Forecast for North and South Caroina: Partly cloudy and warmer Monday; Tuesday cloudy and mild, prob-ably with showers.

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ard Movement to Be cials. Den anded by Convenn in State Affairs.

EIGH, April 16.-A solid in support of the adminisfront tration 11t. grs vention educational program and the many other pro-movements that have fea-tion was taken" ven tahis administration will be earty endorsement.

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eigh attorneilliam Balley, the Ral bility, is reply subernatorial possi-ters to be or ed in certain quarthe warpath contemplating taking leader in the as the opposition leader in the as the opposition preparations a convention but any a stand-have on his part for such local political not appeared on the county conventsurface. The Wake an anticipated ion was reported as ance on the pan center of disturb-but it was peact of an "opposition" and contended eful and uneventful

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tion of the states from every the they will give the is expected. rty policies without thought agreements.

The republican taxes" is to be corry of "high water. Owners Louisville report heavy Jamage to Louisville report heavy Jamage to houses, fences and crops which were flooded by the downpour of The republican such a slogan, as N which to base the lowest tax rates s, have one of and party leaders are in the county, people generally aree confident the the returns for tax satisfied with ed in improvement the counties and the in the state, Better streets, mormunicipalities. other improvements , roads, and are the inaxes, and satisfactiving more dissatisfaction expression only, here and there g expression the tax rom the tax been rather

GET RENGEN TO Cight congressment of the Surviville Survivi in the ninth districumbent will E. S. Davidson is out where Dr. cressman Bulwinkle posing Conor all state offices Candidates week more in which ave only a notices and thus far Lo file their is the only man to Davidson gressional seat other the sk a con-

ready in office.

There will be an interest that the third district for the fight in cated by the death of he seat varieties, but excepting tongressman other districts will be the ninth the contests, reports from those of any odicate. Solicitor Norris, of the see districts let, was contemplating fourth discopposition to Congre announcing it he did not find the sesman Pouraging and beyond thituation enat he was considering et statement to nothing has been the ting the

couraging and beyond thatuation enthat he was considering et statement race nothing has been be ving the him.

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# Poor Quality of Printing Caused

nion Endorses the Action Taken By Harding in

WASHINGTON, April 16 .- Poor k of Democratic Paring and printing, making counter feiting easy, was declared today by the "Plate Printer," official organ INISTRATION IS
ASKING PRAISE
of the skilled printers employed by
the bureau, to have led to the removal by President Harding of more than two score of the cials. The current issue of publication prints a formal statement by officials of the union en dorsing the changes necessary restore the former standards of the bureau.

next Saturday. Rumb-dissatisfaction, heard in two counties of the state. pestage and internal revenue likely to reach the con-stamps and all forms of the war preachers to discuss the matter though I floor, and the good roads bonds and their coupons." the with H. S. Murray, a representaextension statement said, "drastic

World.

Mrs. Fannie Rankin, nee Cocke, wife of J. E. Rankin, president of irritating member that has im- that during the first week of that tion with its study of hum the American National Bank, and the The College of the coal situation in the American National Bank, and the The College of the coal situation in the coal situation in the three coal situation in the coal situation in the three coal situation in the coal situation i

idence, 53 Merrimon avenue, and was the result of heart failure, ac-cording to physicians. She had been slightly indisposed for some weeks, but was not confined to her home, and her death came as a shock to many friends.

Funeral arrangements had not

ry or two of insign beyond a flur-semblance of a hiffcance, no re-the town from outside communi- of the prominent members of his

A big at- were lost. and the day over to the state affairs of family distance for the town also has been sufficient and the little town ask them to take the matter of the town also has been sufficient for the ministers of the city and all countries, ir respective of the town also has been sufficient for the ministers of the city and the town also has been sufficient for the ministers of the city and the town also has been sufficient for the ministers of the city and the countries, ir respective of the city and the countries of the city and the countries.

### JOHNSON WILL SUPPORT M'CUMBER TARIFF BILL

WASHINGTON, April 16 .- Declaring that the McCumber tariff-bill was the first ever drawn which provided "anything like adequate protection for the pro-ducts and industries of the west Senator Johnson, republican, California, tonight announced that he would support the measure.
"Up to this time," his state-

ment continued, "prot been rather regarded "protection has thing appertaining particularly to eastern manufacturers and indus-tries. The west, however, has now come into its own. This bill an pears to me to be a measure American in character.'

# Record Attendance At All Churches Marks Easter Here

Little Folks Have Ardent Egg Hunt-Fine Raiment Displayed

Record attendance at all the churches; ardent egg hunts and rabbit chases by the little folks; the annual parade of startling rai-ment—all these marked Easter Sunday in Asheville yesterday. True, the weather was a bit nip-pish, but it didn't rain, and, judg-

ing from the gladsome array of spring garments with which the city's fair and brave bedecked itself for the occasion, scant heed was paid to the threatening clouds. The services at all the churches were beautiful, with special music and sermons, and the pulpits and choir banked deep in Easter lilies and a profusion of other flowers.

risers will crunch egg shells on the every step, idewalk at nearly where youngsters paused to the shell of some tempting red or green or yellow or purple-dyed henfruit. They also went in for the candy kind and the rabbits. As for the "glad rags"—new straw lids in profusion, with quite Duplin, and straw lids in profusion, with quite New Has a few low quarters and even one mbus. Per pair of white ducks; wonderful Easter bonnets with fancy trim-

Churches Rally to Minister's Support Regarding Sunday Work.

CONGRESSMEN MAY BE ASKED TO ACT

Resolutions Say Contractor's Man Is Unwelcome Resident.

this insult be redressed as far as port indicated.

possible and that if necessary that

Comparing cond matter be taken up with our rep-encountered during the last great. In giving out the report, the resentatives in congress with the suspension in the industry, the Foundation states that it investirequest that we be relieved of this strike of 1919, the survey remarked gated the coal situation in connectritating member that has im-that during the first week of that tion with its study of human refor many years one of the leading flon reads as follows: "That we figures in the city's gocial and refuse to permit in this free land of America any man to arrogate to himself the prerogatus of centary religion and adjudging of the control of the suring our religion and adjudging those apostates who refuse to obey or to confess allegiance to any system set up by any man or as-sociation of men."

This action follows the publica-tion of an exact copy of the reply of the contractor's representative which he, himself, styled as "apology of the Oleen contractors to the ministers of Asheville for Russia Declared to Know Cerman Asks if Country as to how the democrats divided

semblance of a hificance, no re-the town from outside communi- of the prominent and asked their ad-quence is anticipatight of conse-cation until late today. No sives congregation and asked their advice on the matter. They were C. S. Davis, Dr. W. P. Whittington, the town also has been without ask them to take the matter up whether they

ask them to take the matter up whether they are victors, vandations.

The following resolution was drawn up and the preachers asked to have their congregations pass resolutions similar, or if they chose to go on record as indorsing it in total. "Whereas, we conscientiously and sincerely believe in our church, our minister and the spiritual forces of our community, and "Whereas, we have read certain statements by one S. M. Murray which we consider & wilful and malicious insuit to those things which we embrace as true and regard as sacred, and

we embrace as true and regard as sacred, and "Whereas, he has assumed to be the judge and has pronounced its, with our minister, to be apostates, "Therefore, be it resolved: first, that we the members and congregation of church, resent with all our being this un-Christian attitude and un-American expression on the part of the said Murray; "Second, that we respectfully request the Fanning-Quinn Building company, or whoever may be responsible for the said Murray; presence in this community, to have him removed, as he, by this act, makes

known whether the earnest con-versation which ensued concerned

panorama at British prime

ver questions

prime minister joined his

two fellow delegates but it is not

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PORTUGUESE AVIATORS ARE

LISBON, Portugal, April 16 -

Deacons of the First Baptlet church expressing themselves that they felt their pastor had been grossly inaulied. In addition to placing their approval on the general measure, drew up and passed an additional resolution, which follows:

"Preamble and resolution recommended to the Church by the Board of Deacons:

"Whereas, the pastors' conference of this city, in line with their work with civic righteousness, passed a resolution asking the contractors of the public health service hospital at Oteen if not incompatible with public interest to suspend Sunday work.

Oteen in not incompatible with public interest to suspend Sunday work on said hospital, and appointed a committee headed by our pastor to present such resolutions to the contracting firm, and.

"Whereas, this committee unon attempting to perform this service assigned to them were met with contunity and gross insult, and not even allowed to present the resolution in proper form, and.

"Whereas, the representative of the contracting firm not content with this rebuff to the committee, goes into the public press of the city and into the public press of the city and into the public press of the city and not content.

LISBON. Portugal, April 16—(By the Associated Press.)—The Portuguese hydro-airplane in which Captains Sacadura and Coutinho are endeavorths to fleave the Captains Sacadura and Coutinho are endeavorths to leave the Captains Sac nings and wild colors; frocks and

# ASK REMOVAL OF Soft Coal Mine Production KELLEY TO BRING Tinkham's Anti-saloon Plant Discharges On Endorses the Action BUILDING AGENT First Days Of Mine Strike TO RECORD VOTE League Charges Befor Forment Plant On Endorses the Action BUILDING AGENT First Days Of Mine Strike TO RECORD VOTE Department Of League Charges Befor

Sage Foundation Reports Over-Development of Mines Must Be Halted to Secure Satisfactory Wage Agreement.

washington, April 16.—Bituminous coal production in the
United States, reduced by 75 per
cent when miners in unionized
fields walked out April 1, is now
showing a slight increase, it was
reported today by the geological
survey. Non-union fields, where
operations are continuing, produced 10.782 carloads Monday.
April 10, and forced slowly abead "With the country flooded from coast to coast with millions of counterfeit federal reserve notes. United States notes, federal reserve notes, been larged as to coast with millions of counterfeit federal reserve notes.

Washington, a printing of the sub-community of the sub-communit program of progress is United States notes, federal reserve condemning construction work at Thursday. April 13, the last day next Saturday. Rumb-currency, national bank notes, sil-Oteen hospital on the Sabbath recorded, when the output was li-

The production on April 13, SAGE FOUNDATION MAKES pons." the with H. S. Murray, a representative of the contractors, hundreds demand is active," the survey said.

Comparing conditions to those creases.

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tions of the leading countries,

rather than decreasing."

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MRS J. E. RAWWI D. E. RAWW

by Great Britain, France and Bel-glum to the United States.

Senator France is reported to fer would need as a complement a joint international plan for re onstructive development. 'Assuming neans the transfer of the man

story he wers and not annexation he scheme would seem both feast ie and desirable, provided United ribution of her open door policy Amitting the co-operation of al tions," said Dr. Schnee.
"This," he added. "would be exmembers of the staff of the prince ctly opposite to the presen

ationals of the occupying powers. we still hope that our powers, sometime will be restored Doubtless the German-African

thrice the present native popula for fift; million colored people now; and there will be more man East Africa, southwest Af rica, Toroland and the Cameroon in this community, to have him removed, as he, by this act, makes Licyd George have not by any a million square miles, rich in means been the only attempts at matural wealth and abounding in a million square miles, rich in

moved an unwelcomed resident in our community.

"Resolved: third, that we appoint a member of our church to act with a similar committee with members of other churches so offended to coperate to the end that this insult he redressed as far as possible, and that if necessary this matter be take the nun with our representatives in congress with the request that we he relieved of this irritating member that has imposed himself upon our "Resolved: fourth, that we remain and allegiance to the leadership and Lordship of Jesus Christ, the teachings of the New Testament, defence and preservation of the Lord's Day, our recognition of religious rights and soul freedom.

"Resolved: fifth, that we refuse to permit in his free land of America and soul freedom.

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But fate had not yet exhausted to permit in his free land of America and soul freedom.

But fate had not yet exhausted to population of 2,500,000.

But fate had not yet exhausted to said the Villa de Albertis, came of coincidences. A short time later who should appear but five with mutual admiration.

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"As solonizing the with the raw materists the world sole customs of the first

'As regards the attempt colonize Africa with the surplus American colored population this in a stone way would settle the vexed problem, and under a plan uch as Fenator France has outmight enable France lined. STILL HELD UP IN FLIGHT German reparations which is parariging economic life.

# BUTLER IS GRATIFIED OVER REPUBLICAN SELECTIONS

WASHINGTON. April 16—"How the naval hulls for the same purdo you like your new republican pose at Cape Lookout breakwater would lead to the same conclusion Branham and National Committeeman Charles A. Reynolds?"

Marion Butler was asked today, "They are two first class men is not arrived at by the news." "They are two first class men is not arrived at by the none and splendid fellows," said he. partment."

Telegrams Will Be Sent Absentees to Return to Washington at Once.

### SUPPORTERS LOOK FOR WIDER MARGIN

Amendments Providing for Increases to Be Voted on Tuesday.

would be demanded in the house this week on the amendment to FORMAL REPORT ON WAGES the naval bill adopted sestenday increasing the enlisted strength

Contemplating the decisive vote

by which the house yesterday reman navy, as recommended by President Harding and American naval experts, over one of 67,000 men advocated by the committee on appropriations, republican leaders were undecided today whether to press the matter to a formal vote in the house proper.

Some of the members suppong the committee bill sere doubt ful whether the vote yesterday of 187 to 130, could be changed if another poll were taken. McArthur declared advocates of the amendment were satisfied a new test would show an even wider margin in favor of i

on the 86,000 proposal.

### FIRE DESTROYS FAMOUS OLD HOTEL IN CITY OF TOKIO Many In Retinue of Prince of Wales Are Made Homeless

TOKIO, April 16 - (By the Associated Press.)—Fire today de-stroyed the older portion of the famous Imperial hotel and damaged the temporary annex to the hotel. One person is known to have been killed. Three hundred persons

Wales and visitors who came to Tokio from various parts of Japan in connection with the visit of the prince, were rendered home less. Their effects were partly de-stroyed. When the fire broke our this afternoon, the prince of Wales was at a garden party. Consequently he knew nothing of the fire olonies would be able to support until he returned to the city.

The flames swept rapidly through the hotel building ander a strong wind and the hotel was quickly enveloped considerably damaged. hotel, which is under construction at a cost of 7,000,000 yen, was en-

A number of Americans residing natural wealth and abounding in in the hotel lost their effects.

the raw materials the world sorely Some 20 or 30 members of the materials the world sorely Some 20 or 30 members of the Moreover, most of them suite of the prince of Wales and sascred desoits the declaration ments of service thus far officers of the cruiser Renown that he enjoys "diplomatic immulpieted, indicate that approximate the control of the cruiser Renown that he enjoys "diplomatic immulpieted, indicate that approximate the control of the cruiser Renown that he enjoys "diplomatic immulpieted, indicate that approximate the control of the cruiser Renown that he enjoys "diplomatic immulpieted, indicate that approximate the control of the cruiser Renown the cruiser Renown that he enjoys "diplomatic immulpieted, indicate that approximate the control of the control of the cruiser Renown officers of the cruiser Renown were heavy losers. Capter P. regions are entirely suitable for Leigh lost presents he had rec during the visit of the prince of representative of Russia to Wales to India and Japan. Some ington of the prince's staff officers lost

The newspaper representatives and photographers attached to the prince's staff also lost everything notified of the action of the comand commelned, and has a popula-tion of less than eight million.

## USE OF WOOD HULLS FOR

(BY H. E. C. BRYANT)

WASHINGTON, April 16 — Ma-jor General Lansing H. Beach, chief of engineers of the army does not think it feasible to utilize the wooden hulls of ships to be disposed of by the shipping board breakwater construction at ion on the disposition to be made of these hulls. Several somewhat Several somewhat Great Britain to discharge their similar proposals 10 utilize for inherent quality of immunity, it debts to the United States and breakwater construction at varisimultaneously case the burden of our localities the wooden hulls lege accorded those to whom they that the shipping board has for are issued this department but found not to be feasible, of her on account the cost or for other reasons. fear that the study of the use of

Department Of Justice

Decision Is Rendered Borah by Federal Attorney in Telegram.

### COMMANDER IS NOT ADMITTED TO U.S.

Is in This Country on an "In Transit" Certificate, It Is Said.

NEW YORK, April 16.-Neither the federal courts the state courts Representative Tokh United States army can now try General Semenoff for murder com- men today that cold mitted in Siberia, Federal District | made by him Attorney William Hayward in-formed Senator Borah by telegraph tonight.

recognized by our authorities at the department manner of Shoe the time the murder was committed. Mr. Hayward said "the only cases againgthete was deliver appeal would have been to his mil-itary superiors there.

our military authorities had the right to capture, try and punish him at that time, 'ut not now." Hayward's telegram read as fellows: "I have your telegram asking Wheeler

whether Semenof can be held re-sponsible for the murder of Amer-League of ican soldlers in Siberia. He is not subject to prosecution in federal courts of the United States beause his acts do not come within the well defined limit of their ter-ritorial or admiralty jurisdiction. No state court could try hm as they all depend for juradcton on the venue of the crime. The general jurisdiction of and nuldfication

single the separation of distant relatives themselves, and ments apeak for the separation of the separ military tribunals extends beyond gada statement the army to several enumerated ity to appeal f the army to several enumerated ity to appeal for classes of persons namely, camp when the Anti-S. but democratic lenders asserted the party stood about two to one for the committee reporf.

Members of the sub-committee which framed the bill said today that amendments providing increases for the sections relating to engineers, ordrance, and construction and repair would be offered Tuesday by members of the appropriations committee who appropriations committee who allowers, spies and those giving was charged with two sections relating to course, falls within trols the congress none of these classes. So far as I can learn he was part of an in-pointments, and dependent army acting with the closures here in contingent of the United States. If shown to have at that is a correct statement of his tate judicial appointments administration of would be punishable by his own military superiors but not by our

fcan court can now try Semenoff Some nations claim jurisdiction and threaten punishment for certain crimes committed by a for eigner in foreign countries, but believe this right has never been recognized by the law of nations. We expressly denied Mexico's right in 1886 to try an American citizen for libel committed in Tex as and 'ntervened and demanded his release. See Cutting opinion of John Basset; See Cutting case and "In my opinion Semenoff would subject to prosecution under any government now or hereafter maintaining sovereignty over ter-

### mitted, and by no other. BAKHMETIFF WILL STILL

WASHINGTON, April 16—There the world war will not available until this office sh nounced plans of the senate summon before it Boris Bakhmeteff, Russian ambas- a detailed statement of th sador to the inited States, as a tary service of every man witness in the investigation the the state who served in the committee is conducting into the during that war. Any figure States of this connection which presence in the United General Gregorie Semeneif, it was far been given out by this declared officially tonight.

The committee's subpoons, tele-

graphed to Charleston, S. C., where furnishing them.
Mr. Bekhn steff has been spending "The most " of from such service because 4,438,000 men served in the libis status as the last accredited as enlisted men during the pe

Associates of the Russian envoy here did not expect him to re-turn before late tomorrow or Tuesday. None of them had been mittee and while without information es to what attitude the head of their delegation would take.

General Semenoff, now in cus-tody in New York as a result of a judgment against him in a civil damage suit has not really been from the state of North Carolina "admitted" to the United States who served in the United States "admitted" to the United States who served in the United States under the iterpretation of his bavy and marine corps during the status by immigration officials, war, inquiry should be addressed. The general holds an intransit to the navy department, Washingintransit to the nav certificate" it was said, which per-mits him to mass through the country, but if he should overstay for breakways.

Cabe Lookout or elsewhere.

Major Beach said: "I do not uncountry, but if he should oversome derstand that the navy department the 60 day maximum allowed uncountry are ver come to a final decision."

der such a certificate he would be the immediately to deportation. The certificate carries with it no that the shipping board has for are issued being a refunding of disposal, have been investigated by the "head tax" when they de-

SAN SALVADOR, April 16 .-Unofficial advices from Honduras bers were are to the effect that a revolution years flats Reynolds?" mind in case a more profitable of serious proportions means for disposal of the vessels resu at vario

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dure Sunday.

Declares An League Controls of the U.

WASHINGTON, AP Anti-Saloon had falled to com quipped with "If the army of Semenoff was rupt practices acds of an expe-

"are comp viction whei jury and for Reiterating 39

Patton

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contribution under pro statement s one of the day issued h ganda stateme hibition and 'anarchy' and

alone were into

Gets Response for Accurate List for Tark

WASHINGTON, ADD tor Simmons is tryin accurate record of Nort asualties in the world Davis has written him a ing letter, which states t "In response to your let 13th instant, I have the advise you as follows: "Accurate and final st showing by states the num BE CALLED AS WITNESS men furnished to the army durin completed its task of furnis

> office has so stated at the ti "The most recent as enlisted men during the pe of hostilities, of whom some 900 entered the service from state of North Carolina. It has also been estimated that 3,865

the 206,350 commissioned office Recently compiled casualty tistics show that 2,505 North Cal olina soldiers, of whom 76 commissioned officers and USE OF WOOD HULLS FOR of their delegation would that he were enlisted men, lost their in they were of the opinion that he were enlisted men, lost their in the would refer the entire matter to that 3.823 others, their department. were enlisted men, lost their li officers and 3,667 enlisted men, were wounded. "For information conterning men

### PLANT MEMORIAL OAK TO MEMORY OF CLARA BARTON

WASHINGTON, April 16 .- With appropriate ceremony, the Ameri-can Forestry association today planted a memorial oak in front of the house in Glen Echo, just out side of Washington, in which Clara Barton, founder of the American Red Cross, died Easter Suzday, 1912. Lieutenant General Nelson OLUTION DECLARED IN
PROGRESS IN HONDURAS celebrated civil war nurse, was

cloaks in wonder surpassing any