

North and South Carolina: fair and not quite so warm today. Wednesday fair; gentle west and northwest winds.

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ASHEVILLE, N. C., TUESDAY MORNING, JUNE 13, 1922.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

DAVE POPLAR AT U. N. C. SHADE FOR SENIORS OF 1922

Famous Tree Witnesses Passing of Another Class From "Hill." GRADUATES GIVEN FULL DAY MONDAY

Initiate Seven Members Into Phi Beta Kappa Fraternity.

CHAPEL HILL, N. C., June 12.—This has been the seniors' only day in the university's commencement program.

Since, shortly after 9 o'clock this morning, the members of the graduating class followed the lead of Prof. Horace Williams and marched down the avenue from Memorial to Gerrard hall, a varied round of class exercises and class events has been the order of the day.

Professor Williams addressed the class in Gerrard hall on the "Passion for Truth—Truth and Religion." His message was a simple and beautiful plea, delivered in the pleasing and eloquent style for which the university philosophy professor is noted.

After a short recess the graduating class again assembled in Gerrard hall with a large number of other students and visitors. J. J. Phillips, a Chapel Hill boy, president of the class, delivered his farewell speech, in which he traced the growth of the organization, the lecture days of the S. A. P. and the many days of the S. A. P. when they became a unity again.

The closing exercises of the seniors were held on the campus in the shade of the Dave Poplar late this afternoon.

MRS. PLATT MAY DEMAND SECOND PRIMARY IN JULY

Says Election Board Has No Right to Declare Ebbs Nominee.

Mrs. Charles M. Platt is seriously considering the question of demanding of the board of elections that a primary be ordered between herself and Plato Ebbs, for the nomination for the state senate from Buncombe county, according to a statement to The Citizen last night. A definite decision will be made during the day, it was declared.

REORGANIZE CUBAN CABINET WITHIN 48 HOURS TO COMPLY WITH AMERICAN SUGGESTIONS

Cuban Congress and President Zayas Move Fast to Bring About "Moral Reformation" and Remove Cause for Possible Intervention by the U. S.

HAVANA, June 12.—(By the Associated Press.)—Congress and the president moved fast today to comply with the American government's suggestions for a "moral reformation" of the Cuban administration and to remove any cause for possible foreign intervention.

Expect Death Toll Of Sunday's Storm To Reach Eighty, While Search For Bodies Continues

Eye Witnesses of Tragedy Believe Over Eighty Were Killed. SAVE HUNDREDS BY QUICK RESCUE WORK

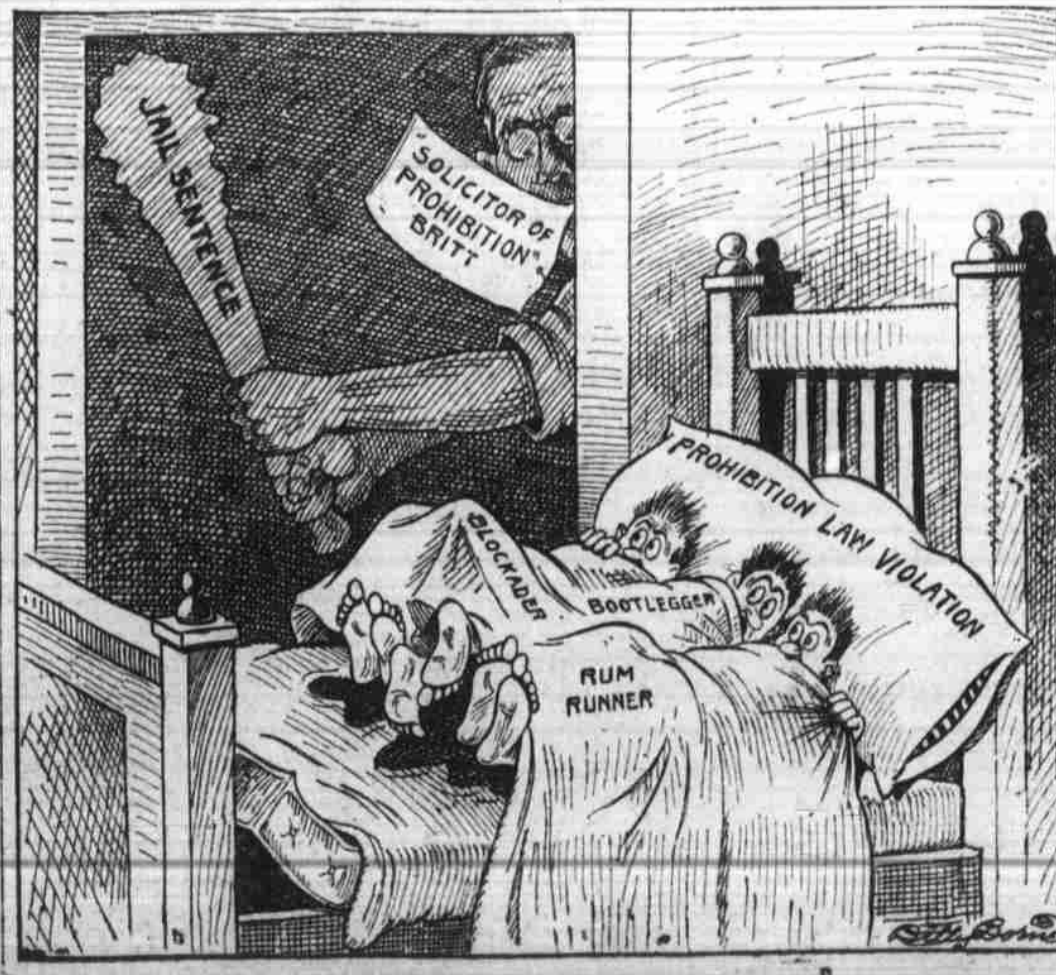
NEW YORK, June 12.—(By The Associated Press.)—Morgues and undertakers shops of the Metropolitan area tonight held the bodies of those who died in the storm of yesterday's brief cyclonic storm, women and children—victims.

As quickly as it had come, the storm vanished. It had lasted less than five minutes. But scarcely a dozen of the 250 small craft had survived. Horror-stricken, but helpless, lay the 250 canoes, row boats, beach and about the casino, where saw scores of men and women clinging to wrecked and overturned craft in the choppy sound and bay.

Among the first to put out were Jack Murray, J. C. Bower, Jack Malloy, and Frank Warlinger. Manning two small motorboats, they saved more than a dozen men and women whom they found clinging to the canoes and row boats. They were followed by others, and soon more than 50 craft of all sorts were out, dragging to safety the survivors of the disaster.

UNEASY ARE THE HEADS THAT REST THEREON

By BILLY BORNE



CHIEFS OF LABOR VIEW FUTURE AS FIGHT FOR UNIONS

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ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF LABOR REVIEWED

CINCINNATI, June 12.—(By The Associated Press.)—Facing a fight that leaders of organized labor regard as one for the existence of unions, the American Federation here today opened its forty-second annual convention, which was marked by the presentation of many issues that are to be considered during the next two weeks and a speech by President Samuel Gompers, declaring "we do not fool ourselves into fancied security."

To Develop Basis of Future Action Over Reparations

PARIS, June 12.—(By the Associated Press.)—That the committee on reparations which is leaving for Berlin Thursday or Friday will develop the basis for future action on the reparations issues is the impression today in French official quarters.

Local Association Gives Approval of Plan Being Considered.

A movement has been launched by reserve officers and is receiving consideration from the proper officials in Washington for the purpose of giving war department approval of a pin to be worn by those in the Officers Reserve corps.

REJECT BIDS FOR SOUTH ASHEVILLE SCHOOL BUILDING

Architect William J. East Ordered to Revise His Specifications.

CITY SCHOOL HEAD PLAYED AT SESSION

After a lively session in which members of the school board claimed that William J. East, local architect, "had called for too much material in his plans for the new school building for South Asheville," a resolution was passed yesterday afternoon rejecting all bids for general construction on the grounds they were beyond the means of the city, and instructing the architect to revise his specifications.

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Bomber Makes Altitude Record—New Parachute Jumping Record.

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State To Fight Proposal For Merger Nation's Rail Systems; Said To Endanger Rates In N. C.

TO SUBMIT SHIP SUBSIDY BILL TODAY AND WILL CALL SPECIAL SESSION IF VOTE IS NOT REACHED

WASHINGTON, June 12.—President Harding's demand for speed in the framing of the administration ship subsidy bill resulted tonight in an announcement by the merchant marine committee that it would be submitted to the house tomorrow.

Week To Be Record-Breaker In Enrollment Of New Members For Citizen's Big Campaign

Harding Against Action at Present On Muscle Shoals

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RUSSIANS MUST BE KEPT TO POINT, SAYS POINCARÉ

PARIS, June 12.—Premier Poincaré, in his note to the British government, in reply to the recent British memorandum, does not refer to the memorandum of June 11, with respect to the Hague conference. He insists that if the powers come to an agreement in advance and present a united front to the Russians at the Hague, that permit them to stray from the point, they can and will accept all required of them. As proof of this, M. Poincaré instances what they have done for Italy in the treaty just concluded.

LISSNER AND BENSON TO STAY ON SHIPPING BOARD

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Meyer Lissner and Rear Admiral Williams, retired, were nominated by President Harding today for reappointment to the shipping board. The nomination is to take effect at midnight tomorrow. The nomination of Mr. Lissner is credited to California and that of Admiral Benson to Georgia.

TRADE BODIES TO JOIN COMMISSION IN WAGING FIGHT

To Appear at Washington and Aruge Against Three Proposals.

MORRISON PLEDGES HIS FULL SUPPORT

Aver Changes in Lines Would Be Detrimental To State's Interests.

WASHINGTON, June 12.—Opposition to proposals affecting North Carolina in the tentative plans submitted by the interstate commerce commission for the merger of the nation's railway systems will be voiced by the state corporation commission and chambers of commerce when the interstate body ranges for representation at the Washington hearing to enter opposition to three propositions affecting this state and to make recommendations regarding a fourth.

Westerly branches between Roanoke and Winston-Salem and Lynchburg and Durham, the assignment of the Norfolk Southern to the Atlantic Coast Line and the assignment of the Potomac and Annapolis to the Coast Line, suggested by the interstate commerce commission, meets with opposition on the part of those attending the conference here today.

Called on Party to Elect Democrats and Redeem Nineteenth District.

Calling on his friends and supporters to work for the interests of the democratic party and elect J. E. Swain as solicitor of the Nineteenth judicial district in the coming election, Edith C. Jones yesterday announced that he will not enter a second primary against Mr. Swain for the nomination as solicitor.

Since the primary June 3 I have had friends from all parts of this judicial district to urge me to call a second primary. I have given the matter very careful consideration, and I believe that it is the choice of the people. Ours is a democracy, and when any one seeking a public office realizes that the majority of the people are for another, it is his or her duty to withdraw in favor of the people's choice.

I came to this county seven years ago, and without any pull or family connections or the backing of any faction of the party, the people made me the second choice. I am profoundly grateful for this honor, and I want to assure my friends and supporters that if I am elected, I will continue to defend Mr. Swain and continue the fight to the end. But with his large plurality I feel that it would be to him to extend congratulations upon the splendid race which he made.

To my friends who gave me loyal and enthusiastic support I want again to express my appreciation and to say that they will have the opportunity four years from date to give me the nomination for the solicitor of this district.

In the heart of a true democrat there is no string of a primary defeat. We must redeem this district. I am ready to work just as hard for Mr. Swain's election as I would for any other candidate. I am a splendid citizen and an able lawyer, and I confidently believe I can make the best solicitor of this district.

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