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Wilson Recommends Revision of Tax Laws

At a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce and representatives of other organizations interested in locating the Baptist hospital in Sal-isbury, it was decided to raise \$50. 000 to offer for the hospital in addi tion to the liberal offer of the Whitehead Stokes Sanitorium. Mayor W. B. Strachan was ap-

pointed to head a steering committee which will present to every fraternal and religious organization in the city facts concerning the hospital and request financial and moral backing. The committee appointed consists of: Dr. W. D. Choate, Dr. H. L. Monk, J. K. Dor-sett, W. M. Ruth, P. S. Carlton, T. W. Summersett and H. M. Cooke.

The committee started to work immediately and had subcommittees, which they were authorized to appoint, to appear before fraternal organizations. They will have representative at every meeting to be held during the week if pos-

Last night the committee had its proposition presented to the following organizations which meet on Monday night: Patrictic order of the Sons of America, Cordon Lodge number 168, I. O. O. P., and the lodge number 100, K. of P. and the Salisbury chapter of Royal Arch

The committee was well received and expect to raise the money which must be done in a short time The unusually good offer of the city cught to put Salisbury in the running strong, provided every organization shows that it is willing to back the hospital financially and morally. No city so far has so in-viting an offer to make the committee which is to decide upon the location.

The Rowan lodge of the K. of P. dollars from that organization and of subscribed nearly three hundred 250 pounds a year. cher, J. C. Deaton, F. W. Fuller, J. for girls under 18. N. Haden. The lodge also passes To qualify for bene the following resolution:

1, That the Rowan lodge, No. 10c K. of P. most heartily endorses the

will and moral support.
2, That this lodge appoint a canvassing committee for the purpose of soliciting its members for voluntary contributions and undertase to raise not less than \$1,000 to be offered as a donation from this lodge.

a live wire for it, as one of the great principles of the order is caring for the sick.

Resolved, second, that financially

we propose to support it with a very nice donation, the amount of ch will be announced at a later date, and to this end the following committee was appointed: A. B. Sa-leeby, chairman; R. M. Leonard, G. M. Lyerly, W. C. Odell, J. W. White and G. A. Yarboro.

The committee reports enthu-siastic responses to their request for aid from the citizens and are verp hopeful of putting the thing

AIDED MURDERING **HER 2 HUSBANDS**

Mrs. Lillian Woodlock, 36 Years Old, to Face Trial at St. Louis Daughter Implicated Also.

St. Louis, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Lillian Woodlock, 36 years old, under two first degree murder indictments for deaths of Thomas B. Broderick and Joseph F. Woodlock, her first and second husbands respectively,

went on trial in circuit court here today on second degree charges.

Both men wer shot and killed by Ursula Broderick, the defendant's daughter, who is now out on \$50,000 bond pending an appeal to the supreme court from a ten year penitentiary sentence for the killing of Woodlock. Woodlock was shet in Woodlock. Woodlock was shot in April 1919, the girl testifying she

NOBEL PEACE PRIZE WILL BE CONFERRED ON WILSON DEC. 9TH

Is the Third American to Receive the Prize Left By the Swedish Inventor of Dynamite.

The Nobel peace prize carries with it a grant of about \$40,000 which is one-fifth of the annual interest on about nine million dollars left for that purpose by Alfred B. Nobel, the Swedish scientist and inventor of dynamite, who died in 1896.

The only two Americans who in the past received the Nobel peace prize were Theodore Roosevelt in 1906 and Elihu Root in 1912.

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 7.—Immediate consideration by the senate of farmer relief was considered probable today with the report of a joint resolution by the agricultural committee reviving the war finance corporation and directing the federal reserve board to permit the extension of "liberal" credits to farmers.

EFFORTS TO FORM

TRUCE IN IRELAND

London, Dec. 7.—Efforts to arrive at a truce in Ireland was the

One Dublin dispatch declared there is no chance of a truce while Arthur Griffith and the MacNeil

brothers; prominent Sinn Fein lead-

ers, are kept in prison while an-other took the view that the irre-concilables of the Irish republic

brotherhood really were in control

of the situation and would be able

to prevent any settlement which did not recognize their full de-

It is pretty generally conceeded that the conversations have not as yet reached the stage of definite

Warehousemen's Association of Eastern Carolina will be closed December 17 and will remain closed indefinitely, it was decided at a meeting of representatives of the association held here last night.

Practically every big tobocco warehouse in Eastern North Caro-

lina is affiliated with the associ-

The association will meet in wilson January 5 and discuss the situation prevailing at that time and
probably decide when the warehouses will be reopened.

The price of tobacco has gradually declined since the opening of
the Eastern Carolina market in

September. On the opening day the average price here was around 24 cents a pound and the average last week was slightly over 18 cents.

TEXAS TOWN HAVE EPIDEMIC OF FIRES

was destroyed.

The mechanical laboratory at Agricultural and Mechanical college at Staunten was destroyed.

The lose was estimated at about \$75,000.

EX-TWIN CITY EDITOR

LOSES WIFE IN LONDON

WAREHOUSES

NO REPRIEVE FOR THE BREWER BOYS

Davidson County Men Must Serve Out Penitentiary Sentences for Aggravated Assault

(By The Associated Press) Raleigh, Dec. 7 .- The petition of attorney s for the reprieve of Charlie, Harvey and William Brewer, convicted in Davidson Superior court last august of an aggravated court last august of an aggravated assault on Robert Hudson of Hanestown, Forsythe county, and sentenced to hard labor in the state penitentiary, is denied by Governor Bickett, who today wired his private secretary that he would not interfere with the judgments of 15 years each against Charlie and Harvey and 10 years against Wil-Harvey and 10 years against William Brewer.

The appeal of the case to the Supreme court for a new trial has been dismissed.

BRITISH INSURED AGAINST IDLENESS

London, Dec. 7 .- Eight millions of British workers become auto-matically insured against unemployment insurance act of 1920 which has just come into opera-

This new act extends compulsory insurance against unemployment edged themselves to raise \$1,000 to practically all persons in receipt renumeration act exceeding

dollars from the few members After a "waiting period" of three present. A committee was appoint- days of unemployment, beneficaries ed from this lodge to canvass the become entitled to 15 shillings per members. The following men com-pose the committee: W. M. Ruth, chairman, T. C. Enniss, J. W. Flet-for boys under 18 and six shillings

To qualify for beneat an insured person must must not quit his or her job without good cause and must not have been discharged for movement now underway to secure misconduct or have gone on strike. for the city of Salisbury the hosp:
There must also be no refusal of a tal to be established by the Baptist suitable job offered, and should a state convention and pledge to the dispute arise on the question of local and state committees its good "suitablity," the insured person may apper! to a court of referees Not more than 15 weeks' beneat

may be drawn in any one insurance

Employers are free to set up in surance schemes of their own giving equal or greater advantages. The state rate of contribution to The following resolutions have been adopted by the local lodge of will not exceed 30 per cent of the Odd Fellows: such special schemes or contracts Resolved: that Cordon lodge, Independent Order of Odd Fellows, No. 168, of Salisbury, pledge its hearty support to the general hospital and that each member will be trades.

VETERANS OF 6

Atlanta, Dec. 7.—Much interest is aroused here and in other sections of the state by the provision of the constitutiona lamendment adopted last month that all soldiers who fought in the Confederacy in any state in the unoin and who happened to live in Georgia on the first day of January, 1920, should receive a pensoin from Georgia. In recent years the proof of serv-

ice in Georgia for purposes of get-ting a pensoin has been made less strict and the length of service has been lessened which entitles one to

Virginia pays only \$762,000 in pensions, while Georgia pays \$1,-700,000. The last Georgia legislature appropriated \$475,000 to cover the new beneficiaries and it now appears that this money cannot be delivered until the end of 1921 because of a lack of funds.

The question is one of general interest as to how Georgia will go on increasing its pension appro-priations and liberalizing its pen-sion laws with the effect of invit ing people to come to the state to

ON FULL TIME

(By The Associated Press)
Greenwood, S. C., Dec. 7.—The
five cotton mills in Greenwood county are now operating on time after a curtailment of duction for two weeks. With enexception all are running day and

the war and the committee signing the telegram follows:

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paid for tobacco all warehouses controlled by members of the BLOCKADE PLANT

Plenty of Evidence That It Had

No One Near.

Winston-Salem, Dec. 7.—A big blockade plant was cestroyer Sunday morning about 11 o'clock in Little Yadkin township, just over the Forsyth county line, by Deputy Collectors Shugart, Dunnigan and Sheriff Moxley, of Yadkin. The still showed signs of having been operated recently, in fact, the offined and street of the special session of the Legislature last summer, more than one-third of the counties in the State being represented. Colonel T. L. Kirkpatrick, W. A. Still showed signs of having been operated recently, in fact, the offined and others interested in a modern system of hard-surfaced

tion of the plant.

One Life Lost—At Wichits Falls Nine Fires Winthin Two Hours. Losses Heavy Dallas, Texas, Dec. 7.—Fires in ATWELL FARMER DEAD Mr. Joe Smith Died Monday and Buried Today at Enochville

Several Texas towns Saturday and Sunday caused the loss of one life and property damage totaling upward of a quarter million dollars.

At Childress, Oscar Ledbetter was burned to death when his home

At Harold, near Wichita Palls, flames of undetermined origin swept nine business establishments, causing a monetary loss of between \$50,000 and \$75,000. At Breckinridge, Saturday, fire completely wiped out a business block. The loss is estimated at \$200,000. This blaze is reported to have originated fro man oil well, which had been "shot." At Wichita Falls Sunday nine fires broke out within a period of two hours in a widely scattered section of the city. The property loss was not large. Officers working on a theory of incendiariam are holding five suspects.

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An automobile in which Moses E. Holshouser and A. E. Clay, all of Granite Quarry, were riding, was struck by incoming local passenger train No. 46 about 4:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the crossing near the Klumas cotton mills, the machine being almost entirely demolished, but fortunately none of the occupants were serojusly hurt. The train backed up, took on board the isjured man and brought them to the Salisbury station and they were taken to the office of Dr. W. W. McKensie where they were given medical attention and later were taken to the office of Dr. W. W. McKensie where they were given readical attention and later were taken to the office of Dr. W. W. McKensie where they were given readical attention and later were taken to the office of Dr. W. W. McKensie where they were given readical attention and later were taken to the office of Dr. W. W. McKensie where they were given readical attention and later were taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties work at Spencer and had been in South Salisbury before taken to their homes. All of the parties of the city of Raleigh is Winston-Salem, Dec. 6.—A message was received here today announcing the death of Mrs. John Byrne which occurred several days ago in London, England. Before her marriage, Mrs. Byrne was Miss Louise Long, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon W. Long, of Birmingham, Ala. Mrs. Long was with her daughter when the end came. Mr. Long is a native of Chapel Hill, this state and 85 years ago was editor an dewner of the Western Sentinel here. He is now head of a big lumber business in Birmingham.

Senator Gronna, chairman of the committee, announced that he would urge immediate action on the resolution and members of the committee expressed confidence that sufficient votes were in sight to insure its adoption.

The war finance corporation, which the resolution would revive with a view of securing greater sales of surplus farm products abroad, had made total advances of \$353,061,404 up to May 18th last when its loan activities were suppended by the secretary of the committee aigning the telegram are J. Y. Joyner, J. Brayn Grimes, E. G. Moss, B. W. Kilsuspended by the secretary of the

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cars believe that the last "run" had only been finished a day or two before their arrival.

There were four large fermenters, two wooden stills and various tubs and other appliances used in the operation of the plant. All were destroyed. The plant was deserted and no arests have been made in connection with the operation of the plant.

The newly formed corporation, having for its purpose the protection of Southern farmage by selling cotton direct on the European markets, contemplates surance to sell stock in North Carolinia. The newly formed corporation, having for its purpose the protection of Southern farmers by selling cotton direct on the European markets, contemplates putting the stock before North Carolinians, but before this can be done the State law will have to be

complied with.

There is no objection to granting the right, it is learned from the insurance commissioner, but

day of representatives of bankers, commercial and farming interests in all the Southern states.

Leaders in the movement declare complied with.

There is no objection to grant-Buried Today at Enochyille

Mr. Joe Smith, a well to do farmer of Atwell township, died at his home in Western Rowan yesterday afternoon at 50'clock. Mr. Smith had been sick for some time. He is survived by a wife and several children. He was a member of the Lutheran church and a good citizen. The funeral and burial will be this afternoon at Enochyille at 20'clock.

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Wake county records of marriages for the last evene months totals 1,048 and of this number 596 are white and 542 are colored.

ON FRIDAY, NO!

(By The Associated Press)
Lucerne, Dec. 7.—Former King
Constantine, whose return to the
Greek throne was voted for by
the Greek people in Sunday's plebiscite, said today that he expected the government would notify him

Newspaper Man Quizzed message today were: By Police for Interview

AT LITTLE YADKIN

Plenty of Evidence That It Had
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According to the Buddhist faith

DISCUSS MEANS TO REDUCE COT. CROP

of Georgia railway company applied today to the Interstate Com-

Recommends Simplification of Income and Excess Profit Taxes, Independence of the Philippines, a Loan to Armenia, and a Workable Budget System-Message Not Delivered in Person As Has Been His Custom.

(By Associated Press.) WASHINGTON, Dec. 7 .- President Wilson's concrete recommendations to congress in his annual

Revision of the tax laws with simplification of

With Alleged Slayer of the income and excess profits tax; Hamon. Independence for the Philippines;

A loan to Armenia: Economy in government appropriations and expenditures and the creation of a "workable" budget

Cold storage and other laws affecting the cost of living, and federal licensing of corporations, as rec-

ommended in previous messages;
Rehabiliation and training of disabled soldiers

CONSTANTINE GETS AN IMMENSE VOTE

Paris, Dec. 7.—Ex-King Constantine receive 98 per cent of the vote cast in Sunday's plebiscite on the question of his return to the throne of Greece, it is announced in an Athens dispatch dated Monday and received by the Greek legation here today. The voter, is is added, numbered 300,000 more than the total taking part in the recent parliamentary election.

After being questioned by polica.

Ross was released.

Invitation to Return.

Athens, Dec. 7.—An invitation will be extended Constantine to return to Greece following the announcement of the result of Sunday's plebiscite and it is expected to be made tomorrow. Three days riage ceremony has just been performed here over the ashes of two bodies in the belief that a single to utter a confection.

Invitation to Return.

Athens, Dec. 7.—An invitation purpose to stand by until day's plebiscite and it is expected to be made tomorrow. Three days days to come, whether in rejiciong will follow Constantine's or elsewhere."

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THIEF ENTERS CHURCH AND STEALS ITS MONEY

Greenville, S. C., Dec. 3.—The climax to a series of bold robberies here came about 9:30 o'clock this morning when a white man walked into St. Mary's Catholic church, sit-uated on one of the main business uated on one of the main business streets of the city, and stole from the two collection boxes money that had been contributed by the congregation Sunday morning.

Despite the fact that the church

burglar alarm system gave the alarm in the parish house nearby, the thief made a successful get-

To Remove Don's Remains.

to the situation shall be taken by the federal govednment was pro-posed in a joint resolution intro-duced in the house today by repre-sentative Mason of Illinois.

Wants Baker to Explain Wants Baker to Explain
(By The Associated Press)
Washington, Dec. 7.—Secretary,
Baker was asked today by the
house military committee to acpear before it Friday to explain
why the war department has reed the army to more than

New C. and O. President.

(By The Associated Press)
New York, Dec. 7.—W. J. Harrigan, of Norfolk, today was selected president of the Chespeake and Ohio and Hocking Valley railways to succeed Geo. W. Stephens.

No Direct Reference to League
The President did not endorse bonus. Nowhere did he refer to the league of nations or peace treating the except, perhaps, by inference in the opening when he quote Abraham Lincoln's "let us have fath that right makes might as in that faith let us dare to do or duty as we understand it."

At its close the President wro a paragraph which might be a garded as a valedictory, saying:
"I have not so much laid before you a series of recommendations sought to utter a confension faith of the faith of which I would be to the faith of which I would be the faith of the faith of which I would be the faith of the faith of which I would be the faith of which I would be the

"Is being put upon its dinal to "The old world," said he just now suffering from a wrejection of the principles of cracy; a substitution of the ples of autocracy as asserted name but without the suthority sanction of the multitude, is the time of all others when ocracy should prove its purity spiritual power to prevail, surely the manifest destiny of United States to lead in the tempt to make this spirit pre Two ways "in which the U States can assist to accomplising great object" are outlined by president. They were:

"First, By offering an example of the sand power of democracy to and enforce laws which are untionably just and which are

tionably just and which are in their administration.

Second, By standing for right and justice as toward vidual nations." "The United States," said I president, "cannot refuse its re of champion without putting I stigma of rejection upon the gree and devoted men who brought the government into existence.

The president's message we transmitted to congress by message, the president adhering to he decision not to address congress in person.

in person.

LAW AGREES WITH WIFE, STENOGRAPHER FIRE

Atlanta, Ga., Dec. 7.—You he got to fire that pretty stenogramer, if your wife insists upon bert of the Belgians back to Belgium after he had visited Brazil.

Probe "Increased Unemployment."

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Dec. 7.—Congressional investigation of the "increased unemployment" to determine what action, if any, relative to the situation shall be taken by the federal govednment was pro-

Salle J. Smith. She cleared the cruelty, and to substantiat charge told of her husband stimacy in retaining the serve a particularly beautiful grapher over her complaint got her divorce.

Only Four Hours Debate

(By The Associated Press)
Washington, Dec. 7.—The
rules committee reported to
special rule limiting to four
debate on the Johnson bil
hibiting immigration for a
of two years. Two days for
aration if a minority repor
allowed and Chairman Car
Republican, of Hansas, and
he would call the rules up for