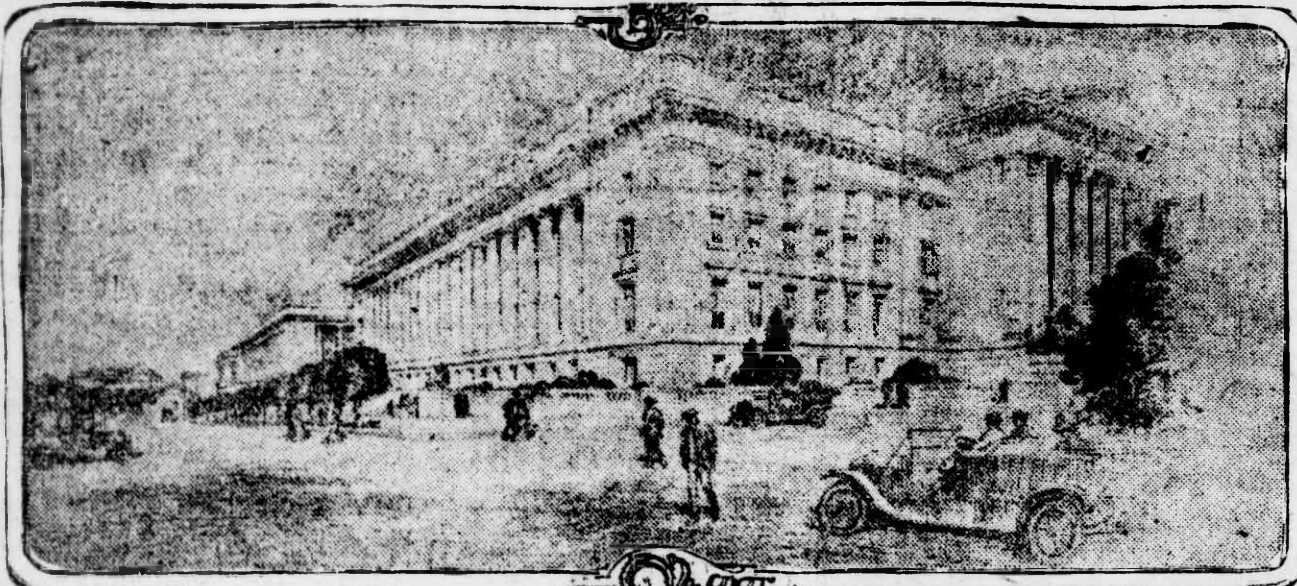


The New Government Buildings -- Plans Just Made Public



NEW GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS

How the new buildings for the department of state, commerce and labor, and justice, to be erected in Washington, will look when completed. The picture above shows the state department building; the center picture is the department of justice building; below is a general view of all three department buildings as they will look when completed. The approval of the plans for the new buildings by the National Fine Arts Commission on June 15th followed the formal approval of President Taft, the secretary of the treasury and the secretaries of the three departments and fairly inaugurated what is not only the greatest building project in Washington, but in the entire country. The site chosen by congress lies between Fourteenth and Fifteenth streets and extends from Pennsylvania avenue south to the Mall which runs from the capitol to the Washington monument.

Washington, July 1.—The officially approved plans for the new government buildings advocated by the present administration were made public today. They provide for the erection of buildings for the department of state, commerce and labor and justice, on a site that lies between Fourteenth and Fifteenth street and extends from Pennsylvania avenue, south to the Mall which runs from the capitol to the Washington monument. Architecturally the new buildings will supplement the building design now prevalent in Washington. The cost will be \$5,000,000.

Though the actual amount of money to be spent in the erection of these new buildings is insignificant in comparison to the vast sums annually spent for federal and state office buildings throughout the United States, great interest is attached to the project, for it is considered by experts the greatest building project in the country and one of the greatest in the world, because it looks toward the erection of a group rather than a single

unit with harmony in the aggregate as its ultimate result. In seeking plans for the buildings the government inaugurated a competitive contest, sending invitations to some sixty of the leading architects of America asking them to submit designs. These plans were then placed before the board of examining architects who selected three of the most suitable and artistic awarding to Donn Barber, the department of justice; to York and Sawyer, the department of commerce and labor and to Arnold W. Brunner, the department of state. These three architects were then called together by the secretary of treasury and given instructions to develop their individual designs with the heads of the buildings for which they were intended, having constantly in view at the same time the reconciliation of the designs to each other and the harmony of the group as a whole.

In exterior design the three buildings are similar in character, each employing columns three stories in height set upon a windowed wall, and architectural "basement." This wall is one

story high in the case of the end buildings and two stories high in the central one, thus covering the three colonnades to the same level. While ornamental in appearance, the buildings are of the utmost simplicity and no fancied needs of "architectural expressions" have been allowed to interfere with the practical requirements of lighting and arrangement.

From Pennsylvania Avenue on the North the principal feature of the front will be the entrance portico of the department of justice, from the monument grounds or the Mall, that of the state department. The building of commerce and labor, forming the connecting link, is a simple rectangle, its lines being unbroken by any dominating feature. Its main entrance is on Fifteenth street, but its entrances for the employees are from the sidewalk of Fourteenth street on a level with the car lines. It will probably be two years before the new buildings will be completed.

List Takers Wind-up the Books

Chairman J. A. Henderson and his assistants, who have been busy for several weeks, finished taking the actual returns Friday and were busy yesterday all day tabulating and arranging the figures. They have completed a rather large-sized job and were exceedingly busy officials while they were at it.

The personnel of the list was as follows: Mr. J. Arthur Henderson, chairman; M. B. Wallace, 1st ward; Joe Withers, 2nd ward; J. P. Sifford, 3rd ward; W. E. Taylor, 4th ward; W. G. Shoemaker, 5th ward; W. M. Tye, 6th ward; D. M. Abersnathy, 7th ward; Ed. Bell, 8th ward; A. M. McDonald, 9th ward; C. D. Shelby, 10th ward; R. A. Hilton, 11th ward.

Mrs. W. S. Clanton took the returns for Charlotte township, outside the city. Messrs. D. M. Moore and A. G. Randolph took the returns for the city.

Commissioners Meet Next Monday

Will Turn Over to Sheriff Wallace Long List Citizens who Are Fit to Serve as Jurors for Next Two Years.

At the monthly meeting of the county commissioners next Monday the register of Deeds, W. M. Moore, a long roster of the voters of the county and they will select about 2,500 names as a reserve list from which jurors will be drawn for Mecklenburg courts for the next two years. These names will be turned over to the sheriff and sealed up in a box and will be drawn out as jurors are needed.

Missourians Launch Folk Boom

St. Louis, July 1.—An active campaign for former Governor J. W. Folk for president was launched here today by the Missouri democratic league, which will make a fight to have the Missouri democratic delegation to the next convention instructed or Folk for president.



THE "KISSESS" BRIDE

Mrs. Edith Russell Gambier, the "kissless bride," who is suing for separation from her husband, Edward Victor Gambier, cashier of a New York bank, in one of the most unique and sensational suits that ever came before a New York court. The husband has filed a counter suit, and the main contention on which they base their cases is the lack of kissing. Mrs. Gambier comes from a wealthy family in Atlanta, Ga.

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Briefs.

—Dr. J. M. Oliver, of Atlanta, who has been visiting Mr. S. H. Medlock, on Kingston avenue, Elizabeth, returned home yesterday.

—Mr. John P. Long, Jr., returned yesterday from Davis White Sulphur Springs, Hidenite, N. C., where he has been for a week.

—Messrs. W. A. League and J. C. Phillips, left last night for a trip to the middle west. They stop first at Cincinnati and from there go to St. Louis. They will be absent a fortnight.

—July 4 will be a legal holiday at the library as well as at the postoffice and banks.

—The Arabs' Patrol, the Shriners' Joy, leave Saturday next for Rochester.

—Gen. R. F. Hoke, of Lithia Lincoln Inn, spent yesterday in the city, stopping at the Elwyn.

—Tony Panella, the well known fruit merchant, who has been in bad health for several months, is improving.

—Mr. J. C. Burroughs returned Friday from a few days' stay at Hidenite. Mr. Burroughs is an ardent friend of Hidenite. "The water is fine, and the fare good," he says.

—Mrs. T. O. Ross, of Providence, is quite sick.

—Mr. E. W. Query, of Steel Creek, who was in yesterday, reported good rain Monday last. "Our crops," he said, "are very good."

—Mr. W. W. Rankin was showing a potato yesterday which was somewhat remarkable in that a shoot of wild grass had grown through the potato. The skin of the potato was unbroken except where the grass had made its way through.

—Bond election Tuesday. You can't afford, if you are progressive and a good citizen of Charlotte, not to vote for bonds.

Colored Fireman Is Overcome With Heat

Henry Robeson, colored fireman on Southern freight No. 76 from Greenville to Spencer, suffered an overheat yesterday afternoon while making his run from Greenville to Spencer and had to be taken from the train when it reached Charlotte.

He collapsed before reaching here and was in a very critical condition when taken into the baggage room at the Southern station. Medical aid was summoned at once and everything possible was done for his comfort.

Hip Dislocated by Kick From Horse

Mr. N. S. Matthews of Marvin, was kicked by a horse one day last week, and his hip dislocated. He came to Charlotte on crutches, accompanied by his wife, and for several days have been at Mr. Worthen's on North Tryon street. This morning Mr. Matthews underwent treatment by Dr. Glascock, osteopath, and the hip was replaced in its socket. The horse struck Mr. Matthews just below the knee. He came from under the anesthetic nicely, and is doing well. He and Mrs. Matthews hope to return home in a few days.

To Attend Textile Meeting.
Mr. W. H. Warner and daughter, Miss Ola Warner, left yesterday for Greenville, S. C. Mr. Warner will attend a meeting of superintendents and overseers of the textile association.

Mrs. Charles B. Elliott, of this city, left today for Charlottesville, Va., where he will take a summer course at the University of Virginia. Mr. Elliott taught last year in the Kinston high school as assistant principal and has been elected to the principalship for the next year.

Six Freight Cars Jumped the Track

Six cars of a freight train jumped the track on the Statesville road yesterday afternoon a short distance this side of Huntersville as the train was coming Charlotteward with a load of coal. The line was blocked for some time and a special train was dispatched to the scene to transfer the passengers of No. 27 to Charlotte. Train No. 18 went to the scene with passengers, which were then transferred to a train that would take them on to Statesville and other point.

No damage was done the cars and only the track was torn up for a little distance. It was under the care of a repair gang in a short while and traffic was expected to be resumed by 9 o'clock.

Church Notes.

The mid-summer communion at Sharon church was largely attended and was a most interesting service. Rev. Mr. Guernsey is the present pastor. He is residing in Charlotte until the lease on the manse at Sharon expires, at which time he and his niece will go there to live.

Rev. Dr. Caldwell is to preach at Hopewell church today. Dr. Caldwell has a special interest in Hopewell. It represents the deeds of his illustrious ancestors, the Mecklenburg patriots who made all-glorious history for Carolina.

On the Run Again.
Capt. Allbright, one of the most popular and best conductors on the Southern, has resumed his run after his summer vacation. He was accompanied to Charlotte Friday by his oldest son, Mr. J. C. Allbright, Jr., who is a splendid looking young fellow—"more handsome," but never more popular than his father.