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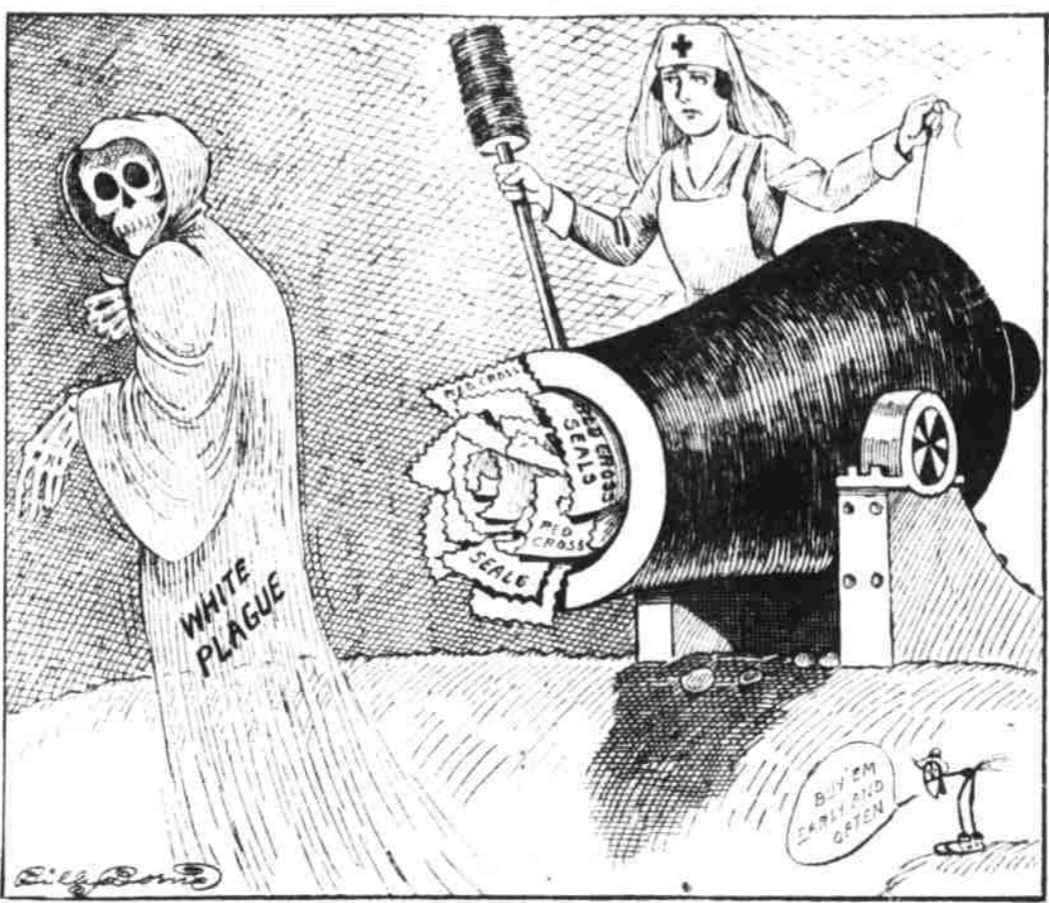
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BY BILLY BORNE



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GOVERNOR ASKS FOR HALF MILLION FOR DEVELOPMENT OF STREAMS

RALEIGH, Dec. 18.—Governor Morrison returned to the city from a conference with the Budget Commission in its first meeting. A mass of estimates on the cost of operating the various State departments for the next year is expected to be presented to the commission and it is expected to spend the next week or 10 days digging into these and deciding on its recommendations as to appropriations.

EXPECT NO CHANGE IN APPROPRIATIONS

Shipman Not Preparing Workmen's Compensation Measure.

The commission was in session for the week preceding the last regular session of the Legislature, but since then its work has been considerably lightened, so that it expects to complete its work this time in a week or 10 days.

In connection with the meeting of the commission, talk has arisen as to the possibility of a bill which would be introduced at the next session creating the office of budget director. The duties of the director would be to thoroughly investigate the demands of the departments and thereby gain a more comprehensive idea of the needs of the department that the Budget Commission can get through a study of the reports and statements of the director.

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ONE DEFENDANT IS MARRIED IN JAIL

Women Tell Court of Conversations Among Alleged Rioters.

MARION, Ill., Dec. 18.—(By The Associated Press.)—Dr. O. P. Shipman testified today at the trial of 15 men in connection with the Herrin riot that he had been an eye-witness of the shooting down of six unarmed men by a mob in front of the Herrin cemetery the day of the killings.

Two other witnesses, Mr. and Mrs. George Nelson, testified they had seen a crowd of armed men drive 30 or 40 unarmed prisoners from the mine, here where the trouble started, past their farm near the mine.

R. O. Greer, former mayor of Herrin, also testified he had seen the prisoners brought from the mine and that they were in the custody of two men who he said he saw at the mine.

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FOUR LOSE LIVES AS TUG RELIANCE WRECKS IN STORM

Rescue Attempt Is Most Thrilling in History of Great Lakes.

SAULT STE. MARIE, Mich., Dec. 18.—Four persons lost their lives when the tug Reliance was wrecked in a storm on Northern Lake Superior last Wednesday. It was the most thrilling rescue attempt in the history of the lakes, and the most sensational ever executed in Colorado.

Those rescued included Captain D. A. Williams, master of the Reliance. The message mentioned no other names. The hardships suffered by the band during their five days' imprisonment will, it is believed, become new history of the lakes.

Wreck Is Result of Gable with Fate. The wrecking of the Reliance, that occurred off the Lizard Island in the western end of the lakes, with fate on the part of those aboard the tug. After lying in a sheltered cove for three days in the hope of riding out the storm, the tug was blown away from the cove by a gale.

The rescue tug had made two previous attempts to reach the side of the wreck but were beaten back by the gale. Those aboard the Reliance included the captain, 13 members of the crew and 23 passengers.

WILSON, N. C., Dec. 18.—A diminutive, fluffy pooodle appropriately named "Miss Triddle," tonight occupied a cell in the Wilson jail because neither of two claimants for the possession of the pup was willing to put up \$100 justified bond pending the hearing of the controversy tomorrow.

Defer Action Upon Proposed Union of Central America

Agree to Conference on This Subject in 1926; Now Revising Treaties.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The Central American conference today disposed of the troublesome question of the proposed union of Central America by agreeing to call a conference to consider it in January, 1926, and proceeded to work on the revision of the 1907 treaties. A sub-committee composed of the heads of the five delegations was appointed to study the treaty establishing the court of arbitration of cartago, the proposed reorganization of which is reported to have caused some disagreement among the delegates.

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GOVERNORS TALK WITH PRESIDENT ON PROHIBITION

Indications for Another Meeting of State Heads Next Year.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Problems of prohibition enforcement were discussed informally today at a White House conference between President Harding, the Federal departmental chiefs directly interested in the subject and Governors of 14 States.

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Shipman To Present Plan For State To Enter Peacemaker's Role In Industrial Disputes

J. P. Morgan and Company Will Not Consider Loan to Germany Until The Reparations Question Is Settled

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—J. P. Morgan and Company today issued a statement declaring they had notified the German ambassador that they would not consider a loan to Germany unless and until the reparations question was settled.

Naval Appropriation Bill For \$325,000,000 and 86,000 Men Passes the House Late Monday

Request Negotiations With Foreign Powers Regarding Warcraft.

PAY TRIBUTE TO CHAIRMAN KELLEY

Advocates of Agricultural and Shipping Bills Fight For Hearing.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—The naval appropriation bill carrying a request that the President negotiate with foreign powers relative to limiting construction of warcraft under 10,000 tons was passed late today by the House.

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PROPOSES LAW TO ESTABLISH STATE MEDIATION BOARD

Would Refer Controversies to Labor Department and Legalized Board.

OUTLINES VIEWS IN ANNUAL REPORT

Urges Child Labor Laws Be Strengthened for Industrial Safety.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—Recommendations that the state enter the role of peacemaker in industrial disputes through the passage of a law referring such controversies to the labor department and a legalized board of mediation, and that the child labor law be strengthened are contained in the annual report of M. L. Shipman, commissioner of the labor department, presented to the general assembly.

The commissioner also favors legislation providing "adequate industrial safety standards" and "adequate child labor laws." He also advocates the strengthening of the workmen's compensation act, regular boiler inspection, passage of an eight-hour day law, and continuance and increase of the employment service bureau appropriation.

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NEW HANOVER DECLINES TO PAY STREET ASSESSMENT

WASHINGTON, N. C., Dec. 18.—The New Hanover board of education today refused to pay an assessment of \$600 sought by the city government as a paving tax for improved streets adjoining a public school building. The board held that schools are exempt from taxation.