ASHEVILLE, N. C., WEDNESDAY MORNING, MAY 24, 1922.

Forward March of Government Not Slackened by Alarmists.

FIGHT AGAINST POU BARHAM IS HEARD STAGED BY ANTIS

Few Taxes Exist Today Not Voted for Local Betterments.

OFFICEN NEWS PUREAU RALEIGH. May 23.—Men of public interests coming to Raleigh

its greatest fight between "reaccalled "anti-taxers" make war on the apostles of advancement. Each one of the 100 counties has organized campaign against ation, with its leaders either king a seat in the public coun-

of the state or endeavoring to welld an influence in the election of aspirants. In most of the counties the fight has thus far en ineffective, and the next genral assembly is not expected to suffer through the activity of the reactionary. In 12-months' building cam paign in practically every county has brought the aded figures on

the tax slips and this, it is beleved, has been chiefly responsie for the anti-tax uprisings Then the state put on its program. and while it has not caled upon the pocketbook of the individual for any increased alowances, the job it has undertaken looks so big as to make it seem impossible to put it over without calling heavily upon the average citizen.

In so far as the state is con-cerned, administration leaders long ago mapped out their pro-gram for carrying on improvement ork, and the citizen is not sufferone whit even though the d-building campaigns, the educational and charitable institulons' extension and increased appropriations for deserving work of state are being rushed to com-

ind of tax that reaches the small ome-owner—levied in North 'arolina except under the authority of local law cannot exceed 15 cents on the hundred dollars for county purposes and the school purposes. In 70 counties of the state not enough ad valorem tax is levied run the schools and they re-ve or will receive state aid to enable them to give the people the constitutional term of school. Which shows that the complaint about taxation is confined exclu-sively to local special taxes.

Special Taxes Sequel Improvement Work And these special taxes came as the result of improvement work, ple by themselves. The alarmists of them as much as 30 per converse been crying out against tiese in the case of the N. C. & St. L. increases and calling for greater economy. Meanwhile, the forward march of progressive govern-ment has not slackened its pace

rates in the union, and the estand counties line up well in comparison with these units elsewhere. More taxes are being called for, and the people are getting Rallroad managements, it was

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however, that tangible immediate modern day developments, and modern day developments, and when the fight against continued progress came up he found Sanbalot warning against the work of balot warning against the work of advancement in the Old Testation of the conference that if they would leave class rates practically unchanged its Bynum attorney; L. Education of the city, is it will provide a fund to take

The fight against Congressman into session with

of Coal Firms.

ternational union officials.

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Declaration Is Made of Both Interstate and Intrastate Rates.

BY COMMISSIONERS

Would Make Atlanta Pivotal Point in Southeastern Ratings.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 23.-There is a growing need for a uniform mileage scale in the establishment of freight rates, both interstate and those within the states. Charles H. Barham, general freight agent of the Nashville, Chattanooga and St. report the state in the threes of the Nashville Chattanooga and St. Louis rallroad, declared today at the southern class rate investiga-tion being held here by Joseph B. Eastman, of the interstate com-Eastman, of the interstate com-merce commission.

Mr. Barham, whose testimony

took up all of today's session and may last several days, also pro-posed a plan to make Atlanta a pivotal point in gauging the rates or the southeast. He went into many details during the day, and in answer to questions said the basic theory in making and apply-ing freight rates is the cost of ing freight rates is the cost of service. He also declared inter-state I hight is 75 per cent of the total fieight hauled.

"Ordinarily in making class rates distance controls only in a limited way," the witness said. "This is because the effect of distance is modified by other elements; for instance, competition from the standpoint of deliberating the competition of one jobbing center with A definite mileage system,

Barham declared. "Is necessary as a measure of ustice to the terri-tory and as a measure to promote good will within the territory."

The system of rate fixing proposed by the carriers is to be on

a mileage basis as the fundamental principle, with a fixed definite percentage relationship between class rates; the application of class rates in all directions, and general compliance with Section 4 of the inter-state commerce commission, the ruling providing the same rates for

although the cost of service would always be the primary principle upon which rates would be based. rates could not be gauged entirely by cost of service, although this should be the first consideration, because of considerations in the territory served. The aim of the carriers, he said, was to secure an average rate that would be fair all many larger rate that would be fair all the carriers are that would be fair all the carriers are considerations.

RATES AND SCALES

ed for, and the people are getting more in the way of improvements and better conditions under which and better conditions under which to live than ever before.

The activity of the "anti-taxers" thas been interesting, despite the apparent retreat they now are making before the progressives. Heriot Clarkcon, of Charlotte, which they consider too high, which they consider too high, which they consider too high, with the financing of new equipments and the control of the directors.

The rtiring president made the following statement to the members. Our nesociation has had a successful year in many respects. This success has been due to the loyalty own troubles with wage scales which they consider too high, which they consider too high, which they consider too high, with the financing of new equipments. with the financing of the determinent of the directors with the financing of the untiring efforts of the directors brought to Raleigh with him the maintenance and betterment of and secretary. No head of any other day the designation of "Santher lines. The result is said to organization ever had a more true balots" for the "anti-taxers." He leave President Harding hopeful, or faithful body of men support.

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Witness Declares Men Negotiations Suspended, But Delegates Optimis-Fought Private Armies

WASHINGTON, May 23 .- (By CHARLESTOWN, W. Va., May 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—Facing a struction with which they do not care to deal without complete inquestion and answer. comments and retort crackled across the few care to deal without complete instruction the plenipotentiaries of the closing the cl cross-examiner during the closing pended their Washington negotia-hours of the court session at the tions to await important decisions treason trial of William Blizzard of policy understood to be taking shape in South America.

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Details of the considerations which have brought the conference to a standard are kept in the United Mine Workers of America in the witness chair lean-disposition in conference circles to disposition in conference circles to america in the witness charter and applications of the thrusts of verbal spar-ting of the thrusts of verbal spar-ring from A. M. Belcher, associate referred to home government ofof the prosecuting attorney. 1: ficials for advice was martial law in Mingo county. The course tak

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where Fowler had charge of the union work for a time, that started the interchange. From that it turned to the armed march last can diplomatists here over the turned to the armed march last possibility that the United States may come forward with an offer of direct aid in bringing the two those of the district and other international union officials.

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For their part, the delegates of first plen that the association can war.

Mr. Beicher asked if Philip the two countries are continuing not dictate closing hours, but can funds; furray, international vice-presi- their outward attitude of optimonly aid in creating favorable senfent of the union who was assisting the district officials had not that the continued delay in conopposed martial law, enforcement of which the state claims the
marchers intended to overthrow.

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YEAH, IT'S A HARD LIFE!

By BILLY BORNE



Launch Movement for 1930 Population of 75,-000 in Asheville.

ruling providing the same rates for long hauls and short hauls. This system, together with the definite rate fixing proposal, will require a complete revision of rates by souther carriers.

Mr. Barham pointed out that although the cost of service would be more and although the cost of service would be more association, held the expected to constitute the chief the extension of the state departing of the joint committee for agricultural work next Friday. Call for the meeting was issued to day by Governor Morrison as the annual all-members meeting of the committee will hear reports. the Mer hants' association, held last night in the rooms of the association on Broadway.

S AND SCALES and Mr. Bynum be instructed to cast the vote. The motion was

ment has not slackened its pace and the bond papers are flooded with advertisements for sale of offerings from North Carolina cities and towns.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—Adpussed.

Mr. Evyson, retiring president has been ill for the past week and towns.

The state has one of the lowest are in the union, and the recently in the close are recently in the union, and the recently in the close are recently in the union. sire to wish the association God-speed at the starting of a new year in its history, was the prime moive in his being present.

Of All Members

R. R. Williams, attorney; L. Ed-win Gill, advertising expert, and Mrs. Ella S. Tuttle, head of the salesmanship school, made ad-diesses and were accorded much diesses and were accorded much applause by the members present. At least 100 "gathered round the festive board" and partook of an excellent dinner, served under the direction of Miss Anne Garrity, scretary of the association. John W. Neel; delivered the invocation.

Mrs. Tuttle Stresses

merchants they were entrusting lected. meir cepital in the hands of inexperienced help, when they falled
to have efficient and competent
salesmen and salesladies in their
stores. She cited the needs of
every department of a store in
salesmanship and declared an atinactive store, with efficient salespeople attracted wide attention.

Mrs. Tuttle urged the merchants
servicines are the Merchant's association, Chamber of Commerce, Roton, Chamber of Commerc

their employes attend. Miss. Margaret Tracy, of the Young Women's Christian association, appeared before the merchants in the interest of earlier closing hours on Saturday. She presented a petition signed by at operative organization composed least 250 of the leading citizens.

now being operated for the young aid. porting during a part of the year. Rates charged and operating ex-penses were quoted, and she asked for advice on the plans for keeping

the building in operation.

Both matters were referred to the incoming board of directors for action. It was pointed out on the first plea that the association can-

Williams' Address Pleases

PLAN BROADER AGRICULTURAL **WORK IN STATE**

Morrison Issues Call For Annual Meeting of Joint Committee

TARBOROGUE MOTHL

(Sy BROCK BARKLEY)
RALLIGH, May 23,—Plans for nent of agriculture's program are expected to constitute the chief the extension of the state depart-Call for the meeting was issued to-day by Governor Morrison as engirman.

siam for future operations. The committee is composed of the following:

because of considerations in the territory served. The aim of the carriers, he said, was to secure an average rate that would be fair all along the line.

He said that a rate fixed by compromise and averages on the general scale suggested would mean many and sharp reductions some of them as much as 30 per cent, in the case of the N. C. & St. L.

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CHEST BUDGET TO

\$83,385.71.

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Mrs. Tuttle Stresses

Of the balance of the year will emount to \$32,585, leaving a credit to the energency fund of \$3,991.93, if all of the subscriptions are col-

Mean the store, with efficient sales paign was three and one-half per cent of the total amount of sub-Mrs. Tuttle urged the merchants of support the school of salesman-thip and use every effort to have their employees attend.

The maintenance cost of the chest amount: to \$1,105.68, or one per cent of the total amount raised.

least 250 of the leading citizens.

Miss Lawrence, of the same organization asked the advice of the civic organizations of the City of association members in regard to association members in the community chest. She stated that the building Rotary, Kiwanis and Civitan clubs.

"Whereas, the Community Chest having been organized September 10, 1921, for the purpose of soliciting funds for the maintenance of the cliaritable, philanthropic and social service institutions in our city, with a view that there shall be and only one campaign each year for the solicitation of such funds; and, Whereas, the Community Chest

It Develops He Swallowed Poison Weeks Ago, Came Near Dying.

fense, Clarence Peters an ex-tion of the report by which me tourrine, whom he charged with bership in the council was biackmalling him, nearly died tained. The committee will hear reports on the reneral progress of the work during the past year and aith these as a basis plans a program for future operations. The committee is composed of the following:

Governor Morrison, chairman: Dr. W. C. Riddick, Raleigh, president: W. A. Graham, Raleigh, commissioner: O. L. Clark, Clark, the commissioner: O. L. Clark, Clark, the taking of the poison was accidental, Ur. Schiel said. "Mr. Ward C. W. Golds, Greenshope, T. Is subject to very severe headaches." is subject to very severe headaches and it is an easy thing to get medicines mixed in the dark. He had a narrow escape."

Meanwrile, while the authori-ies spent the day checking up 'n detail the story told by Ward of a mining pistol fight with three alleged blackmallers with whom ha had held a rendezvous, the na-ture of the hold which they had toon him-and which was alleged hav led to a \$30,000 payment.

In this connection it was learned hat shortly before the shooting. Ward received from his father in the inner Majestic, a radio read-'Not one cent for blackmail."

Total of \$53,192.04 Paid This message replied to one from his sor telling him of additional demands made on him. Young Wife Says Ward lias Her Confidence

her husband is police commis-sioner, professed stoutly her con-

She stated that she did not know intil yesterday of the demands that had been made on her husband. She added that she didn't know of his receiving any more letters from two men known only as "Ross" and "Jack" who were the stack on motion pictures.

"Snow me a film which ridicules or insults a Catholic priest or a Jewish rabbi in this maner," abouted Dr. Briegleb. "Their insults are aimed at us." Twice his speaking time was extended.

The attack on motion pictures alleged to have been with Peters when he was shot.

Searc'; for the two men which proved fruitless in the tenderloin last night was pressed today a: the Jamaica racetrack and other

resorts of turfmen.

It was understood that a check was being made on a report that "Ross" and "Jack," representing themselves as connected with the Quincy stables, had introduced themselves to young Ward at the polson from the wound.

track. The owner and trainer of the stables said they never had heard of them and Ward's lawyer professed ignorance of why the track should have been searched.

The authorities of West-had Dr. Briegleb.

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The authorities of Westchester county admitted that while many facts tailled, they were at a loss to determine what had become of the pistol with which Peters, who halled from Haverhill, Mass, was said to have threatened the victim of his alleged blackmail plot. Peters was shot in his tracks, but no the wrist? Asked Dr. Briegleb.

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Briegleb Outlines Scheme for Censorship

Rev. Briegleb earlier had presented an outline to be followed. ters was shot in his tracks, but no sented an outline to be followed Authorities Checking

Up On Story
It became known tonight that

Council of the Churches of Christ in America, but adopted a resolu-tion by which it withdraws all financial support from the council. Last year the council was given \$5,600 by the southern church. Montrest, N. C., 16 miles from Asheville, today was chosen as the 1>23 meeting place of the Southern Prosbyterian general assem-bly. Mon reat is the summer assembly grounds of the church. The Southern assembly today received a second communication from the Northern Presbyterian assembly in session at Des Moines regarding the closer relations acion taken by the southern body ast Saturday and reaffirming the Einization to take any steps in the direction of actual union of Pres-

withdrawing financial supa member of the general it of the Presbyterian and med churches of America The assembly voted also to re-

direction of actual union of Pres byterian and reformed churches.

Vote to Retain Member

ship in Federal Council

of Churches.

NORTHERN BRANCH

Sought by Committee

at Des Moines.

CHAIR ESTON, W. Va., May 23

-The Southern Presbyterian gen-eral assembly today voted to re-tain murabership in the Federal

FAVORING UNION

Reformed churches of America.

In the adoption of the report of the standing committee on publication and Sabbath school work. one item included the re-election for a period of three years of R. E. Magill, of Richmond, Va., as secretary and treasurer of the executive committee of publica-WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., May 23. executive committee of publica-Walter S. Ward, wealthy baker's tion and Sabbath school work, a son, will yesterday surrendered himself with the statement that has week he had shot in self defense. Clarence Peters an explantine, whom he charged with

The Rev. Albert Sidney Johnson, Charlote, N. C., spoke against membership in the council, stating that he did it in the interest of the "dignity and honor" of the church. He cited that some of the largest evangelical denominations in the country are not included in the membership of the federal council, among them being the council, among them being the Southern Baptist convention, the

sumbly here today, Rev. Gustav Erregleb, of Pasadena, Call Courged that film interests were

testing against a picture in which a pastor is portrayed as robbing a as Her Confidence

The young wife, seen today at larry who is author of the segmanic er hone in New Rochelle, where in question, wrote that he admired "a man trave enough to go shead with his good work although it in-volves robbing a stage coach." Later in the picture, the pastor caught by a posse. Hart saves

him from hanging by cutting the declared, rope with a shot from his pis ol. not know "Show me a film which ridicules

The attack on motion pictures made by the committee on temperance and moral welfare in its report earlier in the day, gave only a hint of the storm which burst when Dr. Briegleb of the sub-committee on movies, took the plat-form. He described a scene from one picture in which a woman is bitten on the breast by a viper. The hero, undaunted by convention, tears off her bodice and sucks the

gun has come to light, according in the censorship of motion pictures as follows: Elmination of women in abbrev-

PRESBYTERIANS Blair Turns Tables In Ouster Fight And Dover Is Now Down

ANXIETY FELT FOR SAFETY OF

Censorship of Movies Is He and Family Are Now Missing 36 Hours, Following Typhoon

MANEA, May 24. — (By the Associated Press) More than 15 hours have passed without word from Governor General Leonard A. Wood, with missing with his wife and daughter aboard the yacht Apo, following

ler abbard the yacht Apo, following a typhoon.

The storm rose so suddenly, the dispatch says, that many vessels navigating the open sea were unable to reach safety before it was upon them and the governor's yacht was one of many vessels reported missing.

The storm was said to have done considerable damage in and around Mantia, many persons being injured. No deaths were reported.

Army and navy headquarters here believe General Wood's yacht took refuge at some port out of reach of radio communication and suggested the possibility the Apo's radio set had become disabled.

WASHINGTON, May 23.—(By The Associated Press.)—The war department was beseiged with inquiries to-day from friends of Leonard Wood in the hope that some word had been received of him since his yacht was caught in a typhoon near the Island of Mindoro, in the Philippines, but the department had received no advices from Manila.

Some anxiety was expressed in officionary of the controversy. An order issued by CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 23.

Thing When Crooks Can't Stand Together.

NEW YORK, May 23.—Samuel Landecker, a former partner in the cotton brokerage firm of Orma-bee and Landscker, resumed the witness stand today at the contin-uation of the trial of American Cotton exchange on the charge of maintaining a bucketshop, and under direct examination how examinations were made on the floor of the exchange by "the crossed finger" method.

Southern Baptist convention, the Evangelical Lutheran church and the Protesant Episcopal church.

SAYS MOVIE FILMS

INSULT TO PASTORS

DES MOINES, I.wa, May 23.—
(By the Associated Press.)—Waying a letter from William "Billing a letter from William the only money changing hands by the commissioner, thus taking permanently was the fee paid into him away from the department, the clearing house of the exchange. The action taken today and the and the 35 margin paid by the transfer of Graybill's activities

> He admitted that while he was a while it lasted and the betting odds He admitted that while he was a member of the exchange another were on Dover, but those who broker had made a complaint against him for one of these alout the Quaker determination of leged fictitious transactions and Blair and the Scotch-Irish pluck that the board had ruled against Secretary Mellon. him. "But," added the witness, "it's a

fine thing when a bunch of crooks can't stand together when they WANT BOMBER make an agreement. "Meaning yourself one of the

trial will be resumed tomorrow.

GENERAL WOOD JOB NO

Harding Appointee to "Clean up" Division Failed of Support.

MELLON BACKING COMMISSIONER NOW

Reorganization Takes Place, Two Dover Appointees Losing Jobs. WASHINGTON, May 23 .- David

H. Riair, commissioner of international revenue, has the kneelock on Elmer Dover in the row over appointments, and will throw him. In fact, it looks as if he had al-CHARLESTON, W. Va., May 23.

The action of the assembly in restraining membership in the council came through the adoption of expressed that the yacht had part of the report of the standing committee on foreign correspondence, but a substitute recommendation was accepted in the matter of withdrawing financial supof him. Dover is on a long journey and it has been reported that he will not resume active duties at the old stand in the treasury de-partment. Blair will not discuss the situation, but it is plain to those who are conversant with the facts that he is in the saddle, and Dover is two thousand miles away.

Mr. Dover was appointed by President Harding to "Clean up" the customs and internal revenue divisions of the treasury depart-Witness Says It's a Fine ment. His failure to win the support of Secretary Mellon in his campaign to convert the internal revenue bureau into a partisan camp deomed his program to sure

defeat. It was announced at the bureau of internal revenue today that "the accounts unit and the office of su-pervisor of collectors offices" had been established and that the du-ties of these two offices "will here-after be performed in a new unit to be known as the accounts and collections unit," with Charles R.

Nash, of Minnesota in charge. The significance of this change lies in the fact that C. C. Childs, of

chirged that film interests were ridiculing Protestant pastors in shorty before the shooting, received from his father. So Ward millionaire head Ward Baking company, then a timer Majestic, a radio readity one cent for blackmail."

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WANT BOMBER FOUND

COLUMBUS, Ga., May 23-Rescreeks "asked counsel for the ex-change.
"Yes, I was among them," adif necessary to apprehend the permitted the witness.

Landecker, before leaving the home of J. Homer Dimon with a stand told the court that he would bomb here early Sunday morning, send to New Orleans for the books were adopted here tonight at a of his former brokerage firm. The mass meeting of Columbus citizens.

lice Force Goes to Chicago Council.

CHICAGO, May 23 .- An appropriation ordinance to provide \$675,000 to pay for an additional of Police Fitzmorris as a result seven-company amalgamation, but of recent outbreaks of crimo and temporarily disrupted by the abluwlessian was introduced at a pecial meeting of the city coin-Up On Story

It became known tonight that the authorities are investigating various stories concerning Ward's immediate past which they believe may have a bearing on the evenus that led up to the shooting. One intous home life.

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Financing Additional Po- Eight Company Combine Expected to Buck U. S. Steel.

NEW YORK, May 23.-The merger of independent steel companies originally planned as a seven-company amalgamation, but sorption of the Lackawana Steel company by the Bethlehem Steel corporation, will now be a sixcompany combination, according to The New York World.

Describing the merger as an accomplished fact, the newspaper states that the Midvale Steel and Ordnance company, the Inland Ward in the latter's home last Tuesday night a few hours before the shooting at a "poker party" in which several other men are said to have paricipated.

John Moscowitz, who was asleep in the garage of Clarence W. Eckhardi, before whose home Peters body was found, tonight told the authorities that, he had not heard any shots Tuesday morning, when Ward claimed to have had a pistole battle with the three mes to the presentations "make" in screen presentations of all death bed The evidence was presented to the evidence was presented by Assistant States Attorney Fairbanks, who said that preparations had been made for the return of additional indictions in the return of additional indictions that the evidence was presented by Assistant States Attorney preparations had been made for the last of the evidence was presented by Assistant States Attorney preparations had been made for the return of additional indictions.

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