

Senate Tables Bill Which Would Create State Pardon Board

ASK INFORMATION ON BENEFICIARIES OF STATE BUDGET

Senator Parker Leads Display of Senatorial Inquisitiveness.

BONUS ON SCALPS MACON WILD CATS

Ray, of Macon, Replies to Statement From Fellow Countian.

OTTAWA NEWS SERVICE (By Brock Barlow) RALEIGH, Jan. 22.—A bit of senatorial inquisitiveness was displayed tonight when Senator Parker introduced a bill to require the State department to submit to each member of the Senate a list of the names of the beneficiaries of the State budget for the next two years and the specifications therefor. Senator Parker's bill was No. 148, while bills Nos. 149 and 151, which went in tonight, were the appropriations measures based on the budget commission's report. Senator Varner introduced these.

EXECUTIVE ORDER CREATES NEWEST FEDERAL COUNCIL

All Government Departments to Be Represented in New Body.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Under an executive order made public today, the Federal council of citizenship training, created by President Harding, all government departments as well as the board for vocational training and the veterans bureau will be represented in the new body, which will hold its first meeting in the War Department Friday.

SUM INADEQUATE TO DEFEND PANAMA CANAL

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Completion of the War Department projects for defense of the Panama Canal will take more than 100 years if the rate of progress is carried out on the basis of the present appropriations in the War Department this year, Brigadier-General B. H. Wells, of the general staff, told the Senate Military Committee today.

POSTPONE ACTION ON SPECIAL COMMITTEE

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—Creation of a House committee of 17 members to consider soldier legislation was discussed tonight at a meeting of a House Republicans but there was no quorum and action was deferred. The proposal, put forward by former service men in the House, was approved and the House will meet in two hours of debate behind closed doors. Advocates of the plan said they expected to bring it before another conference shortly and would introduce action prior to the adjournment of Congress March 4.

Forbes Flays "Sleuth Stuff and Gum Shoe Work," and Says Critics Can Always Get Information From Him

WASHINGTON, Jan. 22.—De-know of, that is rendering a service to the public, you believe in the interests of the disabled man, you can see me. We are never going to make the place better with destructive criticism. I believe that my part of this task is done irrespective of what anybody says.

Woman Explorer Off for Africa

Lady Dorothy Mills, authoress and explorer, daughter of the Earl of Oxford, has started from England for West Africa. She has made several trips of exploration into Africa and this time will go as far as Timbuktu. She is shown in her African costume.

BIG ENGLAND TEXTILE COMPANY TO MOVE SOUTH

To Purchase Plants or Build in North Carolina by Spring.

SCHEME TO MOVE NEGROES FUTILE

Scores Plan of the New England Chamber of Commerce.

(Special Correspondence The Asheville Citizen) BOSTON, Mass., Jan. 22.—The Sagamore Manufacturing Company, through its Treasurer, William L. S. Brayton, announced today that they intend to transfer their New England Textile mills into Southern territory, Tennessee and the Carolinas, while they have already secured options on two plants of 50,000 spindles in North Carolina, both of which are within 30 miles of Charlotte. The New England plants will be transferred to Tennessee exclusively. "The company intends to purchase and erect mills in the Carolinas," said Mr. Brayton. "I realize that this is a serious matter, and a step which anyone interested in New England is loath to take, but the situation has long been a serious one. The Southern mills are operating 110 hours a week at the same cost as our mills, and our cost is higher, suffered a direct loss. We have held off, hoping against hope, that something would be done toward remedying the situation, but are now faced with the fact that we must either go south, or go out of business," declared Mr. Brayton.

BILTMORE FOREST INCORPORATIONS PASSED IN SENATE

Constitutionality of Bill Is Questioned When It Is Introduced.

CITIZEN NEWS SERVICE (By Brock Barlow) RALEIGH, Jan. 22.—When Senator Ebbs' bill to incorporate Biltmore Forest was brought up in the Senate tonight, after a favorable committee report, Senator Delaney, of Mecklenburg, cautioned the Senate that under Article 2, Section 29, of the constitution, the bill would be unconstitutional as the Legislature does not have authority to incorporate an unannounced corporation.

ASK WELLS WILL LIMIT IN PLAN TO CHECK SMUGGLING

Need Means of Combating Rum Fleet Off New Jersey.

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Is Taking on Proportions of Armada and Is Well Armed.

NEW YORK, Jan. 22.—Substitution of a 12 mile limit for the three mile limit now drawn by international law, has been recommended to Washington as a means of combating the rum fleet of the New Jersey coast. This recommendation, it was said today, was an outgrowth of the conference Saturday between Acting Collector of Port St. Lawrence and prohibition enforcement authorities.

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SENATOR BORAH IN WARREN ATTACK ON POLICY OF FRENCH

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SAYS U. S. CANNOT REMAIN SILENT

Criticises State Department for Not Declaring Its Attitude.

(BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS) DUESSELDORF, Jan. 22.—The Germans and French are both claiming the advantage in today's movements in the economic war which has been in progress here for the past ten days. The Germans hold that the strike of the miners is a complete success, but the French declare that the order followed by the miners, many of whom, although they did not report for work in the morning, went down into the pits later in the day.

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