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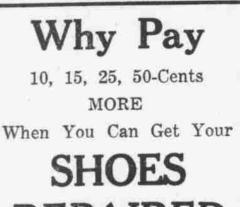
THE CHARLOTTE NEWS, CHARLOTTE, N. C., TUESDAY AFTERNOON, JUNE 21, 1921.

WASHINGTON IS it pay?' **GAMBLING MAD** Professionals Say That No ployes by the thousands wager every afternoon a sum that in the aggregate City Has Betting Fever So Bad.

Washington, June 21-Expectant Carter took office recently as Public eyes turned towards a big blackboard, among employes of the Government a throng filled Pennsylvania avenue, Printing office so widespread that he overflowing across the street car tracks, was forced to suspend some employes impending automobile traffic, refusing to and to threaten general dismissal to heed the admonitions of three policemen stop it. Women as well as men were All eyes focused upon the blackboard. of chalk inscribed three names followed study of "form charts" and "dope by cabalistic numbers.

A buzz of conversation swept the duties. crowd. There was a mingling of satof cunrses under the breath. Shrill to somebody of importance. He was voices of women were heard, and their thinking about getting married, he said, presence was further marked by the so he saved his money. It amounted gayest dresses and hats.

It was the regular afternoon gathering of a few of the race bettors of the national capital. Inside the newspaper office operators were ceaselessly ansyering the query "Who won?



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looks like an item from an appropriation bill before congress. There are In John W. Weeks, secretary of war bookmakers or their agents in all the the army has at its head a navy man. government buildings. When George

Weeks, former senator from Massa-Printer, he found horse race gambling chusetts, graduated from the United States Naval Academy in 1881. His studies for the navy have not dulled periods for lunch and dinner. investigation, devoting more time to a to give the United States a small but boundary lines determined upon. sheets" on the horses than to their highly efficient army organization. To

back stop this comparatively small There's the case of a young man who not so long ago was a secretary camps

as follows: visions of a big pile of easy money. "Every time an officer gets a stom-

He's a taxicab driver today, and he ach ache he has to run to the secrelsn't thinking about anything much extary of war about it."

cept getting three meals and a bed. This outburst followed a trying morning when he was nearly inundated with school districts. It formerly was a part There's a telegraph operator with a good job, who follows a regular routine, a flood of petty details. Weeks is big, good-natured, with wide saving religiously until he has \$300, then spending it all on the ponies. When it's gone he starts in to save another \$300. He has a "system." A young woman who came here as a war worker and lost her position with army to an effective peace basis.

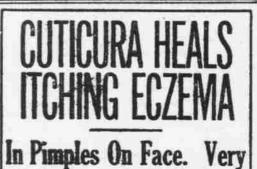
the signing of the armistice is reputed WASHINGTON HOME among her friends to have won \$12,-000 on the races since then. She ex-

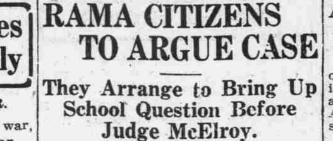
pects to lose it all some of these days "Then," she said, "I'm going back to Minnesota, where the only horses London, June 21 .- Sulgrave Manor, I'll know anything about will be the Northampshire, the home for centuries Rama district. George Washington's ancestors

was dedicated today after its restora-Henceforth the manor will be main-QUIT BEING SO WEAK tained as a memorial. Its reconstruction was completed recently at a cost of \$160,000, raised by the Sulgrave In-

Honolulu, T. H., June 21 .- Hawaiians, stitution of America. generally regarded as members of a The Manor, a survival of Tudor days, fast dying race, may foil the efforts of with Jacobite additions, has been rethe grim reaper to wipe them from the stored to its original state, along with

the meadows that surround it. face of the earth and make of them-In connection with today's ceremony, selves a strong power in future hisa bust of Washington was unveiled at tory if they strive for sturdy mental, the Manor.





Judge J. E. McElroy, who is presiding over superior court, will hear argument June 25 brought by incorporators his enthusiasm for the army, for Weeks effort to restrain the board of education cases and that the sentence of death shortage and reduce the cost of power of the Rama Rural Community in an has been known to labor in his office of Mecklenburg county from carrying stands. from 8 a. m. to 7 p. m. with but short out its intention to consolidate Sardis Carmel and Oak Grove school districts The new secretary of war is striving in Sharon township in accordance with

The Rama citizens were in consultation with their lawyers here Monday afregular army, Weeks is encouraging ternoon and arranged with Judge Mc. Their contention that when the board

Weeks dislikes to be bothered with of education marked out the boundar: petty details. He expressed his views lines of the Sardis-Carmel-Oak Grove district, it included territory that rightfully belongs to the newly incorporaled

Rama district and school community The Rama citizens objected from the first to the consolidation of the three

of the Sardis district. Several legal steps have already been political experience and knows how to resorted to by the Rama citizens to reports received by the car service di-"play the game" with the senators and prevent the school board from carrying vision of the American Railway Assocongressmen who can help or hinder out its plans for consolidation and the ciation. On June 8 the total number him in the task of reorganizing the members of the board have been im- of cars in excess of current freight portuned with equal insistence by the residents of the proposed consolidated 471,922 on May 8, it was announced

district to proceed with consolidation today. plans. Members of the board have visit-NOW A MEMORIAL ed the consolidated district and hold to the view that the bounds marked out for the new district are the proper ones and do not discriminate against the

The Rama citizens intimate they will carry the fight to the Supreme Court

before they are through with it.

TAKE PRECAUTIONS FOR ROYAL COUPLE

Belfast. June 21 .- As an additional precaution for the safety of King George and Queen Mary during them visit for the opening of the Ulster Larliament, the sewer system will be thoroughly inspected tomorrow to be sure that no explosives have been hidden there.

Signalling apparatus' have been se up in the dome of the city hall for communication with the royal yacht and the fleet accompanying it.

It is understood that several leading Catholics have been offered knight. hoods, but that they have declined to accept.

WATER POWER MEN ARKANSAS NEGROES HAVE A GRIEVANCE WILL BE EXECUTED

New York, June '21 .- Manufacturers Little Rock, Ark., June 21 .- A writ of prohibition dissolving an injunction interested in the subject of waterissued by the Chancery court here power, from the standpoint of the consupreme court Monday.

on charges of murder growing out of cost of fuel and amendments to be the Elaine riots in October, 1919, was asked to the federal power act. The unfair and dominated by mob spirit. Today's writ held that no state court of equity has jurisdiction over criminal power development to relieve power

MELLON'S ESTIMATE RIGHT.

lars, treasury officials announce. With

the outlying districts to be heard from, it was said, the total already accounted for is in the neighborhood of five hundred million dollars.

IDLE CARS REDUCED.

Washington, June 21 .- Idle, or surplus freight cars were reduced \$2,000 within the past month, according to requirements was 389,526 as against

against the execution of six Elaine, sumer, assembled here today for a Ark., negroes, was issued by the state conference called by the Water Power League of America to discuss the ment the authority vested in The petition alleged the negroes' trial questions of 'power, power shortage,

league hopes to induce private capital to invest in the enterprises of water-

Mose Wilson, negroes, pleaded gull in Dinwiddie circuit court Mond-The Water Power league assails the workings of the federal power act as afternoon to charges of attempt "detrimental to water-power develop- twice to wreck Norfolk and Wester on collections of the June 15 install- ment and asserts that the act has railroad passenger trains near Pool ment of income and profits taxes in. made it practically impossible for pri- Siding and were sentenced by Jud dicate that the final result will bear vate enterprises to engage in these Robert J. Southall to serve term out Secretary Mellon's estimate of five undertakings." The league also as the state penitentiary the state penitentiary of the state penitentiar extension of the officers' training Elroy to have the hearing Saturlay, hundred and seventy-five million dol-serts that the federal act has taken the state penitentiary. The negro from the several states all their rights said their intent was robbar

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WRECKERS SENTENCED

Petersburg, Va., June 21.-Fred Ha

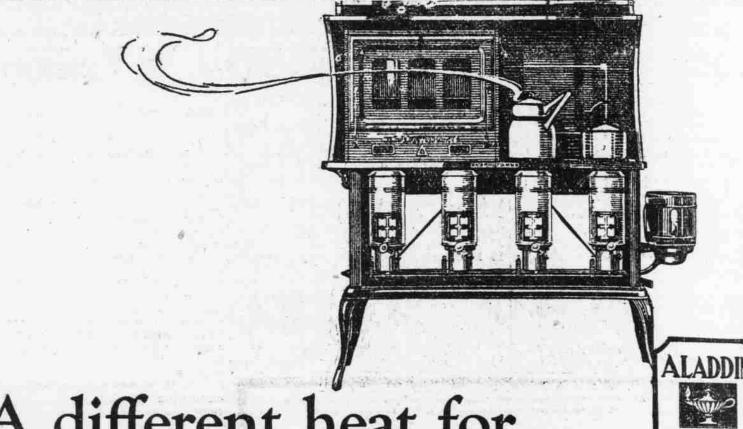
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PARIS BEAUTIES ARE GOING STOCKINGLESS Paris, June 21 .- Not all the knocks in the world have killed the stockingless fad. Warm weather saw dozens of Parisian beauties at the races minus their stockings, white llmbs contrasting sharply with the black gowns, the

kind you hitch to a plow or a wagon."

URGES HAWAIIANS TO

cording to Dr. H. E. Gregory, director

of the Bishop museum here and an

Dr. Gregory, who made this state-

ment before a gathering of the Daugh-

ters of Hawaii, declared that the

death or life of the race is up to the

Hawaiians themselves." He pointed to the Navajo population of 30,000.

"Other Polynesian peoples are in-

creasing in numbers and civilization,

and there is no reason why the Ha-

wallans should not do the same if they can be brought to believe in

Dr. Gregory added:

themselves."

authority on the Polynesian peoples.

prevailing mode. A number of the bare-legged girls wore ankle bracelets. Le Petit Bleu fears the fashion is about to have a rebirth. "If ankles are perfect they lose nothing by being shown by light and transpart silk," says the Paris news-paper. "If they are imperfect they

lose much by revealing the naked truth, Ladies, keep your stockings

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One hundred men were present at a banquet of the Business Men's club of Tryon Street Methodist church, the occasion being the initial meeting of the club. The women of the church served

HUNDRED MEN ARE

the banquet. President Guy A. Myers was toastmaster. Talks by Rev. H. G. Hardin, the pastor, and Rev. H. K. Boyer, presid-ing elder, and a report of the executive committee by R. K. Blair featured the program. President G. A. Eichelberger. of the Trinity church club, was a guest and made a short talk.

The entertainment feature of the meeting was the singing of John Vernon Ward, seven-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Ward. He was attired in full evening dress and carried a cane.

RATE INCREASE (Continued From Page One.)

revisions they have already made in the southeast, and are now proposing for Carolina territory, the rates from the west to all of these water points are being raised to the full level of the inrior points, and the rates to interior oints are being raised to an extent hat competing carriers generally, over circuitous routes, may compete at competitive points without having to reduce rates to the intermediate points to meet the requirements of the long and short haul principle. A readjustment worked out along this line has already been put into effect in the Mississippi valley and is now proposed for the carriers for the balance of the southeastern territory.

INCREASES PLEDMONT RATES ALS0

Other than the better rates enjoyed by port cities the particular point of controversy raised by this proposed revision as related to the state is that it changes the whole basis on which he western rates are constructed. It shifts from the theory, which has al-ways obtained in the past, that the rates to Carolina territory were made over, and with relation to the low rate basis over trunk fines to the Virginia cities. It shifts to the theory that these rates should now be made over the Asheville route of the Southern rail-road and with relation to Atlanta. In the proposed readjustment the rates to Piedmont and Eastern North Carolina, that are nearest to the low trunk lines in Vriginia, will be made higher than the rates to intermediate points on the Southern railway through Asheville, and as high or higher than to any intermediate points over other competitive but circuitious routes through Atlanta.

"To further strengthen and build up this erroneous theory, it is proposed to also increase the local rates from Virginia cities to North Carolina points, and incidentally to remove the reductions in rates from Roanoke to Win-ston-Salem and from Lynchburg to Durham over the Norfolk and Western railway, which were reduced by order the Interstate Commerce Commission in 1911 and suit brought by the corporation commission.

INCREASES LARGE

"Increases are proposed to all North Carolina points in western rates from Cincinnati and Louisville. The advance proposed to Asheville is eight cents irst class to \$1.55, and it is proposed to advance these rates to all points in the zone from Winston-Salem to 'Durham to \$1.75, and east of Durham to \$1.85, which is 47 to 57 cents over the present rates. The proposed advance to Wilmington is 57 cents; to New Bern,

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Warning of Impending **Coal Shortage Sounded**

"It is earnestly hoped that coal dealers and consumers have not forgotten the lessons taught by the coal shortages of recent years, partciularly the one of 1920," says President C. H. Markham, of the Illinois Central Railway, in a statement he issued recently.

"These shortages were produced largely by dealers and consumers them-selves in not beginning to buy and store coal in adequate volume until late in the year. It is clear that unless coal dealers and consumers profit by the lessons of the past and begin at once to lay in necessary fall and winter supplies another coal shortage will be brought about."

"It would be most unfortunate," he adds, "if the Interstate Commerce Commission again this year should be forced to divert open top railway cars from the hauling of building materials, as such materials are vitally needed for business, home and highway construction. The housing and other construction, which depend largely upon the use of the open-top cars, are too impera-tive to be delayed by a congestion of coal traffic and can be avoided by the immediate movement of coal on a large scale.

"The coal carrying equipment of the railways is sufficient to handle a large evenly balanced coal tonnage, but it is inadequate to handle the coal movement when the bulk of it is thrown upon the rallways in a comparatively short period after midsummer.

"Delay in purchasing and storing coal at points of consumption makes for higher prices during the time of heavy movement. There is now practically no surplus of bituminous coal above ground anywhere in the United States. Coal mine operators are now in position to produce, and the railways are in position to move a large volume of coal.

"If dealers and consumers fail to take advantage of present day oppor-tunity to lay in fall and winter supplies, and another coal shortage eventuates, the public in fairness certainly will not attach blame to the coal operators

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and the railways. More than 225,000 open-top cars are now stan the sidetracks of railways. "THE SITUATION, AS WE VISUALIZE IT, IS THAT THE IS HEADED FOR A SERIOUS COAL SHORTAGE UNLESS O IMMEDIATELY START A MOVEMENT OF COAL IN LARGE WE ARE EMERGING FROM BUSINESS DEPRESSION. WITH MONTHS THE RAILWAYS MAY BE TAXED TO THEIR CA HANDLING TRAFFIC OTHER THAN COAL."	A still greater increase than is indicat- ed for the first class rates is proposed by the carriers in their suggestion that the percentage relation in effect in the Mississippi valley be put into effect in the Carolinas. "While North Carolina has always been at a distinct commercial disad- vantage with relation to the trunk line rates in Vriginia, its clase proximity to trunk line territory has always been given some consideration by the car- riers," declaes the commission, "and rates to what has always been known in freight rates parlance as the Caro- lina territory, have been made through	open, a bed complete with spring, mattress, pillows and bedding. The manner of unfolding is so simple that a child can operate it. Nufolds are a most economical purchase—two pieces of furniture for the price of one—making it possible to transform a cozy den or living room into a bedroom with absolute ease. Enables you to live more economically in a smaller house or apartment, and to accommodate over-night guests without embarrassment. Many handsome models are shown by us in modern and Period designs. The cover- ings are of tapestry, velour and leather fabrics—quality and workmanship through- out is of the very finest and fully guaranteed.
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