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Can the United States District Attorney refuse?

A bill was introduced in the legislature to tax pistol toters. Judging from the number of murders and shooting scrapes over the state, the tax now is heavy a plenty.

From the accounts allowed by the commissioners for interest on borrowed money, it begins to look like the county owed more than the statements of some of the recent Democratic campaign spellbinders.

Income tax and war tax—and now the news comes from Washington that the administration is going to be up against it to finance the government for the coming year.

What tax next?

William Jennings Bryan may be arrested for shooting rabbits comes the news from Washington. Mr. Bryan went hunting in Virginia on Christmas day and it is charged that he violated the game laws of that state.

Now that the District Attorney has been granted another assistant he will certainly find the time to make the much needed investigation into the recent violations of the national election laws in this county?

President Wilson indicated in a speech at Indianapolis last week that he would be in the race for the nomination next year—so will the old reliable runner, William J., as well as Champ Clarke, say the fellows who send out the dopes from Washington.

A. J. McKinnon, of Maxton, is one of the North Carolina Democrats who have been mentioned or who have perhaps mentioned themselves for governor on the Democratic ticket. There will be no scarcity of candidates if the present pace holds up.

Call these good times or bad times, a visit to the cotton section will convince the most skeptical that all is not well in this State—and what's more—it's not necessary to visit the cotton section but take a look right here at home and it can be seen that all folks are not prosperous.

Appeals have been made from week to week in the county papers for money and supplies for the suffering Belgians by the county committee, and the desired result has not been found. Its not because the people don't know about the matter, but that don't fully realize the importance.

Republicans are now threatening a filibuster in Congress which may keep that august body in session until the end of the old Congress and necessitate the calling of an extra session of the newly elected solons.

The fight is now on the president's plan for the purchase of ships to give this country a merchant marine—not on the plan of the merchant marine but the plan of securing it.

Wheat goes first up and then takes a tumble and the market is as uncertain as the war.

The Legislature is in full tilt and as usual thousands of bills are being introduced. Nowadays a member of the Legislature is not in it if he don't introduce a few bills and when it is considered that we have a hundred counties and two and three representatives from several of them it can easily be seen how the number will run up.

The Republicans in the State held a rousing committee meeting at Raleigh yesterday. From the reports something like one hundred prominent Republicans were in attendance and plans and ways and means for conducting the campaign of the coming two years were discussed. Republicans in North Carolina are wide awake and a determined battle will be waged by the combined and united forces.

E. Carl Duncan and John M. Morehead have been mentioned as the possible candidates for governor, so have others, but no matter who is nominated, the Democrats are going to be up against it.

THE COUNTY FARM DEMONSTRATOR.

The County Board of Commissioners is advertising for a county farm demonstrator, and while The Bulletin would in no wise take the position that the county does not need such a man nor would we for one moment put a chip in the path of the progress of the county, let us consider.

Randolph county is in the midst of the greatest political turmoil ever, and rightfully so, and in addition to this the county has recently built miles and miles of good roads with the help of the good people of the county. This, too, should have been done, but the county owes hundreds and thousands of dollars, and in addition to this we must find some system for maintaining and repairing the roads already built and there are continual demands for more roads, and these will have to be granted for the county cannot grant a road to one part of the county and deny the same apportionment to others if the conditions are met. In view of the fact that some of the roads already constructed will cost about a fourth of the original price to repair, would it not be a far better policy to clip off expenses at some other end even though it may be a temporary drawback and seemingly a backward move and by this make a way for the permanent repair of the highway system which has been begun, at least a half of which have been paid for by the good people of the county by private individual subscriptions.

These things, gentlemen, are merely offered for your consideration. If it is the wisest plan to borrow money continuously then hire the demonstrator. But if it would be a good and economical policy to leave the job off at the present time, we say leave the office open for a while until the county can at least begin to break even. At the present rate we'll soon be in debt so far that nobody will know which way to turn. Whatever is done, it is to be hoped that the problem of keeping the roads in repair can be solved and that they will not be allowed to go through another winter without spending a few dollars a mile in order that they will withstand the rough weather and be real good roads when good roads are needed worst.

THE COURIER AND THE LABORING MAN.

From the editorial columns of the Courier of last week we quote as follows:

"The Davidson Dispatch tells the following circumstances that occurred in its balwick recently: 'Much is heard of the unemployed and there is much howling and complaint in some quarters. Last week one of these calamity howlers came to a good business man of Lexington and started his howl. He declared that he was out of work, facing ruin and starvation and was being deprived of his inborn, inherent right to make an honest living. 'Do you want work?' asked the business man. 'I certainly do,' answered the howler. 'I'll give you work chopping cord wood,' responded the business man. 'At how much,' asked the poverty-stricken one. 'Sixty-five cents per cord,' was the answer. 'Nothing doing.' 'Seventy-five cents or nothing at all.' The business man told him that he was in no hurry to get the wood cut and merely offered him the job to see if he really wanted to work. Investigate and a very large per cent of these hard luck tales will show up just the same way."

Is this becoming on the part of the Democratic county organ, whose editor, incidentally is on the pay roll of our Uncle Sam at four thousand five hundred per salary as United States District Attorney, paid by the toil of the honest laboring man, whom he would reduce to chopping cord wood at sixty-five cents a cord?

In this depression, in this day of the smokeless factory stack, of the empty freight car and the idleness would it not be far more in the interest of economy for this aforementioned District Attorney, the editor of the Courier, to ask Uncle Sam to clip a few dollars from the expenses of his office—and he himself do a little more of the actual work, instead of advising the skilled hand of the laboring man to chop cord wood at sixty-five cents a cord?

Only during the past week has an additional assistant been appointed in the office of the District Attorney for the Western District of North Carolina, this in addition to a retinue of clerks and stenographers already allotted to the office.

And why? Certainly it would be in keeping with the order of the day to have clipped off a clerk or so, instead of asking another assistant in addition to the one which was already in office!

THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

Convened at Raleigh on Tuesday of Last Week.

On last Tuesday the members of the General Assembly and the candidates for the various offices gathered in Raleigh in full force. All day the lobbies of the hotels were crowded. There were the usual greetings and renewal of old acquaintance, well interwoven with the electioneering by the various candidates and their friends. Here and there might be seen the bronze Southern Cross of Honor, and here and there a missing leg among those seeking minor positions; fewer, perhaps, than heretofore, but still enough to remind us of war's endless horrors.

What promised to be a lively fight for speakership of the house between E. R. Wooten, of Lenoir, A. A. F. Sewall, of Moore and T. C. Bowie, of Alleghany, L. H. Alfred, of Johnston faded away, and by the meeting of the Democratic caucus Tuesday night all had withdrawn except Mr. Wooten, who was nominated and, on Wednesday, was elected.

Hon. O. Max Gardner, of Cleveland, was chosen president pro tem of the Senate without opposition. Senator F. P. Hobgood, Jr., of Guilford, having withdrawn from the race.

The Republicans nominated H. S. Williams, of Cabarrus, for Speaker of the House and Senator R. L. Haymore, of Surry, for president pro tem of the Senate. This, of course, was merely complimentary and for the sake of regularity, as there is only a small Republican minority in the Legislature.

The other officers elected were: In the House, T. G. Cobb, of Burke, principal clerk; D. P. Dellinger, of Gaston, Reading Clerk; James H. Moring, of Wake, Sergeant-at-Arms; Elias J. Jenkins, of Pitt, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms; and M. D. Kinsland, of Haywood, Engrossing Clerk. In the Senate: R. O. Self, of Jackson, Principal Clerk; J. H. Burnett, of Montgomery, Reading Clerk; W. C. Aycock, of Wayne, Engrossing Clerk; W. D. Gaster, of Comberland, Sergeant-at-Arms, and B. F. Perry, of Perquimans, Assistant Sergeant-at-Arms.

At noon on Wednesday the Senate was called to order by Lieutenant Governor Dautridge, and the House was called to order by Principal Clerk, T. G. Cobb, and the members sworn in. The general Assembly was then properly organized and the regular business of the session was begun.

Governor Craig read his message to a joint-session of both houses on Thursday. The usual committees have been appointed.

WAR TAKES THE WHEAT TO EUROPE

Small Bakers Making Smaller Loaves, Larger Concerns May Add One Cent.

War's leaven is on the verge of raising the price of bread. Many of the smaller bakeries already are decreasing the size of the loaves. The large manufacturers of loaves of standard size are contemplating an advance of one cent a loaf. Thus they would receive five cents for the product which hitherto has been furnished to the trade at four cents. This would mean a retail price of six cents. Some freely admit that if it were not for the fact that they had contracted for flour months ago at lower rates than they have to pay now they would not be able to place bread on the market at the present prices. The smaller bakers under present prices are hard pressed.

Wheat, which on Friday had reached \$1.41 a bushel, went off two points Saturday. Flour is selling to the bakers at \$7 to \$7.10 a barrel in large quantities, while the small shops often have to pay as high as \$7.50 a barrel.

New York subways—street cars that run under the ground—are now being investigated. An accident in the subway last week came near to proving disastrous to seven hundred people. What's the need for so many people to live all in one town anyhow? Some New Yorker should start a "back to the soil" movement.

HARDEN will pay you 14c per lb., cash for your green hides.

BELGIAN RELIEF FUND COUNTY COMMITTEE.

Messrs. W. R. Julian, W. J. Armfield, J. S. Lewis, C. C. Cranford, D. M. Sharp, Rev. C. L. Whitaker, Rev. J. E. Thompson, Mesdames E. L. Moffitt, J. T. Penn, Wm. A. Underwood, Miss Julia Thorns, Chairman, Franklinville—Mr. Hugh Parks, Caraway—Mrs. Emma Kearns, Kemps Mills—Mr. Anderson Barkester, Providence—S. E. Coble, Science Hill—Mrs. C. C. Hubbard, Farmers—Mrs. G. T. Macon, Trinity—Mrs. W. F. Ellis, Englewood—Mrs. D. A. Cornelison, Caraway—John F. Jerrell, Spero—Mr. W. J. Grogson, Back Creek, Miss Dora Redding, Randleman No. 1—Miss Lizzie Phillips, Hills Store—Mrs. N. R. Thornburg, Mechanic—Mrs. Mollie F. Skeen.

BEING RECEIVED BY RANDOLPH COUNTY COMMITTEE:

Previously reported	\$34.00
Mr. Carl Walker	.50
Mrs. S. L. Hayworth	1.00
Mr. W. J. Grogson, Spero	1.00
Mr. S. D. Garvin	1.00
Mr. Samuel Aldridge, Randleman	.25
Miss Lillian Bunch	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Johnson	2.00
Total	\$41.75

AMERICA ALONE CAN SAVE.

Sir Gilbert Parker reports to America, at the request of the American committee for the Relief of Belgium, the conditions he observed near the frontier as a British subject was permitted to approach. He says of the horror of what he saw almost paralyzed expression.

"In a freight boat on the River Maas at Rotterdam, without windows, without doors, with only an open hatchway from which a ladder descended, several hundred fugitives spend their nights and the best part of their days in the iron hold, forever covered with moisture, leaky when rain comes, with the floor never dry and pervasive with a perpetual smell like the smell of a cave which never gets the light of day. Children are born in the huggery-muggery of such conditions."

"In Bergen-op-Zoon I wrote these words, there have come since the fall of Antwerp 300,000 hungry marchers, with no resources except that what they carry with them. This little town of 15,000 people did its best to meet the terrible pressure, and its citizens went without bread themselves to feed the refugees. How can a small municipality suddenly deal with so vast a catastrophe?"

"The Belgium itself the misery of the people is greater than the misery of the Belgian refugees in other countries. It is a democracy of famine. 'Of all the foremost nations of the world the United States is the only one that can save Belgium from starvation, if she will. She is the only power that Germany would allow a foothold for humanity's and Christ's sake in Belgium. Such an opportunity, such responsibility no nation ever had before the history of the world. Spain and Italy join with her, but the initiative and resources and organization are hers.'"

"Will the American nation rise to the chance given it to prove that its civilization is a real thing and that its acts measure up with its inherent and professed Christianity?"

"In the circumstances the Belgian people are special wards of the one great country that is secure in its peace."—Literary Digest, December 19, 1914.

A Civil War Veteran from a Soldier's Home in the South Writes.

"My monthly invoice of cash don't tally up very heavy, but here's two bones (\$2), and hoping you can feed and keep the cold out of every last one of them."

There never was a cause with more urgency, more pathos, more universality of appeal than this which involves the fate of Belgian women and children.

The County Committee wishes to thank the local Telephone Company for the privilege of telephoning to different parts of the county without charge.

In a letter from Dr. Battle, president of the "Committee of Mercy FOR THE WOMEN AND CHILDREN MADE DESTITUTE BY THE GREAT WAR," he says: I have not been advised of the exact date of the sailing of the ship, but feel sure you can safely extend the time for two weeks.

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Shipping Horses.

(From the Lexington Dispatch) An unusual thing happened Monday when a carload of horses "chaperoned" by John Smith, left this city for the wholesale market at Richmond, Va. The usual and customary thing is for horses to come from Richmond to Lexington in carload lots, but horses are selling for more in Richmond today than in Lexington.

NOTICE.

HAVING QUALIFIED AS executor on the estate of Julia Core, deceased, before W. C. HAMMOND, Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph. All persons having claims against said estate are notified to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, or before the 10th day of December, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery; and all persons owing said estate will come forward and make immediate settlement. This 8th day of December, 1914. N. C. ENGLISH, Executor.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Having qualified as executor of the estate of Noah Brower, deceased, before the clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph county. This is to notify all persons having claims against said estate to present them to the undersigned, duly verified, on or before the first day of January, 1916, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are expected to make immediate payment and settlement. This the 2nd day of December, 1914. J. W. BROWER, Executor.

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NOTICE!

Having qualified as administrator of the estate of Briles Hoover, deceased, before the Clerk of the Superior Court of Randolph county, this is to notify all persons holding claims against the said estate to present them to the undersigned duly verified on or before the 24th day of December, 1915, or this notice will be pleaded in bar of their recovery. All persons indebted to said estate are expected to make immediate payment. This 24th day of December, 1914. Mrs. Margaret Hoover, Administratrix. Chas. H. Redding, Attorney. 12-30-6t.

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