

THE WEATHER
North Carolina: Rain on the coast and unsettled; probably rain or snow in the interior Thursday; Friday fair and warmer.

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UPSHAW HEARD SPECIAL PLEA TO COMPEL LISTING STOCKS IN PROHIBITION

Urges Presidential Proclamation Issue, Calling for Abstention.
Cannot Require Individuals to Disclose Stocks Held for Taxation.
PRESENT SYSTEM CONSIDERED LEGAL
Justice Adams Says Nothing of Value Held by Corporation Untaxed.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—High government officials, Governors, judges and members of Congress were asked today by Representative Uphaw, Democrat, of Georgia, in a speech in the House, to emulate Marshal Foch, who "refused to touch intoxicating liquors, and to take the American soil out of respect for a dry constitution."

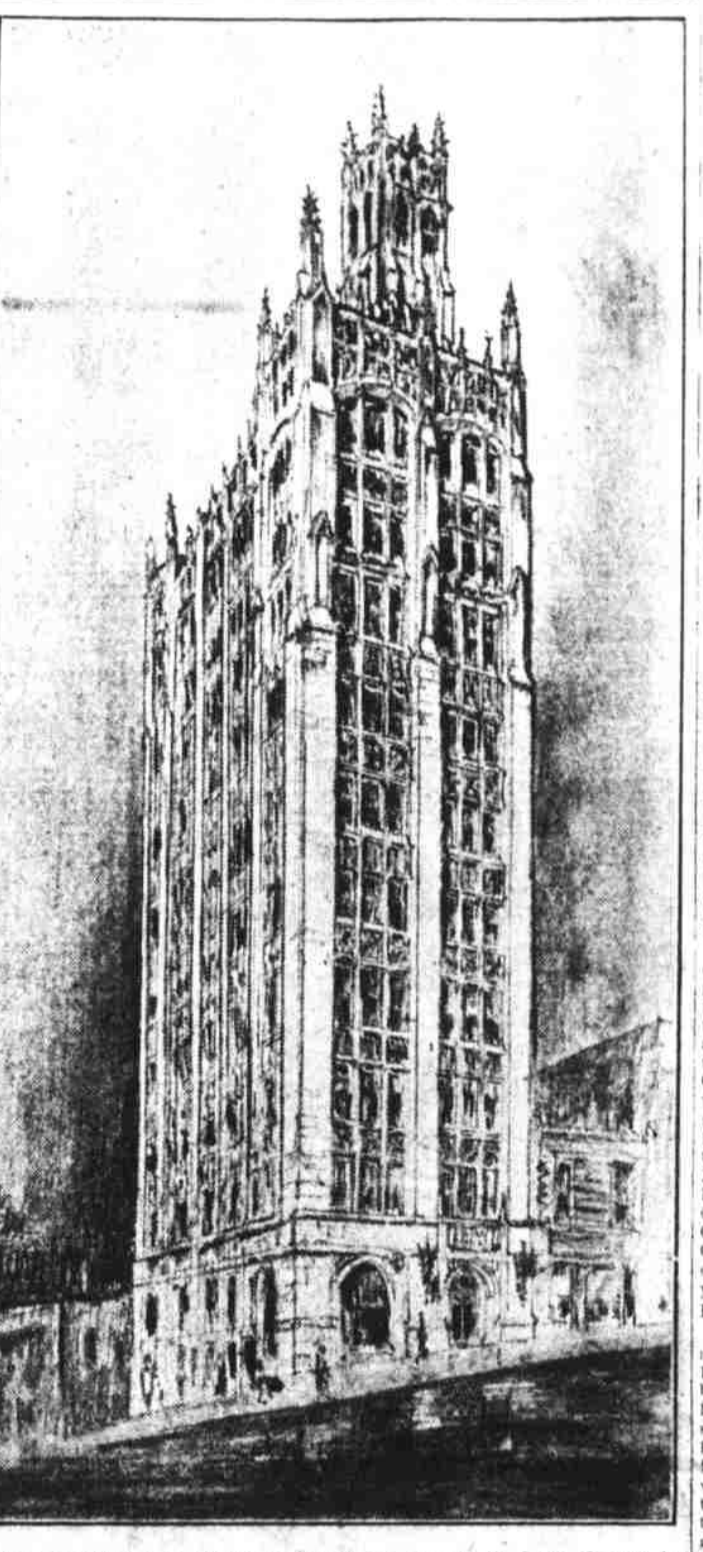
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"NEAR SCANDAL" OVER HOME-MADE WINE DIES DOWN

Professors Not Wishing to "Embarrass" College Will Resign Posts.
Superior Tribunal Will Take Up Long Standing Land Suits Soon.
Special Correspondence The Asheville Citizen.
MIRPHISH, Dec. 20.—A special order from Governor Cameron Morrison has just been received here by the State court, calling a special term of the Cherokee County Superior Court for the purpose of trying certain land condemnation suits of the Carolina-Tennessee Power Company against the Hiwassee River Power Company, involving riparian rights to about 25 miles of the Hiwassee River between Murphy and the Tennessee State line.

How Asheville's First Skyscraper Will Look



The handsome structure to be erected on South Park Square by L. B. Jackson, 12 stories high, and representing an investment of about \$175,000, will be Asheville's first skyscraper and one of the most attractive office buildings in the state.

NO AGREEMENT SUPREME COURT YET REACHED IN LET'S CAMPBELL HEDGECOCK CASE SENTENCE STAND

Case Goes to Jury Late Wednesday After a Full Day of Arguments.
Only Clemency Will Keep Dillingham From Serving Road Sentence.
Special Correspondence The Asheville Citizen.
GREENSBORO, Dec. 20.—After struggling with the Hedgecock bank failure case for three and one-half hours late this afternoon, the Supreme Court today adjourned at 5 o'clock, granting a new trial to John A. Bush, of Caldwell County, charged with the murder of Will Cline, but finding no grounds to interfere with the judgment of death pronounced in the lower court of Buncombe County against W. W. Campbell.

MEDICAL COLLEGE STRATS CONTROL COALITION PLAN NOT ACTED UPON

Committee Named to Get Sentiment in State Regarding Joint Scheme.
STATE TRUSTEES NOT READY TO ACT
Special Committee Will Report January Meeting of Trustees.

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ROBERT M. OATES HENDERSONVILLE CITIZEN IS DEAD

Former State Senator, Well-Known Business Man Dies.
Special Correspondence The Asheville Citizen.
HENDERSONVILLE, Dec. 20.—Just as darkness gathered over the hills here today, the death of Robert M. Oates, 53, member of the last session of the State Senate and widely known business man, lost a fight against the ravages of influenza and passed away at his home here this afternoon at 5:50 o'clock.

Relative Efficiency British And American Navy Causes Concern

Anti Ku Klux and State Fleet Bills Head Legislation
Appear Among Most Important Laws to be Presented to Assembly.

RALEIGH, Dec. 20.—(By The Associated Press.)—With the opening of the annual session of the North Carolina General Assembly only a few weeks away, revision of the State's tax laws, Senator John H. Baggett's anti-Ku Klux Klan bill and Governor Cameron Morrison's proposed State-owned shipping line appear to be the most important measures scheduled to be introduced.

DEADLOCK OVER SHIPPING BILL GROWS TIGHTER

Five Hours of Debate in Senate Does Not Relieve the Situation.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—Five hours of debate in the Senate today served only to tighten the deadlock which has existed for three days between two opposing almost equal groups.

ROSE ADDED TO FOURTH CIRCUIT DISTRICT BENCH

Confirmation Comes in Senate Wednesday, Will Be Here in July.
WASHINGTON, Dec. 20.—The nomination of Judge John C. Rose to be circuit judge of the Fourth Circuit, which includes the States of West Virginia, Virginia, Maryland, North and South Carolina, was confirmed today by the Senate.

DRUNKEN NEGRO KILLS EMPLOYER IN YADKIN
WINSTON-SALEM, N. C., Dec. 20.—Henry F. Shore, white, successful farmer, of near East Bend, Yadkin County, was shot and dangerously wounded late today at his home by a negro, Boots Shores, who fired from his pocket at a distance of three feet, after Mr. Shore had fused to let him know any of his wages. Mr. Shore's refusal is said to have been due to the negro being under the influence of drink.

3 DAYS LEFT FOR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING
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