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ASHEVILLE, N. C., SUNDAY MORNING, OCTOBER 15, 1922.

LLOYD GEORGE DEFENDS NEAR EAST POLICY

Efforts to Expunge Testimony Termed Treason to Shipper

Claim Beaman and Griffin Introduce Nothing to Help Shippers.

DECLARE CARRIERS' PLANS "SMASHED" Womble's Grilling View ed as Indicating He

Scored Victory.

Characterizing the efforts of M. Beaman and J. S. Griffin, of the forth Carolina Traffic Association, have a large portion of the testimony of the North Carolina Cor-poration Commission stricken from the records of the rate investigan of the Interstate Commerce Commission as treasonable to the interests of the shippers of North Carolina, several large organizations, representing thousands of shippers in the State and hun-dreds of millions of dollars in husess interests, yesterday rallied the support of the Corporation

Commission.

The move on the part of representatives of large shipping interests and powerful business organizations to support the Corporation Commission, resulted from the motion of J. S. Griffin, Attorney for the Traffic Associa-tion, to have the testimony of W. G. Womble, State Commission rate expert, stricken from the records, Friday morning during the cross-examination of the former, charg-ing at the same time, that he di not represent the shippers of the State, at least not the 520 mem-hers of the Traffic Association.

Mr. Womble was on the stand for three days, during his presentation of testimony and cross-examination, and the comprehensive testimony introduced and the grilling manner of his cross-examination on the part of attorneys for the carriers, is declared to be an indication of victory for the North Carolina interests.

the North Carolina interests.
Signed by J. L. Graham, J. T.
Ryan, W. C. Creighton, R. M.
Pound, George W. Forrester and
George E. Daniels, the following
statement was yesterday moraling
placed in the records of the Interstate Commerce Commission:

"Inasmuch as the authority of the organie North Carolina Corporation publicity.

The ret tending and participating in this hearing ask permission to put in-the records, this statement, that position taken by the Corporaon Commission to defeat the efforts of the carriers to impose istifiable increased rates to North Carolina shippers and the effort of the Corporation Commission and its representatives to secure a proper reduction in present rates from the Central Freight Associa-[Centinued on Page Tee]

TWO STATES 1 STAGE MEETIN

Complete Program for District Gathering

in Asheville.

Kiwanians from North and South Carolina are preparing to march on the city and the vanguard will arrive Monday afternoon and eve-ning, with hundreds to follow from all parts of the two States, pre-pared to join with Asheville mem-bers in one of the most successful district conventions of Carolina Kiwanians ever held, October 17

George H. Ross, of Toronto, Canada, International President, Jules Brazil, famous Kiwanis entertainer, are expected to arrive Monday from across the "cobweb line" and the inimitable Jules is scheduled to have charge of the "glad hand" party at the Battery Park Hotel Monday evening.

Members of the Asheville Club, each on an important committee, have been untiling in their efforts

the city will be extended at the CLEVELAND AIR SERVICE Carolin pening of the morning session Tuesday and the response by W. B. Merrimon. District Governor, and an address of the International Associated Presse)—First Lieuten-true Associated Presse).

Holding Concern Formed for Coca-Cola Corporaion

Thomas K, Glenn, member of the organizing committee, an-nounced here tonight that a holding company had been formed to retain control of the formed to retain control of the Coca-Cola company, a \$25,000,000 corporation, in the South. The new company, according to the announcement, will be composed of representatives of southern interests controlling more than 250,000 of the 500,000 shares of the company's sinck.

Stock in the holding compans. Mr. Glenn stated, will be ex-changed for the voting trust certificates held by the Coca-

Cola stockholders on an even basis.

The original Coca-Cola Company, founded by Asa G. Candler, Sr., and members of his family, were purchased in August, 1919, by a syndicate of financial interests for approximately 225 a08 and Of this sundicated. mately \$25,000,000. Of this sum the Candler family received about \$15,000,000 cash, taking for the balance the entire issue of preferred stock, valued \$18,000,000.

Wilmington Made Head quarters for South Atlantic Ports Body.

ing with especial vigor the importance of maintaining present export the middle west, the South Atlantic Ports Association, in annual meeting today decided upon will meeting today decided upon will migton as headquarters for ensurance of the middle west, the south Atlantic Ports Association, in annual meeting today decided upon will meeting today decided upon will migton as headquarters for ensurance with the south and there is nothing to the story that he is in danger of being decided execut a bit of Republican Mr. Womble was on the stand ing with especial vigor the impotic Ports Association, in annual meeting today decided upon Wilmington as headquarters for ensuling year and elected Herbert A. Lynch, president, and Louis T. Moore, secretary, to succeed H. P. Adair and A. V. Snell, of Jacksonville, Fla. Messrs. Lynch and Moore, secretary, to succeed H. P. Wilmington Chamber of Commerce. Albert J. Stowe, secretary merce. Albert J. Stowe, secretary of the Jacksonville Chamber of Commerce, will continue to serve the organization as director of

commission to appear in this proceeding and represent the interests of North Carolina shippers has been challenged, the representatives of North Carolina shippers at the meeting representatives of North Carolina shippers at the meeting representing the notice of Jacksonville Brunswick, Savannah, Charleston and Wilmington. Reports were render-ed bringing out recent develop-ment in the South Atlantic Coastal highway, an important route which the Association is actively pushing to stimulate travel via the coastal cities.

Matthew Hale, of Washington, D. C., president of the South At-lantic States Association, was asked to visit several important cities in the Carolinas, Georgia and Florida to place before their comnercial interests the tremendous importance of supporting to great-est extent, the ports in their fight to maintain favorable rates from mid-west territory. Action was taken contempliting the affiliation of other important coastal cities in the Association.

In attendance from the ports were: Jacksonville. George H.
Baldwin, A. V. Snell and Albert J.
Stowe; Fred G. Warde, Brunswick; E. B. Walker, Savannah; J.
M. Whitsitt, Charleston, S. C., and
Messrs. Lynch and Moore, of Wilmington, N. C.

The visitors were entertained at luncheon by the Chamber of Com-

YOUNGEST OF COMPANY COMMANDERS IS DEAD

WILMINGTON, Oct. 13.—John D. Kerr, prominent hwyer of Sampson County, who held the distinction of being the youngest company commander in the Southern Army during the War Between the States died at his home at

GROWING ABUSIVE

Sunday Conference Be-tween Harding and Wood Forced by Situation.

HAMPTON DECLARES REVOLT IS GAINING

Heflin, at Winston-Salem, Predicts Next President a Democrat.

RASHINGTON CLERAT THE MARKYLLE CITIES (BY H. E. C. BRIAT).
WASHINGTON, Oct. 14. — The campaign on the Republicans is so determined that President Harding and Lepresentative William R Wood, chairman of the Republicas Congressional Committee, will have a conference tomorrow, Sun-

Mr. Wood abused the Democrati teday. He said that they defeated McKinley by misrepresenting the tariff bill that bore his name, but predicted they would not succeed in their cumpaign this year. Seclared that a reaction had

In Ohlo, Mr. Wood admitted the campaign is very spirited. It-said the Democrate are staying away from national issues and dis cussing and featuring state prob-lems. They are denouncing Re-publican tax laws. Mr. Wood will tell the Fresident that the tariff is the issue and that the Republi cans have the best of it in close

While Mr. Wood is making a re port to the President on his recen visit to Ohio, Illinois, Indiana and New York, Col. E. E. Brittain, Di-New York, Col. E. E. Brittain, Di-ector of Publicity for the Demo-ratic Senatorial Committee, asserts that Democrats are making real headway on the tariff argu-ment. He quotes Frank A. Hamp-ton, secretary of the committee, who is now in New York, as fol-

Great Democratic Victory
In New York Forecast
"The cevolt against the FordneyMcCumber tariff and the complete incapacity of the Republican ad-ministration promises a great Democratic majority in New York. Conferences here convince me

feated, except a bit of Republican balderdash 'In New Jersey the conditions are particularly good for the Democrats. Governor Edwards, Democratic candidate for the Sen-

Democratic candidate for the Senate, is riding on a landslide that foretells the defeat of Senator Frellinghuysen, who has the personal and political support of President Harding,

'Un New York the Democratic candidate for the Senate, Dr. Royal S. Copeland, has Senator Calder on the run, and the betting

"Democratic leaders from New York and New England are most enthusiastic over the outlook. They find that there is a general feeling among the people that the Harding administration and the Republican majority in the Con-gress has fallen down; that its failure to function for the best interests of the country is causing a revolt that means it is to be driven from power." driven from power. Hard Drive to Put

Over Mrs. Patterson
The Republicans are going to make a hard drive for Mrs. Lindsay Patterson. congressional candidate in the fifth district. They will send Leslie M. Shaw, ex-secretary of the tressury to speak for her Former Senator Butler, who has been very quiet this campaign will teen very quiet this campaign, will also aid Mrs. Patterson:

also ald Mrs. Patterson:

"Every man and woman in the Fifth District." said Mr Butler today. "knows that Mrs. Patterson can and will serve the interests of that great district in Congress more efficiently than the present incumbent has or can. It is an outstanding fact and is too plain for argument. Mrs. Patterson is by nature, ability, education and experience superbly, equipped to serve her district. In fact, before she has finished one term, the womanhood of our State and the whole country will be proud of such a brilliant and distinguished Representative in Congress.

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Attempted Theft of Letters From Candler Alleged

NEW ORLEANS, Oct. 14.— Attempted theft of 10 letters said to have been written by Asa G. Candler, Sr., to Mrs. Onezima de Bouchel from the office of Harold Moise, associate counsel for Mrs. de Bouchel, was revealed today by her at-

orney. The letters were recovered, Moise said, "when he grappled with a man as he was in the act of running out of the lawact of running out of the law-yer's office with the package containing them.
"It happened two days ago," said Moise, "but I didn't say anything about it because it

sounded so much like a fairy tale."

Moise said the package had Just been returned by registered mail when a man apparently about 30 years old entered the office and after mumbling a re-

mark about a detective agency, "I grabbed him and knocked him down," Moise said, "and he left in a hurry."

Raises Wage Bill of Rail-

The public group today was augmented after a ten-day deadlock by W. L. Menimen, of the labor group, and Samuel Higgins, of the railroad group, these two making the necessary five to make the public group proposal effective. Chairman Hooper said that actual decision would be presented to the brotherhood Monday, the award yet having been formally handed down.

Today's decision was a direct outgrowth of the July wage cuts and the rail strikes and threaten-ed strikes which followed. When the shop crafts strike was declar-ed, the Maintenance of Way Em-ployes were also on the verge of walking out but E. F. Grable, head of the organization, withheld ac-tion pending an appeal to the Labor Board for a revision of wages. In this appeal Grable asked virtual minimum of 47 cents an

Time of Application to Foreign Ships Is Ex-tended by Haynes.

FOREIGN EMBASSY STOCKS DISCUSSED

Liquor on American Ships Sailing Home After Midnight Is Barred.

WASHINGTON, Oct. 14 .- Forign shipping today was given another week of exemption from application of Attorney General Daugherty's liquor transportation ruling Prohibition Commissioner

Haynes after a conference with President Harding announced that regulations based upon the Attorney General's ruling that liquor cannot legally be brought within American territorial waters would not be applied to foreign ships leaving their home port before next Saturday. This announce-ment countermanded a previous one made by the prohibition en-forcement authorities of the Government making the application to all foreign vessels leaving them home ports after today.

The extension first was inter-preted to apply also to American privately owned cessels but inquiry at the offices of the prohibition unit brought forth the explanation that only foreign craft were to be given the additional week of grace.

American Legion Members Begin Arriving at New Orleans, Scene of Approaching Annual Con-

Mrs. Patterson and against Major Stedman would help the latter. Mr. Butler said the State should send Republicans from other districts but was especially interested in the Fifth.

G. O. P. PARTY RECORD IS SCORED BY HEFLIN WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Oct. 14.—In his address here tonight in behalf of the Democratic campaign, Senator Thomas J. Heflin, of Alabama, scored the Republican party on its record in tariff legislation, in the communique writing and legislation, in the communique in the communique writing and legislation, in the communique writing and legislation with the destruction of the latter where destruction of the allied was a falled, 15.

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An interesting program has been amounced as follows:

Monday night, October 16, inhouse here last January. Three formal reception at the Battery Park Hotel, featuring the introduction of Jules Brazil, nationally alter the rate of \$120 a month. The communique, writing and adoption of which occupied nearly do to establish their identity.

WILMINGTON, Oct. 14.—The legislation, in the handling of currency problems, the farm loan system, shipping board affairs, and the growth of distrust, disunion and has been announced as follows:

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Welcome from representatives of the various business interests of the city will be extended at the material propers of the south. Mr. Hef
MAN MEETS DEATH

Mystery Found NEW BRUNSWICK, N. J.

In Dual Murder

Two New 'Leads'

ing taken by the prosecutors of Middlesex and Somerset Counties today to turn over the entire investigation of the double slaying a month ago of Rev. Edward Wheeler Hall and Mrs. Eleanor Rhinehardt Mills, to the Attorney General's staff. County Detective Totten said that the two latest "leads" in the case had been taken from private investigators

The first of these leads is said to have been pur forward by Julius Braun, a private detective, retained by Charlotte Mills, daughter of the slain woman. Braun's theory that the rector and the choir singer were seized separately and carried. ried in two automobiles to the Somerset County orchard where their bodies were found, is reerving consideration, Detective Tolten said.

Totten declined to divulge the second lead, but said that it had been turned up by "four men whom I have had working for three weeks and working so quietly that no one but myself has known of their work."

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For the 100 kilometers course for the 100 kilometer course during the race he averaged 297.3

earth, Lieutenant Maughan was so exhausted that he leaned against the ship for several minutes until he revived. Major General Mason M. Patrick, Chief of the Army Air Service, Rear Admiral W. A. Mof-fett Chief of the Naval Bureau of fett. Chief of the Naval Bureau of Aeronautics and Edwin Denby, Secretary of the Navy, rushed to him. Major General Patrick patted

All the time during the race I was thinking about a telegram I had been expecting, announcing the birth of a child to Mrs. Maughan," the winning airman said, was stunned more or less at each of the 15 jurns. My worst moments, however, were at one turn when I lost confidence and the became unconscious graightwa. when I lost confidence and then became unconscious On the straightway I came to. Another trouble I had was my feet going sleep."
The terrific speed also told on

Lieutenant Maitland.

SALISBURY MAN SHOT IS CRITICALLY INJURED

delegations had arrived. Approx imately 100,000 Legionnaires are expected, according to the reports of the leaders of various States of the leaders of various States who are already here.

State headquarters have begun blossoming forth in rapid succession.

Washington delegates brought forth head pieces on the order of tam-o'shanters with feathers. The Kamas delegates appeared with the corn flower prominently displayed. Missourians are wearing played. Missourians are wearing big blue streamers with the name of their State and a badge with a milnisture mule attached. The "40 series of the Allies, irreparable disaster. But aside from that it is the only road to the fairway of the Black Sca where you've got the raw man and the realism of the affairs of the world surply, and of the commerce of that part of the world one-third had always been in British ships. Washington delegates appeared with the corn flower prominently displayed. Missourians are wearing big blue streamers with the name of their State and a badge with a milnistrare mule attached. The "40 series of the Allies, irreparable disaster. But aside from that it is the only road to the fairway of the Black Sca where you've got the raw man at times of peace—in normal times such as no other part of Europe of this county owe their protection and largely their protection and largely their protection and always been in British ships. While the world one-third had always been in British ships. Wall to keep One of Biggest of World War Prizes

"Vital to you, vital to humanity, we could not have had these straits the curve of the Allies. Irreparable disaster. But aside from that it is the only road to the fairway of the Black Sca where you've got the raw man at the provent of the Allies. The aside from that it is the only road to the fairway of the Black Sca where you've got the raw man at the provent of the Allies. The aside from that it is the only road to the fairway of the Black Sca where you've got the raw man at the provent of the Allies. The aside from that

Flings Himself Upon People He Has Never

PRICE 7c-ON TRAINS 10c.

Leaves Empire in Dark as to What Course He Will Pursue Declares England Has Kept Faith With Those Looking for Protection.

Betrayed, He States

To Those Who Decry Nearness Which He Has Come to War in Asia Minor He Says England Could Not Lose Great War Prize.

MANCHESTER. England, Oct. 14.—(By The Associated Press.)—Premier Lloyd George dealt with the crisis which Near Eastern events have ferced upon the government in a characteristic and powerful speech in the city of his birth this afternoon? While he spoke as 'lberal to liberal and chose a city remote from the capital for staging his oration, according to the long custom of British statesmen, he was not speaking primarily to Manchester but to Great British and the empire.

The prime minister's speech was evidently more carefully prepared than is usual with him. It was personally a defense of the government's policy but it was the sort of defense Mr. Lloyd George likes, because it gave him plenty of opportunity for his favorite sirategy of "offensive defense, which with him, means dealing the great war and which had cost us so much in life and treasure.

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"As to preading the war into Europe, you have only got to think what would have happened from the war they would have happened in the struck flushed with victory, with no army to resist him, had crossed the Bosphorus, passed into Thrace and occupied Corestantinople. Do you think he would have stopped in eastern Europe.

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sort of defense Mr. Lloyd George likes, because it gave him plenty of opportunity for his favorite sirategy of "offensive defense," which, with him, means dealing hard blows at his critics and going into personalites so sharp that they shook the old fashioned conventional statesmen.

What the country awaited most curiosly was information about the future: it wanted to know which of the various policies open before the prime minister—resignation, a general election or sitting tight—he plans to follow, but no light was thrown upon that point; he left himself free to take whatever direction events may indicate. He declared that no one could welcome his retirement more than himself, but followed this with the great dramatic passage, it is the proposition of the policy certainly, that is was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly, that is was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly, that is was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly, that is was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that is was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that I was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that I was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that I was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that I was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that I was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that I was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that I was brought up in. I was not the policy certainly that I was brought up in I was not our business. I am sorry to say that liberals had been pleading that it was none of our business. I am sorry to say that it was none of our business to interfere between the Turk in size leave to shield these people. I am told it was not our business. I am sorry to say that liberals had been pleading that it was none of our business to interfere between the strake they would have and their two shield these people. I am told it was not our business. I am sorry to say that liberals had been pleading that it was none of our busine

cents.

Chairman Ben W. Hooper, in a statement following the decision said that the board based its Gnot of Workmen and not only pronounced change in fiving costs. The maintenance of way officers in presenting the case to the board several weeks ago demanded a virtual minimum wage of 47 cents an hour.

SHOWS IMMENSE GAIN of the North Carolina's 197 furniture factories a virtual minimum wage of 47 cents an hour.

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the lap of 50 kilometers. He covering to keep point.

In the capital invested amounts of wages also have been made during the past ten years.

The capital invested amounts is \$6,525,162, while the plant value is \$3,834,530. The yearly payroll has reached \$5,467,614. Ten years ago 83 factories were capitalized at approximately three and a quarter million dollars had plants worth nearly a million and a half and a yearly output worth between eleven and twelve billion dollars. Eight thousand, six hundred and ninety-seven persons are employed in the manufacture of furniture, 274 of them being women and 89 children, according to Commissioner Shipman's figures.

High Point is the center of the furniture industry in North Carollina, but Davidson, Caldwell and Guilford Counties share in the leadership.

He capital invested amounts the lap of 50 kilometers. He cover the distance at the rate of 215.1 miles an hour, faster than anyone ever flew in a race.

For the 100 kilometer course during the race he averaged 207.3 miles an hour, another world with these, so, his sentences had a all the effect of spontaneity. Considerably stouter than when he took control of the government seven years ago, and hair much whiter, the Weish statesman seems to have seven years ago, and hair much whiter, the Weish statesman seems the world's record for 200 kilometers or more when they exceeded 178.7 miles an hour. The world's record for the distance, a rate of 206 miles an hour, his average speed for the distance, a rate of 206 miles an hour, his average speed for the distance, a rate of 206 miles an hour, his average speed of 193.2 the lap of 50 kilometers. He course was at the rate of the distance at the rate of the distance at the rate of the stories of the self-wind on this spread a stack of notes. But once the table in front of him, the table in front without ade through life a great name. He has actually excommunicated us name of figures compiled to the promise that the rural route from the the railty of about 112,000 trackmen of the carriers are now receiving between 25 and 35 cents an hour.

Inter-Allied Veterans Must

Enforce Principles.

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The impression made on most of his audience was that the premier does not propose to have an early general election, part of the pression that an early appropriate that are all the pressions are all the p charging that an election before the conservative party contention in November would be a political trick. He spoke throughout as a

government's near eastern policy. He laid stress at the outset of the need of keeping open the straits

"It is not necessary," said Mr.
Lloyd George, "to point out the
importance of securing the strains
regainst a repetition of what happened in 1914. That prolonged
the war for two years and it very
rearly brought upon the cause of
the Allies, irreparable disaster.
But aside from that it is the only
road to the fairway of the Black of Dardanelles.

The prime minister continued his lengthy defense of the sovernment's Near Eastern policy by laying particular stress on the research as a second Passe. "Suppose we had followed meekly behind France." h gastinued,
"The Kemalist would note been a
Chanak. The next thing that would
have happened would have been
the crossing of the Straits. Gallipoll was held by a very weak Senegalese battallon with orders that
they were not to fire on the Turks.

they were not to fire on the Turks. Both sides of the Straits would have been in Kemalist hands. "Do you think you would have got them out? You would have gone to the peace conference and

"Will you please get away from Chanak and Gallipoli?" "And Kemal would have said: No. we will guarantee the Straits

said:

you have an understanding with your Allies? We did, and only a few weeks ago we received a meanage from the French government that if the Greeks or the Turks in-Our critics say vaded the neutral zone they would have to be resisted by force. But, aigs, we accepted that, and thought atas, we accepted that, and thought they meant it. How were we to believe that it was intended for only one side?" Dealing with the recent criticism by Lord Grey on —[Continued on Page Tee]

Murphy and Reynolds Are Warmly Applauded
—Daniels Coming.

Immediately following a Demo-ciatic Ra'ly at the Courthouse ad-diessed by Walter Murphy, Rep-resentative from Rowan County in the North Carolina General As-sembly, and R. R. Reynolds, prom-inent attorney of Asheville, last night came the announcement from Democratic hearquarters for Huncombe that Josephus Daniels, former Secretary of the Navy, will speak at a mass meeting to be speak at a mass meeting to be held under the auspices of the Buncombe County Democratic Committee at the Courthouse,

Representative Democrats from the county gathered at the court-house last night and heard en-thusiastic addresses by Messis. Murphy and Reynolds. Opening the meeting, Edward N. Wright, who presided, introduced R. R. Reynolds: who after outlining many of the national and state ismany of the national and state is-sues before the voters in the ap-proaching elections, praised the

record of the Democratic party in record of the Democratic party in the nation state and county.

"An era of prosperity which was undreamed of has dawned upon this great state under Democratic tule," said Mr. Reynolds. "The up-building of the state's resources and the creation of the affairs of government," he declared.

"People of this county owe their protection and largely their pros-