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SIR ROBERT BODEN POWELL STARTS ON WORLD TOUR

By Associated Press. London, Jan. 20.—General Sir Robert Baden-Powell, who won fame as the defender of Mafeking during the South African war, and the founder of the Boy Scout movement, to advance the movement throughout the world to co-ordinate it as a great imperial organization and to standardize the method of management as far as possible.

The central idea of the tour is to consolidate the movement throughout the empire, to co-ordinate it as a great imperial organization and to standardize the method of management as far as possible.

Sir Robert proceeded first to the West Indies to visit the Barbadoes, Trinidad and Colon, and while in Panama will visit the canal works.

There are still a few "Old Masters" left in England's homes despite the oft-repeated cry that American and German collectors are depleting England of the works of art that an earlier generation brought.

The exhibition arranged by the council of the Royal Academy bears testimony to this. There are some pictures loaned from private collections, which might almost be said to have been so long hidden away, and a long list of masterpieces, none of which were seen at the previous shows.

Among those that American collectors might look upon with envy are two from the private collection of Miss Driver, the "St. Francis of Assisi" by Giovanni Bellini, and the "Descent from the Cross," by Gerard David.

Because of a misunderstood army form, 29,000 reservists were on the point of mobilizing at Aldershot recently, and a London newspaper added to the excitement by publishing a news item to that effect.

The situation was due to a general misunderstanding of Army Form D461, which was announced by the military authorities some time ago as the medium by which the list of reservists to be called on for service on the first call were apprised of that fact.

One of the strongest points in the argument against the grant of the suffrage to women is the fact that in the United Kingdom women outnumber men, and that to give them the vote would mean handing the government of the country over to them.

THE PROFESSIONAL London beggar can earn more every day than the average British workman.

Special to The News. Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 20.—The local Young Men's Christian Association has purchased a lot 50 by 155 feet in size on North Second street in one-half a block of the post office square for \$12,000, on which it is proposed to build the \$100,000 Y. M. C. A. building that is to be erected in this city during this year.

THE CHOICE OF A HUSBAND is too important a matter for a woman to be handicapped by weakness, bad blood or foul breath.

Durham Hosiery Mills Employees Share in Profits

Special to The News. Durham, N. C., Jan. 20.—The Durham Hosiery Mills Company, a co-operative profit-sharing plan, have announced to their employees the first results in dollars and cents.

The plan inaugurated by the mills is that of setting aside 20 per cent of the dividends paid on the common stock of the company over 3 per cent as a fund for the employees.

In addition to the profit sharing plan the company has, for more than a year employed a trained nurse who visits the people and administers to their wants in time of sickness, and who looks after the general health of the community.

INSECT BITE COSTS LEG A Boston man lost his leg from the bite of an insect two years before. To avert such calamities from stings and bites of insects use Bucklen's Arnica Salve promptly to kill the poison and prevent inflammation, swelling and pain.

BIG ANTISALOON LEAGUE CONVENTION.

Special rates from all points in points in North Carolina to the State Antisaloon League Convention at Raleigh, Jan. 26-28th, have been applied for. When you buy your ticket agent for this rate.

Without Redress The lass who minds the telephone is busy as can be; She has a most convincing tone, And though you cannot see Her face you fancy there's a frown upon her classic brow.

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STANDARD ICE & FUEL CO. Phones 19 and 72

Advertisement for Tel-Electric Piano Player, featuring an illustration of a man playing a piano.

Parker-Gardner Company advertisement for Tel-Electric Piano Player, including contact information and distributor details.

STATESVILLE NEWS.

Special to The News. Statesville, Jan. 20.—Rillian Kimball, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Kimball, died Thursday and was buried yesterday.

Mrs. Sallie Hoover, widow of the late Archie Hoover, whose age is estimated by relatives at from 90 to 100 years, the exact date of her birth not being known, is dead at her home in Barringer township.

Dr. L. V. Cloaninger has gone to New York city to take a special course at the New York Post Graduate College of Medicine.

Mr. Walter W. Holland, of Olin township, this county, has been appointed an assistant grand lecturer for the Masonic fraternity.

Mr. Lee Albertson, who recently sold his farm east of Statesville and moved into town, has bought the local business of the Coca-Cola Company.

Durham May Have Industrial War Between Power Companies

Special to The News. Durham, N. C., Jan. 20.—It is reported here that Mr. George L. Lyon, of this city, will be appointed local manager of the interests of the Southern Power Company in this city.

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NEW AUTOMOBILE ROAD IN THE MOUNTAINS

Special to The News. Asheville, Jan. 20.—The Asheville and Buncombe County Good Roads association held a meeting yesterday afternoon at which time Dr. C. P. Ambler presented specifications for the construction of an automobile road from the summit of Sunset mountain to Crater.

The matter of building the road was suggested by the Automobile Club of the city several days ago and the movement for it was started.

NO 1—FOR A GREAT... Special to The News. Asheville, N. C., Jan. 20.—The directors of the Greater Western North Carolina association met this morning in the board of trade rooms at 11:30 o'clock and heard reports from the various counties as to the amount of money that has been raised by each for the purposes of the organization.

Passenger Traffic Manager S. H. Hardwick of the Southern railway then addressed the board and stated from the reports that had been made he was in a position to believe that the counties are willing to raise their proportionate shares of the money.

It is known that the Southern Power Company has its eye on Durham, and some interesting developments will come to the surface not many days hence.

Jack Frost causes the plumber to have frozen pipe dreams.

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