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Woodrow Wilson Has Found In **Eternity Haven From Storms** And Sorrows of Troubled World

ath Came After Illness Became Critical Last Week Broken Body Could Not Vithstand Sikness.

NERAL PLANS NOT PERFECTED

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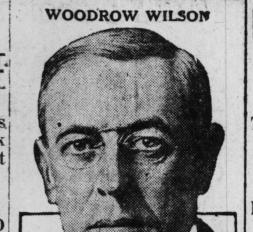
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he ranks as one of the great years of life.

of the American republic, as never before attached

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Short Service Will Be Held at Home and Another at To Be Held For Him.

Washington, Feb. 4 (By the Associated Press).-Tentative plans for the funeral of President Wilson as announced today by Dr. Grayson provide for a brief private service at the S Street residence at three o'clock Wednesday afternoon. This service will be followed by an-

other at 3:30 o'clock at Bethlehem Chapel in the cathedral at Mount St. Albans, until arrangements have been made as to

a final resting place. in the chamber whose walls It was decided not to hold a state own yesterday upon the last funeral as proposed by some, or to have dead. Allow us to share the loss." the body lie in state at the capital.

Washington, Feb. 4 (By the Associated Press).-Funeral services for former President Woodrow Wilson will be held Wednesday, and probably will be private in the sense, that there will be no great state ceremony.

A large number of friends and former associates will be designated active and m which his body rests, is of Monorary pall bearers. Among them will a reproduction of the bed be Bernard M. Baruch, Vance McCorlas definite funeral arrangements have White House for Lincoln and mick, Cleveland H. Dodge, Cyrus Mc ery President since. It is of Cormick, some of the members of Mr. igth and has a golden Ameri- Wilson's wartime cabinet, and others who were associated with him during his terms in the White House.

The Rev. James H. Taylor, pastor of house he had selected the Central Presbyterian Church, which Mr. Wilson attended during his resithe had not know a well day dence in Washington, probably will de-

liver the funeral sermon. White House officials again were in conference with the Wilson home today His collapse during his to render what assistance they could king trip in 1919 followed During the morning Secretary Weeks of paralysis soon after his called on relatives on the former Presi-Washington had made him dent, to talk over any plans they may

Congress Pays Respects.

Washington, Feb. 4.-Congress today put aside the bitter partisan debate which has held forth there in recent days, out of respect for the memory of Woodrow Wilson.

Both houses met at noon as usual, but it was only so that their leaders, of all shades of political opinions, might pay tribute to the fallen chieftain, and pass resolutions commensurate with his ser vices to the nation.

Senator Lodge, of Massachusetts, the republican leader, and one of Mr. Wilson's most uncompromising political foes, joined with Senate Robinson of Arkansas,

wasted features, and the great war President had be long as President had gies to the former President. Identical resolutions were adopted by the House and Senate calling for appoinment of committees to attend the funeral for all the world had and to report by what further token of respect and affection it might be proper for Congress to express the sorrow of the

The Senate adjourned until February 7th, the day after the funeral. The Teapots to Be Worm as Campaign eading him through the House adjourned until until tomorrow.

Simple Funeral.

Washington, Feb. 4.-Woodrow Wilson will sleep for a time within a stone that imperishable chap- vault withint the great cathedral rising mas County Democrats in the forthstory comprising the lite in the hills that looked down over Wash- coming campaign, W. W. ington from the westward. And while Chaiman of the Democratic hth President of the United he rests there men who acclaim his memfirst Democrat since ory will take counsel together as to the

The hard decision was made today by those who loved him best. Word came the cold in Lower Germany this winter urmoil, that his proper place from Dr. Grayson that the claims of that the River Main has been complete cannot be assigned to him the nation to show him lavish honors ly frozen over at Mayence, to such discusporaries are likewise must be denied. The funeral next Wed- thickness as to be safe for traffic. This nesday will be as simple as his last has not happened before within living

While this plan was in the making a cised such an influence in great tide of tribute to his courageous spirit and lofty purpose was rolling in and if a seal is broken the driver is givspirit and lofty purpose was rolling in and it a sear is officed from around the world. His death had en a demerit mark. On the second of tonight; colder in west portion Tuesloosened men's tongues to speak their fense he is dismissed from the service, day,

BY WILSON'S DEATH

Got Death Message.

MESSAGE IS SENT TO MRS. WILSON

the window of the Times-Tribune office, pread rapidly throughout the city and

hat the war President was dead.

Mayor Womble was advised as soon is the death message was received here and he ordered the city bell at the court house to be tolled. The tolling of the Church—No State Funeral knew the serious condition of the former President and who anxiously awaited some word from his bedside. It was not necessary to tell any one why the bell was tolled. Its message had been feared hourly since announcement was made Friday that the former President

message was received here, and the folnation. Your companion and the great-

est statesman America ever produced is season. night many inquiries were made at the Times-Tribune office by admirers of Mr. Wilson as to his condition and Sunday

room on S. Street. It is probable that a fitting memorial service will be held in Concord as soon been announced by relatives.

dimming clamor of criticism that beat about him when his hands still-firmly gripped the powers of the Presidency From friend and foe in the harsh days of the past and those who still oppose some of the tenets of his faith, came generous unstinted tribute to the high idealism that had ruled the heart and mind of him whose death they mourned.

Messages of sympathy poured in on Mrs. Wilson from every foreign capital. They range with something of the spirit availed long ago. Early last have in mind for a military guard of that ruled among the powers in the war years, when the dead man stood like a rock of refuge wielding his great powers to save civilization; they recalled the hours when he voiced the yearnings of humanity for a lasting peace; when he spoke a vision of hope into the ears of a hate-ridden people.

At home also the chorus of recognition and admiration swelled high. centered in the Senate and House, met only to eulogize the dead, and from there spread through all walks of American life. Here in Washington men who met casually-on the street laid aside their every day affairs for a moment to speak of him. History's estimate of Woodrow Wilson was in the making.

Want Body Buried in Virginia.

Richmond, Feb. 4 (By the Associated gaged to speak. Press) .- A resolution requesting Mrs Woodrow Wilson to permit the body of America's war time President to be interred in Hollywood cemetery here where many other famous Virginians are bu-General Assembly.

Badges. Oregon City, Ore., Feb. 2.-Ten thousand miniature aluminum have been ordered as badges for Clacka-Committee, announces.

Cold Winter in Germany.

Berlin, Feb. 2 .- So severe has been

The motors are inspected each night

CONDITIONS ENCOURAGING

Numbers of Countie

1924. Conditions in the Raleigh, Feb. 4. Childrens in the State of North Carolina as reported by Frank Parker, State agricultural statistician, are on the whole encouraging despite the fact that the soil has been too wet for field work and that some little damage was done by the recent freeze. While the livesteck outlook was not re-ported as being ver encouraging this was offset by the teat interest and the agricultural development of 1924.

"The soil has been foo wet for field work, but the general opinion is that it means sctored up troisture for the use

by crops later, says the statement issued by Mr. Parker. The recent freezes Throughout City News of but damaged small grains in the Pied-Death Received With Sadness and Sorrow—Tribune

Got Death Message

our damaged small relies in the Pledmont territory. The interest in poultry is general and the reports indicate a conspicuous increase in numbers on the farms. The livestock situation is rather discouraging. particularly with beef cattle. The price for beef is too low for profit and the numbers of this class of animals are decreasings. The stock law in the coastal counties is resulting in decreased numbers of cattle County Executive Committee Sent Message of Condolence.—Bell at Court House Tolled in His Honor

Concord mourns with the rest of the world today in that great sorrow caused by the death of Woodrow Wilson. People here, as in all other parts of the nation, feel that they have lost a personal riend and that America has lost one of her most distinguished sons.

The first news of the former President Message of Committee Sent Message of Contact to the new conditions are well pleased with the past year's results and with the present outlook, Ide lands seem to be on the increase, due to lack of sufficient labor to work it satisfactorily.

"Craven county is attinistic and says that conditions are food, Hay, feeds, poultry, improved partners, hogs, and livestock generally are in good condition and the county is generally on the upward trend. Beaufort also reports in these products.

The first news of the former President former presidence of Cabarrus during the morning. The city paid its tribute by sending a large congregation to the First Presbyleterian Church and later the county in spiring service held in the Y. M. C. A. The service here began at 9:30 o'clock, the Sunday party reaching Concord shortly after 9 o'clock. The song service started immediately and the evangelist had begun his sermon a few minutes latter. The first reews of the former President former presidence of the morning. The city paid its tribute by sending a large congregation to the First Presbyleter in the city paid its tribute by sending a large congregation to the First Presbyleter in the city paid its tribute by sending a large congregation to the First Presbyleter in the city paid its tribute by sending a large congregation to the First Presbyleter in the city paid its tribute by sending at large congregation to the First Presbyleter in the city paid its tribute by sending at large congregation to the First Presbyleter in the city paid its ribute by sending at large congregation to the First Presbyleter in the city paid its ribute by sending at

tions, increase in livestock, and activity towards preparing fo repring crops, although the early January freeze did damage to truck crops, the farmers are not in the textile city was packed, work in Some comments indicate that not enough the service. attention is being give nto livestock and Several boys from the Jackson Train-home supplies. Bladen county reports ing school were present for the Kannapoevery one at work, very good marketing lis service, being guests of Mr. C. A. Can-conditions, increased interest in live-non. One of the boys, who possesses an stock and not enough labor to the farm unusually fine voice, sang at the meetlands available. Wayne county reports ing.

tle are unsatisfactory. counties are distressed over the cattle wheel brings you closer to the grave. You and sheep situation, while the southern must be ready for the final day. There morning employes of the office were called mountain counties consider conditions is only one hope that lights the chamber many times by persons who wanted to good. They have more than the usual of death. That is the Christian hope.' get some late message from the sick amount of feeds, market conditions are good and livestock interest in increasthe upward grade and well underway."

DESTRUCTIVE STORM IS

Storm So Far Has Centered Strength

on Country From Minnesota to Texas. Chicago, Feb. 4 .- The worst storm of the winter from many angles, swept the country from Minnesota to Texas to-With its center in Missouri, sleet and wind played havoc with communications, and colder weather set in in the northwest. Many cities and towns were

solated by sleet-burdened wires All telegraph wires failed between Chicago and Milwaukee and in norther Wisconsin, a large strip of territory was iso-Telegraph wires out of Chicago had no connection with Des Moines, Oowa, and point west until late in the morning when communication with Omaha was established. The Rocky Mountain section although not affected severely, and the far west, were out of communication with the middle west.

Merchants' Convention to Discuss Shoplifting.

chants' Council have asked that the subject be put down for major discussion at their convention here February 5-6. The general manager of a large private detective agency has been en-

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ried, was adopted today by the Virginia ability. At Cash Feed Store. Phone 122. go to heaven quicker if they went to the redemption God makes the terms. A message from the home of Mr. E. E. Peele today at 12 o'clock states that he is confined to his bed, and it is feared

WHAT SAT'S BEAR SAYS.

pneumonia may develop.



Rain tonight and Tuesday; warmer

Optimistic Over SUNDAY HEARD HERE AND IN KANNOPOLIS BY LARGE AUDIENCE

was offset by the teat interest and progress new being taken and made in the poultry industry. Numbers of counties over the state were also reported as being optimistic over the outlook for the agricultural development of 1924.

Here at 9:30 O'clock and Here at 9:30 O'clock and at Kannapolis at 11 O'clock

> HOPE SUBJECT OF CONCORD SERMON

Says Riches, Fame and Honor Bring Nothing if Person Does Not Have Hope and Faith in Jesus Christ.

Concord and Cabarrus county today paid tribute to Billy Sunday, who delivered two pewerful sermons within the bor-

discouraged but are trying to come again. the mills having been suspended during

hog cholera prevalent. Several sections "Hope" was the subject of the evange-report probable increase in cotton acre-list here, who declared that a man could have wealth, fame, honor and all worldly

"The livestock situation is generally are going to stop at home, but you are regions, were the methods suggested. The northern an auto ride, but each turning of the

Trouble comes to everyone, Mr. Sunday said, the evangelist pointing out that hope even in the face of this trouble if SWEEPING THE COUNTRY we believe in Christ. And why should was learned here today. The dead are: thirty-three additional public utility com-Why should we not believe in the teachknow about law we consult a lawyer: when we are sick we consult a physician; when we need auto repairs we consult the garage man. We trust them be cause they have made a study of their business. It's the same with the preach-When we break down on the road to hell we should send for the preacher,

who is an expert in his line." The reward of the gospel is the hope that in the United States we should be especially thankful for the goodness of God. "The United States is the corn crib of the world, the wheat bin of all nations, the wardrobe for people of all countries and the purveyor of good things for all civilization. God has been

Chicago, Feb. 4.—"Shoplifting" in re- fies, Mr. Sunday added. "The milliontail stores has become so widespread aire wants two millions, the pleasure seek- in business say that the new yards will that members of the Interstate Mer- er wants pleasure at all times, the con- greatly aid the city in handling of the wants to be governor, the governor wants to be senator, the senator wants to be president and the president wants to serve two terms. Such things do not | W. Morgan, of No. 10 township, a twelve bring happiness.

"It is the same with personal charms. Women should dress so they will not resemble rummage sales, but they should terms. When you go to the bank to bornot be more interested in their looks row money the bank makes the terms. Purina makes the difference in laying than anything else. Lots of men would It is the same with God. When you seek barber shop more, but they must not moral question. It is all right."

Faith in Jesus Christ is the only thing tined to go to hell if you don't." that will lift one heavenward, Mr. Sunit will save from the power of sin, and marriage. "Don't believe that bunk" is the only thing that will.

Mr. Sunday said. "I have faith and I prepaid." am preaching this faith. I want to make it easy for you to kiss your wife wife to remember the fact that their Sierra Nevada and Cascade mountains

hell. Many people try to compromise, don't let your husband tell you that what California, 60 feet has been recorded in but this can't be done. There is no they do outside the home is none of your a single season 25 feet in a single month.

rifice is to help you you must accept his break the heart of the other."

Sues



Mrs. Onezima de Bouchel (above) who suing Asa Candler, millionaire Coca-Cola king at Atlanta, Ga., for \$500,000.

THE COTTON MARKET

Buying Movement Which Developed Last

ment which developed in the cotton mar- financing of the company. ket last week was in evidence again dur- The Holes have been intimately con eding today's early trading. It was nected with the Public. Service Com-The first snews of the former President's death received in Concord came to lent's death received in Concord with Mr. and Mrs. The lent's death received in Concord came to lent's death received in Concord came to lent's death received in Concord with Mr. and Mrs. The lent's death received in Concord with Mr. and Mrs. Liverpool and the increased spot business reported there, which private calles attributed partly to export demand. Locally the market opened firm at an ediance of 17 to 32 points, with the lower coasting the message, which was posted, on all area reports good marketing conditions, increase in livestock, and activity. Immediately after the service lent's the promoted by the continued strength of pany since its organization in 1909. Liverpool and the increased spot busi- when it took over the old Greensboro realizing at the advance, but it was ab-, make their homesorbed by further covering and fresh buying, with May holding up to about however, are retaining a substantial in-30.63 or 30 points above Saturday's terest in the Company, and change, if

28.40; Dec. 28.00.

ASSISTANE FOR WHEAT FARMERS IS ASSURED

This Assurance Given in Maistie to Be Delivered by the President.

Washington, Feb. 4.-President Cool-

you will say you are going home. You and financial institutions in the farming tow & Company was incorporated and

FOUR NEGROES FATALLY

Three of The Victims of Blaze Were Wo-

men,-Victims Lived on Farm. we not believe in the teachings of Christ? Josephine Harris, wife of John Harris, panies serving imoprtant communities in and a young san, a sister of Jos. Harris, ings of the preachers? When he want to Ida Harris, and Al Harris. The baby was rescued from the burning house, but

Want Suit Dismissed.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 4 .- Judge Samuel H. Sibley today was asked by counsel for Asa G. Candler, Sr., of Atlanta., to direct a verdict in favor of the Atlanta capitalist in the \$500,000 breach of promise suit instituted against him by Mrs. of all, Mr. Sunday continued, adding Onezima De Bouchel of New Orleans, The motion came afer both sides had concluded the presentation of testimony,

New Uorfolk Southern Yards at Star. Star, N. C., Feb. 4.-The work of constructing the new railroad yards now under way by the Norfolk and Southern exceedingly good to us and we should be Railroad in this city is making rapid thankful and believe in His and His progress despite the recent bad weather eachings." and the labor shortage. It is expected that within the next thirty days that God is the thing that counts and satis- the new yards will have been completed. Officials of the city and prominent men stable wants to be sheriff, the sheriff continual increasing traffic and shipping

> Born, February 4, to Mr. and Mrs. D. pound boy, D. W. Morgan, Jr.

put these things first. If rouge helps tination, but there is just one thing to your looks use it. Bobbed hair is not remembed. You are predestined to go to heaven if you repent; you are predes-

Mr. Sunday told the women in his auday warned. And faith 'in Jesus will dience not to believe the man who drinks not only saye from the guilt of sin but when he tells them he will quit after he warned them. "Tell the man to show "I am preaching to make it hard for you before the knot is tied. Tell him you to do wrong and easy to do right," you want the goods delivered, express

Mr. Sunday also warned husband and "You are either going to heaven or to one affect the lives of the other. "Wives, half-way house. God doesn't keep such business. One act can break your heart, And husbands, don't let vour wives tell "To be saved you must accept the you that what they do at home is none terms of God. He planned the sacrifice of your business. The thing works both rooms to the already huge building. of Christ for the world and if this sac- ways and one act by either one may From the very first this hotel has en-

HOLES SELL LARGE INTEREST IN N. C. PUBLIC SERVICE CO.

No. 64.

The Purchaser is the General Gas & Electric Company. Which Will Be Associated With Them.

BUT LITTLE CHANGE IN THE PERSONNEL

Change Made to Take Care of the Rapidly Increasing Business to Make Extensions and Improvements.

Mr. Joe Robertson, manager of the North Carolina Public Service Company at Salisbury and Concord, was in the city this morning and gave out the following statement:

C. B. Hole President of the Public Service Company, on behalf of his brothers and their associates, announced this morning that they had sold a large interest in their holding in that company to the General Gas & Electric Corporation of 50 Pine Street, New Week Was in Evidence Again Today. York, who will hereafter be associated New York, Feb. 4 .- The buying move with them, both in the operating and

The Holes and their associates, any, in the personnel of the company, Cotton futures opened firm. March will be only those necessary to take care 34.25; May 34.55; July 33.27; Oct. of the rapidly increasing business as extensions and improvements are made to take care of the growth of the several

Mr. W. S. Barstow, the head of W. S.

Barstow & Company, and President of the General Gas and Electric Corporafeared hqdrly since announcement was age.

"The central or dairy section of the piedmont reports active interest in live-stock with daily cattle in good demand. These things do not count if a man has for the county met as soon as the death linerest in legume erops above the average was received here, and the following telegram was sent to Mrs. Wilson by the committee:

"Truly a great blow has befallen our marging to generate the cold wave. They are combetely sold to adopt the control of the county met as soon as the death of the county met as soon as the death of the control of the county met as soon as the death of the county met as interested with them in the General Gas & Electric Corporation have acquired BURNED IN BUILDING many public utilities which they finance, extend and manage. Recognizing at an early stage the vital importance of public good will as a foundation upon which Elizabeth City, Feb. 4.—Four negroes to build a permanent business, their including three women, were burned to progress has been rapid due to the safeing. Polk county reports-that it is on the hearse backs up to the door of the death, and a fifth fatally injured in a guard of this asset. The General Gas millionaire's mansion just as it does to fire that destroyed the home of John & Electric Corporation controls through "But we can find Harris, a negro farmer, near Moyock, stock ownership ten public utility oper-Currituck County, early Sunday, it ating companies, which, in turn, control the eastern section of the United States with electric light and power, gas and or interurban and street railway service. was so badly burned he died last night. The properties controlled, direct or through subsidiaries, are mainly electric light and power, and are located in Penasylvania, New Jersey, New York, Ohio, Vermont, and New Hampshire. The General Gas & Electric Corporation never sells its holdings but devotes its energies to building up its properties, keeping pact with the growth and demands of the communities which it serves. The Directors of the General Gas & Electric Corporation are composed of representa-tives of the leading banking firms of the country, such as Lee, Higginson & Co., Reilly, Brook & Co., Moors & Cabot, Halsey, Stuart & Co., and several capitalists og importance. In addition to these firms there will be associated in this undertaking A. C. Allyn Co., and Pynchon & Co. The policy and management of this property, as in the case of all other properties, will be under the direction of W. S. Barstow & Company.

> After considering the many very evident advantages to the communities, the company, and all the members of the Public Service Company organization, the Hole Brothers and their associates decided it would be unfair not to add new associates to this enterprise, which as everyone knows requires expert advice at all times, not to mention an endless and continuous amount of money to keep pace with the rapid growth of prosperous and progressive communities. The Barstow organization has technical experts in all departments of the public utility fields, which is made possible by their large operating field. On account of their years of experience in operation and development, the securities of their various companies are constantly in demand from the principal banking and investment concerns in the country. These and many other advantages accrue to the small companies, many of which they could not afford when standing alone.

Some snow falls in each of the United States. The greatest fall occurs in the lives are interwoven and the deeds of on the Pacific Coast, where it ranges from 30 to 40 feet in depth. At Summit,

> The great O'Henry Hotel of Greensboro, is preparing to add 100 additional joyed remarkable prosperity.