

MILLIONS ARE VOTED BY CONGRESS TO BUILD GOOD ROADS IN NATION

CONGRESSMEN OF N. C. STAND SOLID IN FAVOR OF BILL

Freely Predicted Bill Will Encounter Opposition in Senate

CHIEF OPPOSITION FROM REPUBLICANS

UNDER PROVISIONS OF BILL, THIS STATE WILL BE ENTITLED TO \$655,670, PROVIDED STATE PUTS UP EQUAL AMOUNT—THIRD ROAD BILL PASSED BY THE HOUSE

FRANK E. WADE, OF BUFFALO, IS PICKED TO SUCCEED RILEY



New York, Jan. 25.—According to reports from Albany, Frank E. Wade, a prominent Buffalo attorney, vice-president of the State Prison Commission and a Republican, will be named to succeed State Superintendent of Prisons, John B. Riley, who has been ousted by Governor Whitman on charges of incompetence in office.

NEW BERN HOST TO NORTH CAROLINA FORESTRY ASSO.

State Geologist Jos. Hyde Pratt Made Principal Address Yesterday

GOVERNOR CRAIG UNABLE TO ATTEND

CONSERVATION OF OUR FORESTS WAS KEYNOTE OF DISCUSSIONS—FORESTERS WILL VISIT THE ROPER LUMBER COMPANY TODAY—SECRETARY J. S. HOLMES MAKES REPORT

New Bern, Jan. 25.—With a gratifying number of delegates from all parts of the State and a number of visitors from other States in attendance, the sixth annual convention of the North Carolina Forestry Association convened here this morning.

The program today was featured by an interesting address by President Nathan O'Berry of Goldsboro, and the report of Secretary J. S. Holmes, the latter telling in detail of the work accomplished during the past 12 months. Governor Craig was to have been present, but was unable to attend.

Tonight Joseph Hyde Pratt, State Geologist, was the principal speaker on the program. His address was heard by many and proved to be interesting and enjoyable. Following this address the election of officers is to be held.

Tomorrow the foresters will be taken to the John L. Roper Lumber Company's logging camp at Camp Perry, where they will be shown the growth of loblolly pine and where they will be the guests of the Roper Company.

Through all the sessions held today, "conservation of our forests" was the keynote of the discussions and every member of the association is determined to do his part to bring about this state of affairs.

Royal Mother and Daughter Estranged By Montenegro's Attempt To Make Peace



Queen Helena of Italy and her mother, Queen Milena of Montenegro. Rome, Jan. 25.—It is said here that Queen Milena of Montenegro, mother of the Italian Queen, refused to accept the hospitality of her royal daughter and spent the night in her sleeping car while passing through Rome, en route to Lyons, France, the new seat of the Montenegrin government. Queen Milena, says the report, was stung by the harsh Italian attacks upon King Nicholas of Montenegro, because of a charge that he had entered into a secret agreement with the Austrians two months ago.

Queen Helena, however, it is said, ignored the rebuff of her royal mother and visited her in her car the next morning. A reconciliation is said to have taken place.

TURKS CLAIM VICTORY OVER BRITISH ARMY NEAR KUT-EL-AMARA

GREAT ADDRESS BY EX-GOV. GLENN HERE LAST NIGHT

Heard by a Large Congregation at Centenary Church on "Character Building"

CHARACTER IS GREATEST ASSET

FORMER GOVERNOR SHOWS FEARFUL COST OF INTemperance AND ITS BANEFUL RESULTS—SHOWS SUMS SPENT FOR CHURCH WORK AND HUGE SUMS FOR VICE

Pleading for greater attention on the part of parents to the rearing of their children, and constant care in the elimination of baneful influences which effect both children and society, ex-Gov. Robert B. Glenn delivered a splendid address at Centenary Methodist church last night on the subject, "The Great Remedy for Evil," or "Character Building."

While given under the auspices of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the address did not deal altogether with the subject of temperance. Indeed, the speaker started out with the assertion that parents should train their children better, neglect in that respect being responsible for many of the evils of society, according to the speaker.

The speaker pictured the progress that has been made by the cause of temperance. There are now 10 "dry" States and four more will become "dry" this year. Half the people of the Nation live in "dry" territory. He prophesied the advent of prohibition in the entire Nation.

He declared that one of the great fundamental needs of the times is to instill the idea of obedience into children. He attributed ninety-five per cent of the waywardness of boys and girls to the neglect of their parents to teach them the vital need of obedience. He would not have people go about with long faces; they should enjoy the happiness that comes with a consciousness of living purely and nobly. But many parents neglect their children.

Fathers, too, are neglectful. They leave their homes at night to go downtown, when they should be with their families. A father should let his home be his club, and should be the chum of his sons and daughters. He should instill into the minds of his boys a pure and noble life into the minds of his children.

This is an age when men are thinking of getting rich, in thinking of pleasure.

TURKISH LOSSES REPORTED HEAVY IN THE CAUCASUS

Petrograd Claims Capture of Many Prisoners and Munitions

OTHER FRONTS CONTINUE QUIET

ALLIED AIRMEN KILL 100 IN RAIDS ON TEUTONIC POSITIONS AT MONASTIR AND GIEVOLI—GERMANS DROP BOMBS ON AERODROME AT NAGY AND AT BACCARAT

London, Jan. 25.—If Turkish headquarters reports are correct, the British have suffered a somewhat severe defeat in their endeavor to reach the besieged British army at Kut-El-Amara. The Turkish claim that 20 miles from there they drove the British back, after six hours' battle, the British losing 3,000 killed, the Turkish losses being light.

The British advancing from Montenegro, south of Kut-El-Amara, were compelled to retreat, leaving 100 dead, according to the Turks.

Heavy Turkish Losses. In the Caucasus, Petrograd reports say the Turkish losses have been 50 officers and 4,000 men captured, aside from their actual casualties, and the Russian took large quantities of guns and ammunition.

Other Fronts Quiet. Aside from the usual bombardments and mining operations and aeroplane raids, there has been little fighting on the other fronts, except in the Artois, in Adana, where the German infantry swept forward after an intense artillery fire. Paris claims the attack was repulsed.

The Austro-Hungarian resumption of hostilities in Montenegro and that the Montenegrin soldiers are rapidly disarming. King Nicholas has reached Lyons, France, to remain with his family there.

There has been much aircraft activity. Allied airmen dropped more bombs on the Teutonic positions at Monastir and Gievoli, and estimate 100 killed and wounded at Gievoli. The Germans dropped bombs on Dunkirk, killing five. They also dropped bombs on the aerodrome at Nagy and Factories at Baccarat.

Germans Repulsed. Paris, Jan. 25.—The French war office statement on the progress of hostilities given out this afternoon says that last night there was continued artillery activity in the vicinity of Nieuport in Belgium. The results of this fire are described as favorable to the French.

German troops at one point penetrated the first line of trenches but they were at once driven out after a very spirited fight.

In the Artois district yesterday evening German forces attacked the French lines over a distance of 1,500 yards. The preparatory work consisted in the explosion of a number of mines, followed by a very violent bombardment.

The Germans were driven back to their lines by the French fire, according to the official statement. They were successful in occupying some craters, however, but from these they were later expelled.

Sultan's Yacht Torpedoed. London, Jan. 25.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph Company from Athens says the Sultan's yacht *Ertugral*, according to reports from Constantinople, was torpedoed in the Aegean by a French submarine in the latter part of December. The vessel was seriously damaged but is still afloat.

Attack Made on Russians. Berlin, Jan. 25.—Advices received by the Overseas News Agency from Persia say that Naib Hussein Khan, a prominent Persian leader, and his son joined the native volunteers, numbering 4,000 men and attacked the Russian troops near Sar. The Russians, according to the report, lost two machine guns and a quantity of ammunition as well as a number of prisoners.

Washington, Jan. 24.—The Shackelford good roads bill, carrying an appropriation of \$25,000,000 to aid States in improving their post roads, passed the House this afternoon 281 to 81. States would share in the money in proportion to their population and their post roads.

It is freely predicted the bill will encounter strong opposition in the Senate.

Tar Heels Vote For Bill

Washington, Jan. 25.—All ten of the North Carolina Congressmen voted in favor of the good roads bill, which was passed by the House late this afternoon by a vote of 281 to 81. The bill authorizes the expenditure of \$25,000,000 for the improvement of rural roads on a co-operative "fifty-fifty" basis between the Federal government and every State that wishes to cooperate.

655,670 For This State

Under the provisions of this bill, if the North Carolina Legislature appropriates for co-operation with the Federal government or the different counties or communities, put up the money, \$655,670 of the \$25,000,000 will be spent on North Carolina roads by the Federal government and an equal amount by the State.

The chief opposition to the bill came from the Republican side and from men who insisted this money should be spent for military and naval preparedness. This is the third time the House has passed a good roads bill.

U.S. EXPERTS WITH WARRING ARMIES

War Department will Build Guns on Plan of Famous German 42's

Washington, Jan. 25.—Colonel Charles C. Treat of the army war college told Senate military committee today that the War Department had definite information as to the famous 42-centimeter Howitzers the Germans used to crush their way through the French frontier forts, and that plans for similar guns will be prepared by American experts. The guns can be fired without mounting them on concrete emplacements, Treat said.

Much that Treat said was treated as confidential, but it is known he told the committee the United States has an observer with the armies of each belligerent Nation, and their reports are valuable.

MORE OFFICERS FOR MEDICAL DEPARTMENT OF NAT'L GUARDS

Raleigh, Jan. 25.—Adjutant General Young of the North Carolina National Guards, issued commissions today to three new officers for the Medical Department of the Guard. Dr. Houston E. Hyatt of High Point, is commissioned as First Lieutenant in the Medical Department and will be assigned to Field Hospital Corps, No. 1, Asheville. Dr. John Y. McConnell of Davidson College, is commissioned as First Lieutenant and will also be assigned to the Asheville Field Hospital Corps. Dr. John E. Ray of Raleigh, is commissioned as First Lieutenant, Medical Department and is assigned to headquarters at Raleigh.

U.S. STEEL RESTORED TO FIVE PER CENT STATUS

New York, Jan. 25.—United States Steel common shares were restored to their regular quarterly dividend status of five per cent today, when the directors declared a quarterly dividend of one and one quarter per cent out of the earnings of the last quarter of 1915.

The total earnings of \$51,252,788 for this quarter were the largest for any similar period in the history of the corporation, which now has \$105,000,000 cash in the banks.

BROTHERHOOD OF 1ST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH BANQUETS

Rev. Benjamin R. Lacy Delivers Fine Address on "Preparedness"

MR. E. E. BARNETT MAKES GOOD TALK

A very refreshing, reviving, and interesting meeting of the Brotherhood of the First Presbyterian church was held last night, beginning at 6:30 o'clock and lasting for about two hours, in the basement of the Caldwell Memorial hall, the features being an able address by Rev. Benjamin R. Lacy, Jr., and a succinctly prepared, prepared by the bodies of the church.

There were about 150 members of the Brotherhood present at the meeting, and everyone present thoroughly enjoyed the getting together, the repast, and the address, as well as several other short talks. Mr. R. W. Forrell presided over the meeting, which was opened by an earnest prayer by the pastor, Rev. Dr. Seal L. Anderson. The speaker was presented by Mr. George W. Maslin in a few well chosen words.

Mr. Lacy's address on the subject of "Preparedness," lasting his talk on the 144th Psalm, which he quoted in full, ending with the statement, "Happy is that people whose God is the Lord." Mr. Lacy told of the great interest in "Preparedness" just at this time, that the papers were full of it, Congress considering it and the political parties making issues of it.

There are many who adhere to both sides of the question of preparedness.

R. G. PLEASANTS IN LEAD FOR LOUISIANA GOVERNORSHIP

New Orleans, Jan. 25.—Meagre returns tonight from throughout the State indicated R. G. Pleasant, attorney general, is leading Thomas C. Barret, Lieutenant Governor, in the race for the Democratic nomination for Governor.

NEGRO LYNCHED AT LIVINGSTON, ALA.

Seriously Stabs White Man When Caught Robbing a Store

Livingston, Ala., Jan. 24.—Richard Burton, a negro, aged 18 was lynched last night near here and two other negroes were arrested, charged with burglary.

The store of Miss Kate Peale was robbed five times recently. Last night her brother discovered the robbers and was seriously stabbed before overpowering them. The other negroes got away but were arrested later.

MOTHER OUTWITS CHILD'S GUARDIAN

Comes Here From Kentucky to Get Child, But Mother Disappears From City

Coming all the way from Lexington, Kentucky, to obtain the custody of his ward, and then being outwitted by the mother of the child, is the experience of Mr. W. E. Williams, a prominent banker and business man of the Blue Grass State.

Mr. Williams arrived in the city on Saturday evening to take to the Pythian Home at Lexington, Virgil Osborne, the six-year-old son of Mrs. Maggie Osborne, whose home is on the old Lexington road, a mile or so south of the city. Anticipating no trouble in obtaining the custody of the boy, Mr. Williams went to the home of Mrs. Osborne, left upon arrival, the mother refused to let him have the child, and while he was in town arranging with the sheriff to obtain possession of the child, Mrs. Osborne with the child disappeared. So far, no trace of them has been found. Realizing the futility of further pursuing the case, Mr. Williams has left the city.

The father of the child, Mr. B. F. Osborne, was a member of the Knights of Pythias lodge at Jackson, Kentucky, and on December 23, 1912, was killed. Mr. Williams, by order of the Breathitt County Court at a special January term, was appointed guardian of Virgil Osborne. He immediately took charge of the child, and believing that Virgil was too young to be put in the Home of the Knights of Pythias, and desiring to give the mother the chance to help in providing the best environments and the proper preparation of the boy for the home, later, Mr. Williams allowed her to take charge of him and keep him for one year. In giving Mrs. Osborne the custody of the child one year, Mr. Williams drew up and had her sign an agreement, the salient points of which are as follows:

Mrs. Osborne agreed to give up the child at any time that Mr. Williams saw cause to have the child removed, and in no case to keep him longer than the year. Mrs. Osborne agreed to this contract and signed it.

Mrs. Osborne has had the child three years. Upon receiving information that the child was not getting proper treatment, Mr. Williams came down to investigate. Upon his arrival in Winston-Salem, it is said, he found the boy and his mother in a house of disrepute, and upon the advice of prominent citizens, Mr. Williams, as the legal guardian of the child, decided to have him removed.

This has proven a futile task. Upon learning of this intention, Mrs. Osborne has disappeared. No one but her alleged friends of the underworld know where she is. Mr. Williams has returned to his home in Jackson, Kentucky, to await developments.

Mr. B. F. Osborne, the father of Virgil, obtained a divorce from his wife, Mrs. Maggie Osborne, shortly before he was killed. He then had

BASEBALL FATE IN TWIN-CITY WILL BE DETERMINED AT END OF CAMPAIGN TONIGHT; 1200 SOLD

The last day—to have or not to have baseball or no baseball. Today or not at all. Its fate is in the balance. It will be decided today. Tonight will tell the tale. What will it say?

The campaign to sell 2,000 baseball coupon books closes today. So say those who have been shouldering the responsibility of selling the books, and they are the ones most vitally interested for they have been devoting their time and energy, a few of them, for the past two weeks. They will again put their shoulders to the wheel today and make their last supreme effort. Unless they sell in the neighborhood of 800 books today, there will be no baseball in Winston-Salem this year, and possibly for several years to come.

Unless the people of the city want baseball and express that want by buying the required number of books, the old directors will sell their franchise to the town in the State that has made them a good offer for it.

They say that they can sell it today, but they are holding it to see if the people here want baseball. If the franchise is once sold, Winston-Salem may not be able to get baseball again for a number of years. There are cities in the State that have worked for years to get league baseball, and a loss of the franchise this year might mean the same thing for this city.

Many of the men who had signed up for one or two books earlier in the campaign, have increased their number to five books, and even ten, just to make sure that the campaign would be successful and that the Twins would be on the job this summer.

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GREAT BRITAIN CHALLENGES STATISTICS OF INCREASED IMPORTS INTO SCANDINAVIA

London, Jan. 25.—Anticipating tomorrow's important debate in the House of Commons on the blockade question, Great Britain today issued a four-column statement challenging the statistics recently published by the *Daily Mail* and the *Morning Post* concerning what these papers have declared are largely increased imports into Holland and the Scandinavian countries since the war began.

Despite very decided expressions of the opinion that the government will declare a blockade, little is known from the official sources, and it is still possible the government will try to prevent goods from getting to enemies by tightening the existing system.

WEBB WILL OPPOSE THE KEATING BILL

Will Deliver Speech in House Today in Opposition; Makes Statement

Washington, Jan. 25.—Congressman E. Y. Webb of North Carolina will deliver a speech on Wednesday in the House of Representatives in opposition to the Keating bill to regulate the hours and age of child labor, in which he will put before the House some entirely new phases of the situation, that may make that body do a little thinking before passing the bill.

Webb, who is chairman of the House judiciary committee, believes the Keating bill is one of the rankest unconstitutional measures that has ever come before the House.

"If this bill passes," said Webb in discussing it today, "then we may as well abandon our State governments, for all the power they will have hereafter. If the Federal government can say how long a laborer shall work, or how old he or she shall be, then it can also say what wages shall be paid."

"It's only just a little short step from that for the people of North

Proposed Baltic Blockade

A British naval officer told the Associated Press today that a blockade in the Baltic against Germany can be made effective by following the German precedent of submarines every ship, belligerent or neutral, which attempts to run the blockade.

U. S. Recognizes Precedent

The officer declared the United States recognized this precedent, saying in its notes to Germany all it called for was the safety of passengers and crews. The British, he said, could secure the safety of persons aboard the ships, then torpedoed them.

SENATOR SIMMONS VISITS RALEIGH

Quickens Interest in Probability of Allen's Appointment

Raleigh, Jan. 25.—A hurried visit to Raleigh last evening by United States Senator Simmons has considerably quickened interest in the probability of the appointment of Associate Justice W. R. Allen of the State Supreme Court to the Federal Supreme Court bench as successor to the late Justice Lamar. Senator Simmons did not discuss the matter publicly, but there are those who express the view that the Senator sees strong likelihood that President Wilson will name Judge Allen on the Supreme bench. In that event there will be an appointment of Governor Craig to make in naming a successor to Judge Allen on the North Carolina Supreme Court bench. The suspicion was entertained that Senator Simmons and Governor Craig canvassed this matter while the Senator was here.

The further fact that former Judge O. H. Guion of New Bern was a Raleigh visitor at the same time has raised talk that he will probably be the choice of Senator Simmons for the place on the State Supreme Court bench. Judge Guion and the Senator have long been close friends.

SOZ GALLERT WILL OPPOSE BRIT

(By Geo. H. Manning)
Washington, Jan. 25.—Sol Gallert of Rutherfordton, who spent today in Washington, told several of his friends that he intends entering the race for Congress against James Britt, the Republican, in the Tenth district. He is expected to announce his candidacy soon.

President Wilson today nominated Frank W. Miller to be postmaster at Waynesville. He was recommended by Overman last Saturday.

APPEALS TO U.S. TO SEND RELIEF TO THE ARMENIANS

London, Jan. 25.—Viscount Bryce, formerly British Ambassador to the United States, today asked the United States to take steps to send relief to the Armenians, who, he stated have been driven by the Turks into the deserts of Syria and Mesopotamia.

KENTUCKY KILLS PROHIBITION BILL

Three-Fifths of the Bonded Whiskies in U.S. Stored in Kentucky

Frankfort, Ky., Jan. 25.—A bill which would submit a constitutional amendment providing state-wide prohibition, was defeated 20 to 14 today in the upper house of the General Assembly, where it originated.

Three fifths of the bonded spirits and whiskies in the United States are in Kentucky warehouses, according to estimates attributed to official sources,

TO SEEK COMMUTATION OF MRS. WARREN'S SENTENCE OF DEATH

An application will be made to Gov. Locke Craig to commute the death sentence of Mrs. Ida Bell Warren to life imprisonment by Messrs. Jones and Clement, attorneys for the condemned woman, according to a legal notice received by The Journal will appear tomorrow.

Of course, it has been generally expected that counsel for Mrs. Warren would seek executive clemency for their client, and the announcement comes as no surprise.

Mrs. Warren and S. P. Christy were convicted of the murder of Mrs. Warren's husband and have been sentenced to death on March 3.