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Statement to Comptroller of Sept. 12, 1919 Condensed.

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POSTAL TO MOVE DIST. OFFICES

Charlotte Chosen for Three States; Will Bring Many Men and Officials.

District headquarters of the Postal Telegraph Company, now located in Richmond, Va., will be moved to Charlotte and about 40 officials will come with the new headquarters, controlling from here over 5,000 operators and Postal employees.

It was learned Saturday that this plan has been adopted by Postal officials and orders will be issued at once for the change. Recognition of Charlotte's geographical and commercial advantages moved the company high officials to order the shift. The change is effective the latter part of November.

The district, which will have Charlotte as headquarters, covers Virginia, North and South Carolina.

This means the removal to Charlotte from Richmond of the superintendent's office, auditing department and construction headquarters, with a considerable office force.

In addition, a considerable amount of the multiplex equipment now in Atlanta will be placed in Charlotte, making it one of the large relay offices of the system.

Lease of offices in the Postal Telegraph building has been made for the new headquarters, directly over the local office of that company.

Manager W. B. Stuart, of the Charlotte Postal office, who is one of the company's best men, was seen by a representative of The News in regard to the rumor and confirmed the change of his headquarters.

"Yes, it is true," said Manager Stuart, "that the district headquarters will be moved to Charlotte. It was not our purpose to make this announcement at this time, but in view of the fact that through the leasing of offices for the headquarters, the move has gained some publicity in the city, my confirming of the rumor, during the past couple of days, was made necessary."

"When I came to Charlotte some five years ago, the city forcibly impressed me with great opportunities commercially and industrially and after over a quarter of a century service in the telegraph and telephone field, it appeared to me destined to become one of the largest wire centers in the country, due to the geographical position, and it was evidently due to these possibilities that the executive department of the company decided to maintain its district headquarters here."

"The removal of headquarters here will bring the superintendent's office, auditing department and construction department here, with their office personnel. Mr. Stiles, the superintendent, is a man experienced in every detail of the telegraph and telephone service and is making a good record for increased facilities and increase in speed."

"Charlotte is now getting the benefit of a good increase in telegraph and telephone facilities, through the completion of additional wires ordered by the Postal Telegraph Company immediately after its release from government control. These wires are designed to provide a safe margin above the growing demands of traffic, resulting from the recent reduction of rates by the Postal Company alone. Gans are constructing additional wires throughout the system, nothing but copper wire is being utilized, involving an expenditure of several million dollars."

Mr. Dawson, who has been manager of the Charlotte branch of the International Brotherhood of America, since December, 1917, has been transferred to the home office of the company at Chicago, where he will be sales manager of the company for the Southern States and W. F. McAfee, who has been with the branch here for some time, succeeds him, the change becoming effective Saturday.

Mr. Dawson was transferred here the latter part of 1912 and was made branch manager in December, 1917, succeeding in that capacity H. H. Saylor. During his stay here Mr. Dawson has taken an active part in the business and commercial life of the city, having been a member of the Chamber of Commerce, the Southern Manufacturers' Club, the Charlotte Rotary Club, a director of the Charlotte Shippers and Manufacturers' Company, and vice-president of the Charlotte Automotive Trade Association.

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ARMISTICE DAY IN CITY SCHOOLS

Armistice Day, November 11, will be celebrated in the public schools of Charlotte, according to Supt. Harry P. Harding, who said that each room would devote a part of the day to the observance of the first anniversary.

BOYS' MEETING TO HEAR FRED MCCALL

The meeting for boys and young men at the Young Men's Christian Association Sunday afternoon at 4:30 will be led by Fred McCall, principal of the high school.

The association extends a most cordial invitation to all boys, and especially the boys of the high school. The address will be preceded by a short song service, led by Mr. Crocker, and the boys' orchestra will render a musical program.

MR. HARRIS CHANGES POSITION. F. B. Harris resigned his position as traveling salesman for A. Heiberger & Co., of Cincinnati, Ohio, to take charge of the children's hair cutting department of The Piedmont Hair Dressing Parlors, 14 N. Tryon, in which he has been interested for several years.

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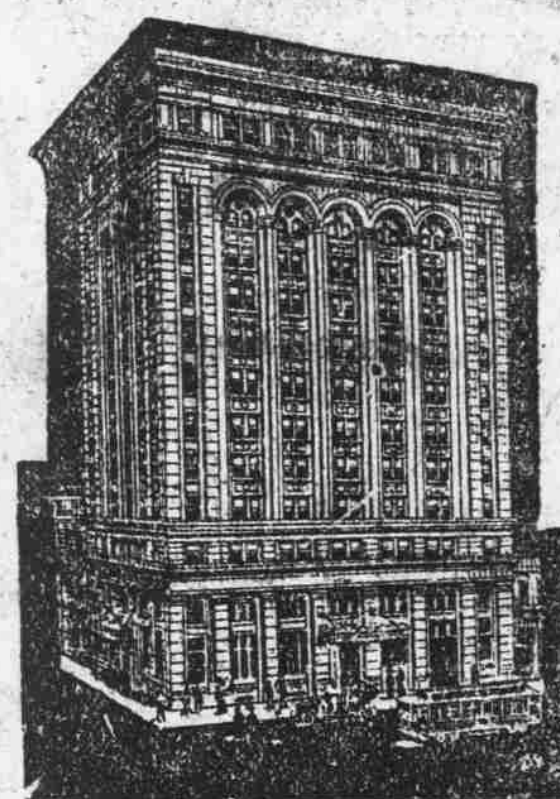
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