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DR. RONDTHALER, PRESIDENT OF SALEM COLLEGE IS SPEAKER

Annual Convention Opens Today—Declare South Better Off.

Structure Now Under Way Is Expected to Be Finished in November.

Attended by upward of 350 interested citizens and made notable by the presence of Dr. Howard Rondthaler, President of Salem College, at Winston-Salem, who delivered the principal address, the official laying of the cornerstone of the new Y. M. C. A. plant on Broadway and Woodfin Street Sunday afternoon was an occasion to be remembered in the annals of Association history.

It marked the entrance into a new era, when completed in November, according to present estimates, will represent a value of \$100,000. A history of the Association's growth and early struggles was portrayed by J. C. Martin, President of the organization for many years. An interesting program of other features was also carried out in the new building yesterday.

An impressive moment came when President Martin called out the various articles which Vice-President Frank S. Smith then placed in a box occupying the cavity over which the cornerstone will be placed by masons today.

In an inspirational address upon the "Sensitiveness of the Unseen," Dr. Rondthaler, who is noted as an orator of marked ability, several times before pleased his hearers with an able discussion hinging upon the great work being performed by the Association.

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BANKERS STAGE FIGHT AGAINST BRANCH HOUSES

Two Years' Good Business Ahead

NEW YORK, Oct. 1.—On the eve of what promises to be the largest and most important—the eighth—annual convention of the American Bankers' Association, which opens tomorrow, independent bankers representing all sections of the country met in a preliminary session today and planned a campaign against the establishment of branch banks by the larger national banking houses.

Today's preliminary session assumed the proportion of a mass meeting with bankers' delegations present from many cities and a part-branch bank headquarters has been established in the Biltmore Hotel by the Chicago and Cook County Bankers' Association.

The bankers at today's meeting announced receipt of a wire through the convention a resolution placing the organization on record as against the branch bank plan, by which National banks in an attempt at trans-Atlantic communication have been established in other cities and towns.

They also will seek to have the plan disapproved by resolution of the alleged support of the plan by D. W. Crisinger, Comptroller of the Treasury, who has been reported to be in the city and who they contend, threatens absorption, if not destruction, of state and independent banks and trust companies in smaller communities.

Bankers of the larger cities, particularly New York, are expected to wage a stiff fight to prevent adoption of the proposed resolution.

Pool of financiers gathered for the convention indicated unanimous satisfaction with the progress upward from the valley of post-war depression, and a belief that at least two years of good business lie ahead.

Almost without exception they expressed a belief that the United States, for its own welfare, must concern itself more industriously with the rejuvenation of Europe.

Robert F. Maddox, of Atlanta, Ga., a former president of the National Bankers' Association, finds the South is rapidly recovering from the recent depression.

TOO BUSY THIS WEEK BY BILLY BORNE



NEW INSTRUMENT TO REVOLUTIONIZE DEFENSE OF COAST

WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Two instruments which, it is declared, will revolutionize the art of coast defense, are being exhibited in the Ordnance Department here and will later be installed at Panama to control the Panama Canal.

The instruments comprise a system of ranging and following a moving enemy ship. They are electrically operated and automatically add, subtract, multiply, divide, and make allowance for many factors controlling the flight of a shell.

Visitors to the larger coast defense stations often wonder how it is possible for the gunners to hit a ship with a five or six foot projectile shot from a gun 70 or 80 miles in length, when the enemy is as far off as 20 miles.

The greater distances, weights and charges used in modern mechanical warfare call for more accurate fire. In future artillery duels, army officials say that the salvos will be exchanged at the rate of two or three a minute and between volleys changes must be made in a matter of seconds.

The new instruments will constantly make these corrections. They are called the target computer and the battery computer.

The target computer is a high powered telescope located at the vicinity of the harbor defense. On the other end of the battery computer, the exact location of the enemy ship is computed.

Broadcast Across Atlantic the First Time in History

NEWARK, N. J., Oct. 1.—Officials of radio station WOR here today announced receipt of a wireless message declaring that the voice of a woman singing and the strains of an orchestra that were broadcast from Newark last night in an attempt at trans-Atlantic communication had been heard in London.

A message sent broadcast by Sir Thomas Lipton did not carry across the ocean, however, the London message mentioning only the music strains and the woman's voice. Sir Thomas Lipton was announced, will make a second attempt next week.

Officials at station WOR declared this is the first time actual radio communication has been broadcast across the Atlantic. Sir Thomas broadcast his message at midnight last night and was followed by the singing of several songs by a woman and the rendition of numbers by a small orchestra.

The following wireless message was received from London today: "Large crowds in London awaited the arrival of Sir Thomas Lipton's message. Great interference from ship signals. Head you test music and woman singing."

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ROBERTS URGING FREE PEOPLE RELOADED DURING WAR

Assails Injunction Suit and Wants Soviet Russia Recognized.

WASHINGTON LABOR SEEKING OUSTER Would Have Daugherty Impeached for Action Against Unions.

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Hearings of all prisoners held for violation of war time acts, and recognition of the Russian Soviet government were advocated by Senator William E. Borah, of Idaho, today at what was announced as the first of a series of meetings to be held throughout the country in behalf of these two aims.

Senator Borah devoted much time to a discussion of free speech and read a Supreme Court decision handed down at the close of the War Between the States defining speech rights. He said the "political prisoners" were convicted because of their activities in industry rather than sedition. He assailed the injunction recently obtained by the Government against the striking railway shop crafts.

At the close of the meeting a resolution was adopted which said in part: "We demand that President Warren G. Harding immediately release all political prisoners."

DAUGHERTY'S REMOVAL DEMANDED BY LABOR WASHINGTON, Oct. 1.—Resolutions demanding the removal of Attorney-General Daugherty were adopted today by the General Labor Union at a meeting at which Samuel Gompers, President of the American Federation of Labor charged the attorney-general with signing the law in seeking an injunction against striking railway shopmen.

Support also was pledged in the resolutions to the effort to bring about the impeachment of Mr. Daugherty "that he purged and purified of an influence which has besmirched it and degraded it in the eyes of right thinking men and women who know the facts."

Mr. Gompers declared that since 1918 the appropriation bill for the Department of Justice carried each year a provision that none of the money appropriated by Congress be used for the payment of any salary or honorarium to any person in the Department of Justice who has been impeached.

In an hour and a half speech, Mr. Gompers discussed the injunction proceedings, and Mr. Daugherty "had violated the provision in the appropriation bill for his Department when he sought the writ from Judge Wilkerson whose mind he knew."

KEMAL ORDERS MILITARY ACTS TO BE STOPPED

Frontier Clashes Continue Between Turkish Regulars and Greeks.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Oct. 1.—(By The Associated Press.)—The Greek commander has informed the Allies that the Greeks will not be responsible for the neutrality of the zone which was recently limited to defend the Thessalonian line. Orders for cessation of military movements in the Chankay region of Asiatic Turkey and for the suspension of the activities of the Turkish irregular forces in Thrace have been issued by Mustafa Kemal Pasha, the Turkish Nationalist leader.

Turkish National authorities have agreed to an armistice conference in Mudania on Tuesday, but they are not ready to accept the terms of the armistice. The Nationalists will be represented by Ismet Pasha and possibly by Hamid Bey.

While the cabinet members appear to be much gratified at the happy conclusion for the moment of a difficulty which might have necessitated the use of force in the Chankay zone, there are other bridges to cross. Up to the present there is no information from General Harrington, the British commander at Constantinople that the Mudania conference has been held.

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The Mudania meeting will be a purely military affair to arranged according to the original allied note to Kemal Pasha, that the neutral zone shall be respected and also the Greeks are to be withdrawn in Thrace, both points pending to a general peace. There will be present military representatives of the three allied powers, as well as Greece and Turkey.

It is pointed out that the very basis of this conference respect for the neutral zone and before it begins the Turks will be expected to clear out of the zone. The British evacuation of the Chankay area entire, General Harrington to send a telegram to Kemal Pasha, that the British have not withdrawn completely, they have evacuated the heights of Green Keut and have evacuated also from the area of the British withdrawal.

If the Turks around Mudania commence such actions as might be construed as an attempt to force the British to raise the question before entering the conference.

Another question which may arise within the conference is the form of government to be established in Thrace pending the terms of peace. It is certain that the Turks will demand that they be permitted to take over and occupy Thrace immediately to protect their nationalities. Keep order and prevent confusion and crime with the withdrawal of the Greeks. It is suggested that Allied officials and troops might be used for this purpose.

CONFERENCE AT MUDANIA TUESDAY EASES SITUATION

Tension Lessens When Mustafa Kemal Pasha Accepts Proposal.

SOME SAY KEMAL IS "PLAYING GAME" Peace Conference Likely by October 15 if All Goes Well.

LONDON, Oct. 1.—(By The Associated Press.)—With the virtual acceptance by Mustafa Kemal Pasha of a conference at Mudania Tuesday, or as soon as possible, thereafter, the whole Near Eastern situation is considered temporarily easier.

The fact that Turkish troops are still concentrating in the Chankay zone, notwithstanding that they have retired slightly in the Chankay zone, would indicate, according to remarks made after the British cabinet's second meeting today, that "Kemal is still playing a game."

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ONE INCOME OVER TWO MILLIONS IN STATE REPORTED

Total Federal Tax Reported From North Carolina \$9,620,675.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 29.—(By The Associated Press.)—One person in North Carolina reported an income for 1920 of more than \$1,000,000, the Commissioner of Internal Revenue reports. There was one between one million and one and a half million; and one between one and one million.

Who they are cannot be known under the law. To hide identity, there is reported to be one with a net income of \$4,786,414, but it is not shown whether this was for one or two persons.

Two persons made from two hundred and fifty to three hundred and fifty thousand; one between two hundred and fifty thousand and three hundred thousand; and 13 from one hundred to one hundred fifty thousand.

There were 11,530 between one and two thousand, who were taxable and 5,109 not taxable; 9,420 between two and three thousand; 18 between three and four thousand; 111 between four and five thousand; 79 between five and six thousand; 370 between six and seven thousand; 224 between seven and eight thousand; 19 between eight and nine thousand; 224 between nine and ten thousand; 159 between ten and eleven thousand; 139 between eleven and twelve thousand; 141 between twelve and thirteen thousand; 119 between thirteen and fourteen thousand; 122 between fourteen and fifteen thousand; 309 between fifteen and sixteen thousand; 142 between sixteen and seventeen thousand; 22 between seventeen and eighteen thousand; 182 between eighteen and nineteen thousand; 111 between twenty and twenty-one thousand; 79 between twenty-one and twenty-two thousand; 87 between twenty-two and twenty-three thousand; 87 between twenty-three and twenty-four thousand; 19 between twenty-four and twenty-five thousand; 19 between twenty-five and twenty-six thousand.

SPLENDID TALENT HEARD BY FANS OF CITIZEN RADIO

Artists of Exceptional Ability Perform—Dr. Grogg Speaks.

Artists of exceptional ability played yesterday for The Citizen's Radiophone Broadcasting and scattering reports from various parts of this region indicated the concert in the afternoon and evening were enjoyed by scores of persons, who "listened in."

Following is the program rendered from 3 to 4 o'clock in the afternoon: "Large" by Handel, trio consisting of A. C. Dunn, piano; W. H. Straus, violin; H. L. Wilson, cello.

"Meditation," piano solo, Mrs. Sparks. "My Task," vocal solo, Carl Gossett. Lecture by J. H. Grogg, President of Buncombe County Baptist Sunday School Association.

"Rubenstein's Melody in F," trio, Mrs. Sparks, piano; Mrs. Straus, violin and Mr. Wilson, cello. Vocal solo, "My Father Watches Over Me," Mrs. Milton Brant, Mrs. Mae Woodall, accompanist.

"Adante," by Gluck, trio, Mr. Dunn, Mr. Straus and Mr. Wilson. "Humoresque," piano solo, Miss Mae Dunn. "Face," vocal solo, Mr. Gossett, Mrs. Woodall accompanist. "Universal Peace," Mr. Dunn, Mr. Straus and Mr. Wilson.

NEW EFFORT MADE TO SECURE WATER FOR CITY SUPPLY

Pipe Moved to Watershed Sunday With Which to Divert Two Streams.

Several loads of pipe were carried to the North Fork watershed yesterday for the purpose of attempting to divert Long Branch and Sugar Fork Branch to the North Fork intake, which is furnishing water to the city.

Following announcement in the Citizen Sunday morning that Charles E. Waddell intends to recommend to the City Commissioners that W. S. Lee, Consulting Engineer, be engaged for his advice, Mr. Sheriff standing that any effort to assure an adequate water supply for Asheville at the least possible cost, meets with his approval and will be given his support.

Requests have been made that no automobiles be washed during daylight hours or lawns watered. It is hoped that early rains will solve the water shortage, but at the present time the situation is regarded as acute.

Work of diverting the smaller streams to North Fork, using the pipe carried by yesterday, will probably be started this morning and it will be necessary to lay about three-fourths of a mile of six inch pipe.

HOLSTON CONFERENCE TO CONCLUDE MONDAY GREENVILLE, S. C., Oct. 1.—Merge the Liberty Life Insurance Company, of this city, and the Home Life Insurance Company, of Charleston, under the name of the former company, was announced here today by W. Frank Hipp, of the local company. The merger, it was stated, will bring the total insurance written by the local company up to \$3,000,000.

LAD, 14, ACCIDENTALLY KILLED BY HIS FRIEND

SALESBURY, Oct. 1.—William Misener, 14-year-old son of Charles Misener, of Rockwell, was accidentally killed Saturday afternoon while returning home from a hunting trip with two other boys about his own age.

A gun in the hands of Glen Miller, a boy in the neighborhood of Rockwell, was discharged accidentally and the end of the world entered the back of William's head, producing instant death.

The funeral was conducted from the Reformed Church at Rockwell Sunday morning and was attended by Rev. H. M. Holmhouse and was held by the largest number of people that ever gathered for a community for a funeral service.

FURTHER ACTION ON INJUNCTION IS TO BE DEBATED

Daugherty and Attorneys Will Confer on Situation at Capital.

CHICAGO, Oct. 1.—Donald R. Richberg, attorney for the striking shop crafts in the recent injunction proceedings before Federal Judge Wilkerson, departed today for Washington to confer with Attorney-General Daugherty regarding further action of the injunction. He expected to meet B. M. Jewell, head of the shopcrafters in the capital. The conference with the attorney-general was set for tomorrow and was explained by the following statement from Mr. Richberg.

The conference was arranged following the suggestion of Judge Wilkerson and Assistant Solicitor-General Eslerline to consider three matters: First, my request that the attorney-general consider that this case is one of general importance so that it can be heard at once by three judges thus giving the defendant an immediate appeal from Judge Wilkerson's order; second, Judge Wilkerson's request that counsel for both sides make arrangements for a final hearing at an early date. (This means a trial with oral testimony of witnesses and cross-examination instead of ex-parte affidavits); third, Mr. Eslerline's request that the attorney-general shorten the trial by agreeing to methods of producing evidence.

"Associates with me in the Washington conference will be Frank L. Mullholland, of Toledo; James S. Baber-Smith, of Washington; and probably Thomas Stevenson, of Cleveland."

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Dr. Rondthaler came here in connection with the dedication of the new Y. M. C. A. plant on Broadway and Woodfin Street, where he delivered an address yesterday afternoon at the formal placing of the cornerstone.

He visited the Mountain Metropolis as the scenic center of the South, and made apparent his belief the growth of this section is but in its infancy as compared to what may confidently be expected in the future.

Dr. Rondthaler was entertained as a guest of Wilbur Devandt at the Battery Park Hotel during his visit here in connection with the Y. M. C. A. dedication.