, and who renounced that 25,000 of the "extremist wing" of the party have been expelled

by vote of the committee. Speaking in support of the league of nations and discussing party issues before a public meeting in St. Louis smaller nations for examination is reattended by Democratic leaders of markable chiefly for its omissions and the speech of Dr. Karl Renner, the Missouri, Homer S. Cummings, chair- reservations. Subject heading after Austrian chancellor, who replied to man of the Democratic national com- subject heading is followed either by a Georges Clemenceau, the president of mittee, arraigned Republican leaders non-committal display of blank paper, for attempting to make the ratification of the league a partisan ques-

Washington

American army authorities are keeping open the question of permanent interment of bodies of American sol- tempt. It is impossible to compare which was all that was left of the diers who fell fighting in France.

ness during May, especially in those government along the route. My relines related to the leading retail marks were intended for those who has been divided and that it be aptrades which have felt the release of buying power held back by the war, is reported by the federal reserve told the London Evening Globe, reboard.

sued a warning against accepting the London to newspaper men. present prosperous wave at its full face value until conditions become NC-4 which made the first trans-At- seaplane NC-4 which arrived at Plymore clarified.

Atlantic in British ships is approximately \$82,000,000. Revolutionary outbreaks bulk very

large in advices received from Mexico Illinois, Frank P. Walsh and Michael templated no attempt at a non-stop City. Gen. Ernesto Damy, a major, four other officers and forty men composing a train guard of the Isthmus of Tehuantepec railroad, were killed re- Arthur Griffith and Count Plunkett to cently in an attack by rebels under Felix Diaz' command. General Damby's body was taken to Mexico City for a public funeral and is reported to have been attended by thou- Mr. Walsh. sands. Although the navy department has

placed itself on record as being opposed to launching new building pro- missiles, marched toward the house grams which would give the United of commons. The demonstration fol-States a navy "second to none in the lowed a big meeting held during the world," it is in favor of rushing to afternoon in Hyde park, where the completion all capital ships already discharged soldiers and sailors deauthorized, and of maintaining temporarily at least a force of men capable of handling "any emergency that held throughout England during the might arise." Blazing the way of the first air trail

from the western to the eastern hemisphere, the United States navy seaplane NC-4, under Lieutenant Commander Albert Cushing Read, swept into the harbor of Lisbon, Portugal, the first airship of any kind to have element.

sixteen thousand persons were killed or injured in a volcanic eruption in disposal of the league of Rec Cross

from Batavia. The Spring Outflt.

The average woman will find herments really constitute that. | or hats

roes of earlier wars sharing its tribute with those who fell in the struggle to maintain the liberties and ideal: for which their forefather fought. Motor trouble which caused the

NC-4 to be regarded as the "lame duck" of the American trans-Atlantic flight squadron until she left Trepassey bay, Newfoundland, prevented the THE NEWS OF THE SOUTH completion of her voyage from Lisbon to Plymouth. After covering 100 miles of the last leg of the history making flight, the big seaplane was forced to descend at the Mondego river.

President Wilson has informed official Washington that the council o' four at Paris has reached a full unde standing by which the United State Additional returns from the election will retain the 700,000 tons of German in Texas increased the majority shipping seized in American ports when this country entered the war.

The continued unsettled state of international affairs has led the war dein Texas, though the vote is close, and partment to decide definitely to resubmit the army bill which failed to The suffragettes in Texas are fig- pass in the last congress. This measaring on contesting the election in ure provides for a temporary force which it appears woman suffrage fail of about five hundred and thirty thou-

sands officers and men. Total subscriptions to the fifth Vicdor to France, died at the Eye and tory loan have been announced by the Dar hospital, in New York, where he treasury department as \$5,249,908,300. an oversubscription of nearly seven Members of the Democratic nation- hundred and fifty millions. It is esal committee closed a two-day session timated officially that there were in in Chicago by adopting a declaration the neighborhood of twelve million

subscribers to the loan. Withdrawal of the American forces ing the achievements of President from Archangel is actually under way, Wilson and the Democratic congress, according to cable advices to the war department, which stated that all the members of the 339th infantry were

The volcano Kalut (Keloet) is one Villa forces have proclaimed Gen- of the fourteen active volcanoes on eral Felipe Angeles provisional pres- the island of Java. Kalut is in eastident of Mexico himself and Villa him- ern Java south of Surabaya. For self secretary of war. It is reportits size Java has more volcanoes than

Much of the island of Java was laid waste in August, 1883, when the loss

than any since the triumph of the Car- of life was estimated at thirty-five canza forces over Villa three years | The policy of the navy department for a fleet "second to none in the and the New York explosions recoiled Sergeant Alvin C. York, pronounced world," has been temporarily aban- upon instigators of the reign of terrorby General Pershing as the greatest doned. Secretary Daniels believes in hero of the world war, has arrived at showing confidence in the proposed reached by the police. In some inleague of nations.

pealing the so-called semi-luxury tax NO ARROGANCE IS SHOWN

A sensation has been caused by a cently mysteriously escaped from pris-

order. resembling a censored French newspaper "discussion" of the controversial ments, or by the statement: "This

clause reserved." "The Americans misunderstood my point. I was not criticising their at-A noticeable upward trend in busi- to have battleships supplied by the regarded as only one of eight new renot supplying them." This is the substance of what Harry F. Hawker garding American press comment on The federal reserve board has is the speech he made at a luncheon in

The crew of the American seaplane tuguese foreign minister.

The efforts of ex-Governor Dunne of Rvan, representing various Irish societies in the United States to secure as the navy did not desire to make a safe conducts for Edward De Valera, spectacular showing, was not in any go to the peace conference to pre honors and did not favor "stunt" sent the Irish case ended with a flying. written communication from United States Secretary of State Lansing to WILSON IS APPEALED TO BY

Thousands of discharged British soldiers and sailors out of employment, armed with stones and other manded work and a minimum wage scale. Similar demonstrations were 26th of May.

Since the former German emperor has been acquainted with the peace terms he has become even more invisible to the outer world, says a mes sage from Amerongen.

The supreme economic council to crossed the Atlantic ocean under its the peace council will submit to the own power and through its natural governments composing it a plan for combatting the plague of trphus in A Tokio, Japan, dispatch says that eastern and southeastern Europe, which will include the placing at the central Java, on May 20. This infor societies the surplus medical and hosmation is contained in official advices pital supplies of the American and British armies

Light Brown, Modish Color. All the light brown tones are in self fairly well outfitted for spring by general use, and beige, biscuit, putty, purchasing a smart tailored suit and etc., are no longer a mode but an obsupplying it with a number of distinc- session. One sees good-looking onetive vests; a light-colored serge or piece frocks of serge, gabardine, hopwool jersey frock for street wear, and sacking, etc., by the hundreds, and an afternoon dress of figured silk volle two out of every three suits seem to or headed georgette. Blouses and ac- be in these same colorings. Green is ican union. The president of the of Yorkville, Ind., were pronounced company, had attempted to make the F and G of the 306th ammunition ressories and the evening dress prob- also very much worn and is freicm can easily be adjusted once the quently introduced to give a refoundation of the wardrobe is well lieving note in touches of embroidery placed, and the three first named gar- or in trimming arrangements of frocks

With depend solemnity the first Memorial day after the close of the great world conflit was observed in the national capital, the nation's he-

ANOTHER ATTEMPT AT MURDER AT WHOLESALE IS MADE IN A NUMBER OF CITIES.

Death Toll of Two or Three Appears to Have Been Confined to Ranks of Bomb-Planters Themselves.

Washington. - Another attempted eign of terror, directed chiefly against public officials who have been active in their prosecution, was launched by American radicals shortly before midnight

A bomb explosion which damaged the residence of Attorney General A. Mitchell Palmer in the fashionable northwest section of Washington, but which apparently resulted only in the death of the bomb planter ,was followed at intervals by similar explosions in seven other cities in a belt extending from Cleveland to Boston.

Besides Washington, Cleveland and Boston, cities in which bomb outrages occurred, were Pittsburgh, Paterson, N. J., West Philadelphia, New York and Newtonville, Mass. West Philadelphia and Pittsburgh were subjected

to two sparate explosions. Bombs intended by anarchists for men who had directed the force of law against them, pronounced sentence against radicals or introduced legislation intended to check their machinations, failed in every case to claim their victims. In several cases, however, families of public officials and the public officials themselves experienced narrow escapes. The death toll of two taken in the Washington ism, according to first conclusions stances

BY AUSTRIAN DELEGATION

St. Germain.-The representatives of the vanquished Austrian nation met statement published by the Berlin in- the victors at today's ceremony in dependent newspaper Freiheit that the fifteenth century castle of St. Lieutenant Vogel, who was convicted Germain to appeal for grace and just tive committee of the Socialist party of the murder of Rosa Luxemburg, the and kindly treatment. No trace of the arrogant spirit with which Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau, head of the on, had been released under a false German peace delegation, attempted at ersailles to arraign the allied pow-A summary of the skeleton of the ers as jointly responsible for the war Austrian treaty submitted to the and demanded participation in the negotiations on equal terms, marked

Th Austrian plenipotentiary did not seek to extenuate the guilt of the part of the day's diplomatic develop- former Austro-Hungarian government

for "the horrible crime of 1914." He asked only that the full weight of the punishment should not fall solely on the little mountain republic the two flights. We did not wish once mighty Austria, but that it be publics into which the old monarchy were criticising the government for portioned no more of the penalty than it could bear.

SEAPLANE NC4 WILL NOT ATTEMPT A RETURN FLIGHT

lantic aerial passage and landed at mouth, England, thereby completing Lisbon from the Azores, has been dec- the first trans-Atlantic flight, will not million American soldiers across the orated with the grand cross of the attempt a non-stop or any other kind Order of the Tower and Sword. The of a flight back to the United States. decoration was presented by the Por- will be dissembled and shipped to this country.

> The secretary said the navy con competition for trans-Atlantic flight

Paris -In view of the failure of al efforts to have the Sinn Fein delegates appear before the peace conference Walsh, Ryan and Dunn have addressed a note to President Wilson begging permission for themselves to present the resolutions adopted by the Philadelphia convention. It is a foregone conclusion that after an exchange of letters with Wilson that the Brtiish American delegation's latest request will meet the same fate.

RATE INCREASES ARE UPHELD BY THE U. S. SUPREME COURT

Washington.-Increased railroad telephone and telegraph rates ordered the postmaster general, respectively, which held that the war power conferred by congress upon the president included sweeping control over the railroad and wire systems with "suintrastate rates.

TWENTY-ONE REPUBLICS ARE

REPRESENTED IN CONFERENCE Washington. - With 21 American republics officially represented and with nearly 500 delegates present, the erty motors beating the wedding second pan-American commercial con- march, Lieut. R. W. Meade, of Cincinference was opened at the pan-Amer- nati, O., and Miss Marjorie Dumont, United States, the presidents of Chile, man and wife more than 2,000 feet government operation of the telegraph train. The vessel also has aboard the Ecuador, Guatemala, Bolivia and Uru- above the heads of 10,000 spectators system a failure, and an alternate de- third corps artillery park and three guay, the provisional president of at Ellington field. After the ceremony fense of and attack upon Postmaster casual companies. Venezuela and the secretary of for was completed the pilot drove the ship Burleson were features of hearings

grams of greeting.

NARROW ESCAPE OF PEOPLE SEEMINGLY LAST THROES OF ATTORNEY GENERAL ARE CAMOUFLAGED

HUN NEWSBOYS VENDING FULL TEXT OF THE TREATY ON STREETS.

The Cry of "Beware, This Translation Is German Made," Does Not Les-

son Humor of the Situation. London.-While President Wilson and Premiers Lloyd George and Clemenceau imagined that they were keeping from the world the exact text of the peace treaty, Germany stole a march, for they have put it out in a pamphlet form, selling it upon the streets of their cities.

Those who have seen parts of the original peace treaty in Paris say that the official press summary was rigged with special sharp teeth for political effect in France and England. The clauses upon reparations are as one instance, the clauses being less severe in The Times forecast published the day before the Germans got the treaty than in the official digest arranged for the press at Paris.

The pity is that the Big Three let the Germans come along first with the full text of the treaty. They are now crying "beware, this translation is German made." It does not lessen the rather ridiculous plight the Big Three may now find themselves in, in consequence of trying to make the people at home think that the terms are more severe than they really were. Nor does the attempt to cover the hiatus between the press summary and the first draft with the explanation that constant changes are necessary before the final draft will be reached smother the humor of the situation that the Germans have apparently created.

IN FIFTY MINUTE FIGHT THE ANARCHIST FLEET IS ROUTED

Helsingfors.-A fifty-minute fight occurred between a bolshevik fleet comprising the battleship Petropavlosk (23,703 tons) and battleships which had been bombarding the coast west of Krasnaia Gorka (15 miles west of Kronstadt) and seven British warships. The Russians eventually fled to Kronstadt

The encounter, which took place the gulf of Finland, was the second the British have had recently with bolshevik naval forces which are trying to harry the Esthonian army approaching Petrograd from the west, On May 18 a thirty-live minute naval fight occurred not far from the local ity of the one now reported. It had a similar result, the bolshevik fleet retiring to Kronstadt.

LONDON POLICE STRIKE IS

POSTPONED OR ABANDONED London.-London's threatened police strike, for which the members of the force voted by a big majority, has been called off for the present. At the demonstration in Hyde park which had been arranged by the police it was announced that the executive committee o ftheir organization had

after peace was signed. The announcement also was made at the Hyde park meeting that the official ballot of the policemen on the question of a strike was 44,549 in favor of and 4.324 against a walkout Secretary Hays, of the police union in giving out the figures, explained that the strike committee was not anxious to call a walkout if it could have the men's grievances redressed

in any other way. ANGELES "WISES" WASHINGTON

AS TO MEXICAN REVOLUTION

geles, recently proclaimed by Villa's forces as provisional president of Mexico, has sent a communication to Washington for presentation to the state department, setting forth his objects in leading the revolution now in progress in northern Mexico.

GEN. FAISON TO ADDRESS IRISH-AMERICAN DELEGATES STATE BANKERS' MEETING

Winston-Salem.-President Jas. A. Grav, of the North Carolina Bankers Association, announces that the an nual meeting of financiers will be held in Winston-Salem, August 20-22. The meeting is expected to be most interesting and valuable. Announcement is made of the coming of several speakers of national reputation. These include General S. L. Faison, commander of the famous Thirtieth division.

WANT "PEOPLES BANK"

ORGANIZED IN ALL STATES New York .- A campaign to bring about organization in every state of "peoples banks," designed to meet the needs of laborers, salaried men, small ned at a meeting of representative business men. . A committee was ap- meeting at Athlone on May 5. Lawpointed to work for adoption by Con- rence Ginnell was attempting to ad- modities on the market by rea-T. W. Bickett, of North Carolina.

MARRIED 2,000 FEET UP

IN AIR IN AN AIRPLANE Houston, Texas.-With the deafening exhaust from two 2-cylinder Libeign affairs of Salvador sent cable for a 20-minute cruise through the before the senate commerce commit "Wild Cat" division is fue also at ht clouds.

SAY THEIR PLANS OF LEAGUE GENERAL FELIPE ANGELES PROVISIONAL PRESIDENT.

INSTIGATORS CHIEF VICTIMS BIG THREE MADE RIDICULOUS STILL PLEADING INABILITY VILLA IS SECRETARY OF WAR

Clemenceau, Speaking of Germans in Speech Said, "You Must Sign Either at Versailles or Berlin.

HUN RESISTANCE

OF NATIONS ARE SUPERIOR

TO THOSE OF WILSON.

Berlin.-Germany is willing to agree ing her military, aerial and naval forces contained in the draft of the peace treaty, provided that she is permitted to enter the league of nations on an equal footing immediately upon the signing of peace and particularly tnat she be permitted to share in the complete equality and reciprocity of

all nations in the economic domain. This declaration is contained in the second section of the German memorandum embodying the counter proposals to the peace terms. At the same time, it is declared, the German delegation holds to its idea of the superiority of its own draft of proposals for a league of nations.

"The covering note," presented to the peace conference by the German

delegation says: "We came to Versailles expecting to receive a peace proposal framed according to the agreed basis. We had a firm resolve to do everything in our power to fulfill the heavy obligations assumed by us. We were shocked when we read in that document the demands which the victorious might of our opponents had set forth. The more we studied the spirit of the treaty, the more we were convinced of the impossibility of carrying it out. The demands of this treaty go beyond the strength of the German people."

London.-Premier Lloyd George, in his speech to the Welsh division at Amiens, declared, according to The

South Wales Daily News: "We say to the Germans: 'Gentlemen, you must sign. If you don't do so at Versailles, you shall do so in Berlin. We are not going to give

FIFTEEN STEAMERS TO TAKE FOOD TO HUNGRY SIBERIANS

London.-Jonas Lied, whose name has long been associated with the dejust returned from Omsk and has been authorized by the Kolchak administration to make arrangements for the dispatch without delay of 15 steamers of 3,500 tons each with cargo for the Siberian population to be de-

livered by way of the Kara sea. It is proposed that 10 of these steamers shall start from England and five from New York. Appropriate British and American cargoes are asked for. In exchange for a wide selection of manufactured goods, the Kolchak administration has authorized the exports of homp, flax, hides,

furs, wool and other products. SENATOR OVERMAN REGRETS

MAKING LEAGUE AN ISSUE | REVISED LEAGUE COVENANT Washington.-Washington and New York newspapers made a feature of a statement of Senator Overman to the vote, at a public meeting at the City effect that the Democratic national Auditorium, the mid-biennial council committee made a mistake to declare that it will accept the league of na-

Mr. Overman is quoted as follows: tions should not be made a party issue, it should be entirely nonpartisan; those of every political party should join in and support it from purely patriotic motives. "It is a mistake to try and limit its

tions as a party issue.

support to those of one political faith. "I am somewhat surprised at the action of the democratic national committee. In any event it can have no influence or control over the senate." APART FROM GERMANY

"AUSTRIA IS DOOMED."

Vienna.-"Austria is doomed to economic death if she does not join Germany," said Herr Setz, president of the Austrian republic. "Overloaded as Austria is with this Vienna of 2. 000,000 inhabitants we have not much industry. "The proposed Danube economic

sible because neither the Czechs nor Slavs are willing for such a union."

SINN FEIN MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT ARRESTED

Dublin.-Lawrence Ginnell, Sinn Fein member of parliament for West Meath, was arrested on charges made in connection with a speech delivered at Athlone. British troops broke up a forbidden

preme and conclusive" authority to fix banks. Members include Governor peared. Several persons were wound

COMMITTEE HEARS POSTAL

AND WESTERN UNION MEN. Washington.-Charges by Newcomb Union Telegraph company, that Ed- home from France are due at Newager of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Missouri, which brings companies E,

MEXICAN MATTERS SECRETARY DANIELS GROWING SERIOUS WANTS READY NAVY

VILLA FORCES HAVE ELECTED

Carranza Government Asks Permission to Move Troops Through Texas New Mexico and Arizona.

Washington.-Villa forces have proto the proposed stipulations regard. claimed General Felipe Angeles pro visional president of Mexico and Villa himself, secretary of war.

The move, coming at the climax of military operations considered by the Carranza government so serious that it has asked the United States for permission to move troops through Texas, New Mexico and Arizona, is regarded here as reflecting a situation more serious in Mexico than any since the triumph of Carranza forces over Villa three years ago. Viewed in connection with activities of the Felicista forces in southern Mexico the situation is regarded as full of

possibilities Angeles' reported first proclamation announcing that Americans in Mexico would be protected is particularly interesting to officials here, coming as it does on the heels of the refusar of the state department to grant Carranza's request that he be allowed to move troops through American territory for the purpose of protecting Americans in Chihuahua.

Acting Secretary Polk announced that he had notified the Mexican government he could not grant the request made unless assurances could be given that Americans would be afforded protection while the troops were in transit. That this could not be done had been admitted previously by the Mexican authorities. Governor Hobby, of Texas, declined to authorize the passage of Mexican troops through Texas without guarantees of protection to Americans and so notified the state department.

SERGEANT YORK, OF ARGONNE. RECEIVES HIS DISCHARGE

Chattanooga, Tenn.-Sergeant Alvin C. York, Tennessee mountaineer and hero of the battle of the Argonne, who arrived here en route to Fort Oglethorpe, received his discharge from the army and will leave for his home at Pall Mall. Fentress county

Sergeant York arrived at the fort and 30 minutes later had received his physical examination and discharge from the service, all the papers having been prepared in advance. Sergeant York wired Senator Kenneth D. McKellar asking him to introduce the necessary legislation allowing the return of the revolver-number 24,048 -with which he killed the Germans at the time of his Argonne exploit. The revolver was turned over to the army quartermaster at Retz. France. York was made an honorary member of the Chattanooga Rotary Club

and elected a delegate to the Salt Lake convention by the Rotarians.

Asheville, N. C .- By unanimous of the General Federation of Women's Clubs of America decided to adopt the revised covenant of the league of nations. President Wilson was cabled "In my opinion the league of na- of this act and the foreign relations committee will be wired. Each woman present, over 500, pledged herself to write to her state senator telling him

> asking his support in the matter. Unanimously adopting the 10 plans presented by Mrs. J. D. Sherman, of Chicago, for the Americanization which is planned by the General Federation of Women's Clubs, took the first definite step toward that end.

of the stand taken by the council and

SALVATION ARMY DRIVE BELIEVED BEYOND GOAL

New York .- While complete figures are lacking, there is every indication that the Salvation army passed the \$13,000,000 goal in its home service campaign by approximately \$3,000,000. record made by the army in France confederation is in my opinoin impos- and in earlier years at home guarantees that its work of the future will be well done."

SEES LITTLE PROSPECT

OF REDUCTION IN PRICES Washington - Relief that the country's street railway systems will have to seek relief in directions other than a reduction in cost of labor and materials was expressed by T. S. Holden, of the department of labor. Mr. Holden declared that building

other goods. THE "WILD CAT" DIVISION

IS NOW HOMEWARD BOUND Washington.-The first units of the Carlton, president of the Western | \$1st (Wild Cat) division to return ward Reynolds, formerly general man- port News June 7 on the battleship

> The 317th field artillary of the Newport News June 9.

THINKS 10 BATTLESHIPS AND SIX CRUISERS SHOULD BE

COMPLETED AT ONCE.

Between Now and End of War Depart ment Will Have Time to Carefully Consider Situation.

Washington. -Although the pavy department has placed itself on record as being opposed to launching new builing programs which would give the United States a navy "second to none in the world," it is in favor of rushing to completion all capital ships already authorized and of maintaining temporarily at least, a force of men capable ofhandling "any emer-

gency which might arise." Secretary Daniels, continuing his testimony before the house naval affairs committee, read a communication from the general board which reaommended that the 10 battleships and six battle cruisers authorized in the 1916 program should be completed as soon as possible.

Recommendation was made by the secretary that provision be made in the 1920 appropriation bill for a navy of 250,000 men, only 23,000 less than are now in the service. He asserted that unless this number was authorized, the navy would be unable to aid materially in bringing American troops home from Europe and in addition would be "dangerously weakened."

Mr. Daniels emphasized that the navy department did not intend to ask Congress at this time for a permanent navy of 250,000 men but only for a temporary force large enough to take care of the work arising in the transition period between war and peace. Between now and the end of the war wolud have time to study carefully the situation and arrive at a definite conclusion as to the country's needs.

EDMONDS CHAMPIONS CAUSE

OF SOUTHERN COTTON MEN Atlantic City, N. J.-There can be no universal prosperity in America until the cotton growers of the South get a square deal," declared Richard H. Edmonds, editor of the Manufacturers' Record, in addressing the opening session of the 23rd annual convention of the American Cotton

Growers' Association. "We are not asking for government paternalism. The South is not seeking any favors. What it does ask is that the cotton crop shall be regarded not as a sectional product but as a great national asset." he continued "Never since 1865 have the cotton producers attained a fair measure of prosperity. Every effort to better prices for them have been vigorously assailed in manufacturing and finan-

cial circles in the East and in Eng-"If the South had never produced bale of cotton it would have been infinitely better off today. Without cotton the South would be the center of the food producing power of Amer-

ANGRY MOB AT LAMA, MO.

ica." LYNCH IS LYNCHED BY AN

Springfield, Mo.-Jay Lynch, slayer of Sheriff John Harlow and Harlow's son March 3, was hanged by a mob at Lama, Mo. Lynch, who was captured in Coloado a few weeks ago, was being ar-

raigned in the Barton county courthouse. A mob quickly assembled and, taking the prisoner from the officers, hanged him in the courthouse yard. Lynch was mobbed while seated in the courtroom. Men held the officers and seizing the prisoner, dragged him down the steps of the courthouse to an elm tree about 25 feet from the entrance. Lynch had entered a plea of "guilty" to the charge of murdering Sheriff Harlow and his son and had been given a life sentence.

GERMAN PRESS COMMENTS ON COUNTER-PROPOSALS

Berlin.-The newspapers comment at great length on the German counter proposals. Theodor Wolff in The Tageblatt says that the whole counter draft corresponds to the Demo cratic ideals of right, and in no way Thanking the publoc for its support, to military nationalist conceptions. June 17 and 18, for the purpose of dis-Mr. Whitman asserted that "the The demand that the occupation troops shall return home in six sion activity in this State during the months at the latest might also be coming fiscal year. Both men and reckoned as meant to effect the preservation of German sovereignty.

BOLSHEVIK'S INTERNAL TROUBLES INCREASING

London.-The bolsheviki are faced by further internal troubles and the official statement received here by wireless from Moscow refers to the "internal front" where "an advance against Vinnista has been stopped." According to a telgram received a charge of attacking a 16-year-old here from Kem, the bolshevik commaterials were the cheapest commissioners in the Shunga district were 29, was found guilty by a jury and gress of a federal law authorizing the dress the meeting when the troops ap- son of a less advance in prices of killed and the red guards dispersed. sentenced to die in the electric chair building materials than the prices of | Confirmation of this report is contain. | at the state penitentiary at Raleigh ed in the Russian wireless statement. on June 27.

BARRIER MUST BE RAISED TO KEEP OUT CHEAP GOODS beer was destroyed by county officers

Atlantic City, N. J.-Arthur J. Dra. ship still. Two negroes were working per, of Charlotte, N. C., president of at the still and apparently were in the American Cotton Manufacturers Association, declared in an address ficers arrived on the scene. before the annual convention of that organization here that if the cotton

trade," he said.

OVER THE LAND OF THE LONG LEAF PINE

SHORT NOTES OF INTEREST TO CAROLINIANS.

his position with the Times.

Asheville.-Horace Sentelle, business manager of the Asheville Times. and several associates will soon open a print shop in the city. Mr. Sentelle, it is understood, will continue to hold

Charlotte.-Charlotte people will be interested to know that Phillip Kline. a Charlotte boy, was rescued from the steamer Virginian, which was destroyed a few days ago between Baltimore and Norfalk.

Chapel Hill.-Twenty students will

be selected from the State University to attend a small arms school at Paris Island, S. C., this summer. Asheville.-The grand council of the United Commercial Travelers of the two Carolinas will meet in Asheville

June 13-14, guests of local Council No. Washington .- it was announced by the war department that Lieutenant Seazer and Sergeant First Class A. R. Reith arrived at Tarboro, N. C., from

with headquarters at the Langren

Langley field in Curtis JU-6 in 90 minutes, distance 125 miles. Raleigh.-A statement issued by the trustees of the State College of Agriculture and Engineering completely exonerated President W. C. Riddick from the charges against him made by the students in their recent round robin, demanding his resignation.

ment deserving utmost confidence. Asheville.-The two United States senators from North Carolina will be urged to vote for woman suffrage by

Trustees declare the college manage-

the central labor union of Asheville. Hickory. - Hickory officers were earching for two white boys who in broad daylight entered the home of Charlie Watson at Connelly Springs

and made off with \$250 in money.

taugua opened with a record attendance. The guarantors went over the top nicely with the guarantee, and the seven-day program starts off well. Winston-Salem. - Jesse N. Burke was killed, and a man named Kelly, perhaps fatally injured at Burk's mill. six miles west of town, when one of

Salisbury .- Salisbury's annual chau-

sulting in a few minutes. Another piece hit Kelly on the leg, breaking it. Asheville.-At the meeting of the North Carolina Grand Lodge I. O. O. F., it was decided to hold the next

the combers burst, one piece of stone

striking Burke on the head, death re-

meeting of the Grand Lodge, May 19 of next year at Gastonia. Wilmington.-Chairman Frank Page of the State Highway Commission has announced that State and Federal aid will be available for the building of some 1,500 feet of causeway within the city limits across the marches of Brunswick county. The improve-

Asheville.-During the last 10 days, 10 stills have been destroyed in this immediate section.

ment to this road will cost \$150,000.

Kings Mountain.-The Victory Gin Company, recently organized here by about 100 of the leading farmers and citizens of Kings Mountain have placed an order for the big gin outfit.

Concord.-A Campaign is to be was

ed in Concord and Cabarrus county for

subscriptions for an endowment fund

for the Laura Sundarland Memorial school, the school conducted here by the Northern Presbyterian church. The sum desired to be raised here is Salisbury.-Ellis Troutman, son of James E. Troutman, of Rockwell, this county, is in a local hospital suffering from what is feared will prove a fatal

injury. While hunting squirrels he ac-

cidentally shot himself in the abdo-

men with a 22 rifle, the bullet making

two dozen perforations. Louisburg .- Sheriff H. A. Kearney captured an 80-gallon still on the R. P. Taylor farm, five miles from Louisburg. He got the still completed.

Raleigh.-A conference of District Agents, Extension Workers and memhers of the office of Extension Work at Washington will be held at Raleigh, cussing all plans of agricultural extenwomen workers will take part in this

Winston-Salem.-Salem College has closed its 118th annual session, presenting diplomas to 40 young ladies. representing North and South Care lina, Virginia and Tennessee

Newton.-Tom Gwynn, negro, who

was placed on trial at a special term of Catawba county superior court on high school girl near Hickory on April Durham.-More than 500 gallons of

when they raided a Patterson town-

the act of starting a run when the of-

Reidsville.—An enthusiastic meeting men were to continue their present of the joint committees from the town big wage scale there would have t of Reidsville, C. & A. association and be a barrier to keep out the influx of Red Cross chapter, was held for the cotton goods made by cheap labor. | purpose of perfecting plans for the entertainment of the returned soldiers "This applied equally to our export of Rockingham county here on July &