

W. LEARY'S BODY FOUND TODAY 11 MILES FROM CHERAW

Missing Army Officer Found at 11:30 O'clock This Morning by Searching Party Sent Out Today.

BODY MANGLED; EATEN BY ANIMALS

Apparently Had Been Dug Up—No Clothing on Body—Major Williams Sends Message to Raleigh.

Cheraw, N. C., July 17.—The body of Samuel McLeary, missing army officer, was found 11 miles north of Cheraw, at 11:30 o'clock this morning by a searching party, according to Major Williams, who called the Associated Press correspondent at Raleigh, and gave the information.

The body was horribly mangled, according to Major Williams, it appeared to have been dug up and the flesh eaten. There was no clothing on the body, the Major said.

Williams did not talk directly to the Associated Press correspondent, but the information to the manager of the Postal Telegraph Company here, who stated that it conveyed the news to the police department.

Nothing had been heard from the missing officer since he was reported to have been killed at Hamlet, since they were stated at the police department.

King Taken to Columbia.

Cheraw, N. C., July 17.—Mortimer H. King, who is alleged to have confessed the murder of Major Samuel McLeary and his body near Cheraw, was being taken to Columbia, S. C., late today.

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EXPLOSION WRECKS DEPARTMENT STORE

Two Firemen Injured and Five Negroes, Burned to Death at Kansas City, Mo., July 17.—Two firemen were fatally injured, several others hurt, and five negroes are known to have been burned to death in an explosion and fire which early today wrecked a store and apartment building in the negro district. The firemen, Earl Harvey and John Hayden, were pinned beneath a falling wall. Six other firemen caught under the wall are expected to recover. The bodies of the five negroes have been recovered. Nine others are missing.

THE COTTON MARKET

Opened Firm Today at an Advance of From 13 to 26 Points. New York, July 17.—The cotton market opened firm today at an advance of 13 to 26 points. Continuation of yesterday's buying was encouraged by relatively steady cables, better reports from the cotton goods market, and continued nervousness over new crop progress. A good deal of realizing was absorbed on slight setbacks, the early market selling up to 30.80 for July and 26.12 for October or 35 to 40 points net higher. The opening prices were: July 30.50; Oct. 26.00; Dec. 25.13; Jan. 24.98; March 25.20.

ALLEN TO ASK FOR LOAN OF \$5,000,000 FOR THE SCHOOLS

When the Extra Session of the Legislature Meets in August.

Raleigh, July 17.—When the extra session of the General Assembly convenes here in August, it will be asked by Superintendent of Public Instruction, A. T. Allen, for authority to make a third loan of \$5,000,000 to the various counties of the state for erection of new schools, according to an announcement made from the office of the superintendent.

Scldiers Seek Aid in Making Out Insurance Papers.

Salisbury, N. C., July 17.—Many are seeking the aid of the American Legion Post of this city in making out their applications for the insurance bonus as authorized by the last Congress. One case in particular stands out above the others, though which is significant of some of the demands that are made upon Uncle Sam for the benefits of his generosity. This was the case of a man who had passed successfully down the list of questions in the application blank until the question of length of service was reached.

The legionnaire asked him the date of his entrance into the army and that of his discharge. He gave them. The legionnaire did a little figuring and discovered that the applicant had served only thirteen days. Then he asked the man if he drew a \$60 bonus upon his discharge. Upon being informed that such was true, the legionnaire replied, "You owe the government just about \$45, but there is the door."

Tourists Get a Through Ticket.

The secretary of the Chamber of Commerce realizes that under the present arrangement of our streets it is a difficult matter to route tourists that they may have an opportunity to break their trips and spend a few hours in our city, but Concord merchants are losing hundreds of dollars, the city is losing the greatest advertising possible when people are not allowed to pass up North Union street—our really one show street—our greatest asset of business. Mr. Blanks believes that the business men and citizens will welcome a plan whereby visitors to our city can be routed over the viaduct via Powder street to Corbin, then through the city on Union giving everyone a chance to stop in the business part of the city, at the hotel, at the Y, Chamber of Commerce and then see our beauty street, leaving Concord with the idea that we have some city.

Crushed Between Two Automobiles.

Charlotte, N. C., July 17.—Mrs. T. P. Arant, of Allen, was crushed between two automobiles as she stepped from the curb of Church street here yesterday. Mrs. Arant was rushed to the hospital, where it was said that she was severely injured about the legs. As Mrs. Arant was attempting to cross the street a car started to pass behind her and a second car swerved around the corner pinning her between the running boards and fenders. The driver, a woman, of one of the cars, drove away without waiting to see the results of the accident.

Poured Out 1,000 Gallons of Beer.

Gastonia, July 17.—Kings Mountain was washed with a thousand gallons of beer, when Deputy Sheriff Miles Rhyme and Officers Clyde Robinson and O. T. Sams found a 60 gallon copper still surrounded by numerous hogheads of beer on the side of the mountain. They immediately poured the beer out of the hogheads, strewed 50 gallons of blackberries which they also found by the still, all over the ground and destroyed the still. The blackberries were to be used for making brandy, the officers said.

Bill to Protect Japanese Industries.

Tokio, July 17 (By the Associated Press).—Both houses of the Imperial Diet today passed the government bill raising the tariff on about 250 articles classed as luxuries, to an ad valorem duty of 100 per cent. The bill is designed to protect Japanese industries.

Business Men Keep Fit.

Eighteen business men of Concord on Tuesday enjoyed a number of thrilling games of volleyball at the Y, then a shower and plunge in the pool. The man who keeps fit is the man that does things. Keep your eye on your physical condition, go regularly to the Y and stop the human leaks.

Fliers Arrive at Brough, England.

Brough, England, July 17 (By the Associated Press).—The American army around the world airplanes, arrived here from Crofton this afternoon.

Mrs. W. C. J. Caton is spending several months in New York with her son, Charlie Caton.

Who Branded Minister?



The letters "K. K. K." are seared upon his back. But Rev. Orrin Van Loon of Berkeley, Mich., a Detroit suburb, insists he remembers nothing of the branding. The minister had started for Lake Orion, Mich., to attend a Bible conference. Nearly two weeks later he was found unconscious on the streets of Battle Creek. He had lost 30 pounds and his hair had turned from gray to white. Doctors declared he had been drugged. Rev. Van Loon said he recalled nothing from the time he cashed a check at a bank in Royal Oak, near his home, until he awakened in the hospital in Battle Creek.

REAL DOG SHOW IS PLANNED FOR STATE

Arrangements Completed For a Comprehensive Exhibition at State Fair This Fall. Raleigh, July 15.—A real dog show for the State Fair this fall is promised by General Manager E. V. Walborn, who has completed arrangements for a comprehensive exhibition with the Central Carolina Field and Kennel Club.

Efforts to have a dog show at the State Fair have been made for several years past, but the difficulty has been in getting it organized as a solid basis. This difficulty, it is believed, has been obviated and dog enthusiasts from all over the state are expected to take part.

The Central Carolina Field and Kennel club has been incorporated under the laws of the state with the following officers: President, E. Guy Robertson, first vice president, Clyde Hornaday; second vice president, Will D. Briggs; secretary, Dr. W. T. Scarborough.

NO TRACE OF MACLAREN

The British Aviator is More Than 33 Hours Overdue. Tokio, July 17 (By the Associated Press).—No trace of A. Stuart MacLaren, British aviator, overdue at Paramashiru Island, and his companions in an around the world flight, had been found up to 9 o'clock tonight. MacLaren then was more than 33 hours overdue. Japanese destroyers were continuing a search for the missing party.

Body of Mike Sanford Found Dead on Roadside.

Belmont, July 16.—Mike W. Sanford, an aged resident of the county, was found dead by the roadside, near his home, about 9 o'clock tonight. He had not been well for several days, and is presumed to have suffered a heart attack while returning from Belmont, where he had been to procure medicine. He is alleged to have ridden with a neighbor part of the way home, having been dropped on the roadside in that vicinity. The body was found by a passing negro man. There appears to have been no evidence of foul play, but a coroner's inquest has been ordered as a precautionary measure. Mr. Sanford leaves a family. He is said to have been a native of Mecklenburg county, where a number of relatives still reside.

With Our Advertisers.

Big specials at Parks-Belk Company this afternoon. Read their ad, and hurry to the store.

Another popular excursion to Washington July 26. Tickets good three days. Round trip fare from Concord only \$10.50. See ad.

Hats at half price Friday and Saturday at the Specialty Hat Shop.

The prices are sure moving the merchandise at Fisher's July Clearance Sale. Special lot of china ware on sale Saturday and Monday.

Overstuffed living room suite at Bell & Harris Furniture Co. for \$85.00 and Ten days of great fun under able leadership for only ten dollars.

Furniture suites at exactly half price at the Concord Furniture Company.

The habit of saving dollars is what makes possible a fortune, says the new ad. of the Citizens Bank and Trust Co.

Seed potatoes for late summer and fall planting at Cline & Moore's.

Delicious peach jam easily made in 15 minutes by the new Certo method. See ad. of Dove & Best Co. on page four.

Republicans Meet at Durham This Afternoon.

Durham, July 17.—The executive committee and the electors of the Republican party of North Carolina will meet here this afternoon with the state and Congressional candidates of the party, it was stated last night by William G. Bramham, chairman.

LAFOLLETTE CLUBS ARE BEING FORMED IN NORTH CAROLINA

Rev. Tom Jimison Waiting For Opportunity to Run For United States Senate.

Spencer, July 16.—Answering persistent rumors over the state that he would be a candidate for the United States senate on a progressive ticket when seen by a newspaper man today Rev. Tom P. Jimison, pastor of Spencer Methodist church and a well known member of the Western North Carolina conference, said that the progressive movement has not been sufficiently developed in North Carolina to warrant any announcement of candidates at this time. Mr. Jimison stated that he has been informed that LaFollette clubs are now being organized over the state and that one is now being formed in Rowan county. He says that when these clubs get in action and when the movement takes definite shape he will announce his attitude as to the senatorship. He believes this will require several days, perhaps two weeks.

It is stated that heads of the various crafts, blacksmiths, carmen and electrical workers, as well as transportation brotherhoods are now interesting themselves in the progressive movement and getting behind the candidacy of Senator LaFollette. It is their purpose to organize LaFollette clubs all over the country, especially among working men and farmers. As is well known, Mr. Jimison has long been a leader among these craftsmen and it is fairly certain that they will urge his candidacy at the proper time.

An invitation was extended Mr. Jimison today to join the speaking forces of the LaFollette organization and he was asked to visit a number of industrial centers over the country on a campaign for the progressive party. Mr. Jimison has the matter under consideration and if suitable arrangements can be made he will probably be heard in a number of states during the campaign. Should he decide to become a candidate for the United States senate, he would return to North Carolina at once and give careful attention to his fences.

WHEELER BOLTS DAVIS TO WORK FOR LAFOLLETTE

Says He Cannot and Will Not Support Morgan's Attorney.

Washington, July 16.—Sen. Wheeler, democrat, Montana, will not support John W. Davis, the democratic presidential nominee. Announcing this decision today Mr. Wheeler, who directed the senate inquiry into former Attorney General Daugherty's administration, said he intended, however, to support the democratic ticket in Montana, and work for the re-election of Senator Walsh.

As for his own vote, Senator Wheeler said it "likely" will be cast for Senator LaFollette. He declared, however, that he would not accept endorsement as a vice presidential candidate on the LaFollette ticket if it were offered him.

Wheeler Makes Brief Statement.

In a brief statement outlining his intentions, Mr. Wheeler said that when the democratic nominee for president "is the attorney for the principal interests of Wall street I can not and will not support him."

Coincident with the Montana senator's announcement Parley Parker Christensen, presidential nominee of the farmer-labor party in 1920, called on Senator LaFollette to give personal assurance of his whole-hearted support. As an independent, LaFollette, he declared, would receive a heavy farmer vote.

Winston-Salem Authorities Seizing Cars Without Tags.

Winston-Salem, July 16.—Although a fifteen days' period of grace, from July 1st, was granted, there are yet many automobile owners in this section who have not purchased new license plates for 1924-25. Those attempting to operate their cars today without the proper tags are finding that the authorities didn't mean "maybe" when they said that such operation would not be permitted in this city. From 6:30 o'clock this morning until 2:30 this afternoon 15 drivers were cited and explain to court Thursday morning and explain to court Thursday morning and explain to court Thursday morning.

Martin Luther's Handwriting Brings Top Price at Auction.

Berlin, July 17.—Martin Luther's handwriting commanded a higher price even than autographs by Goethe and Schiller at an auction of autographs here. A letter addressed to the Elector John of Saxony brought 9,100 marks. The second highest price, 5,000 marks, was paid for a verified and authenticated letter by Goethe to Merck in the year 1774. Schiller's poem, "Der Alpenjäger" (The Alpine Hunter), came third, with 3,000 marks.

A Schopenhauer autograph brought only 500 marks. A number of Schiller and Wieland letters found no bidders. Six pages of Heines' poems were auctioned off at 670 marks.

Premature Explosion Kills Two at Andrews.

Andrews, July 16.—Walker McGuire and Wilburn Crisp, superintendent and foreman, respectively, for the Montvale Lumber Company at Fontana, near here, were killed instantly in a copper mine on Eagle creek yesterday when ten blasts of dynamite exploded prematurely, according to reliable information received here today.

Mrs. Parks Lafferty to Entertain.

Mrs. Parks M. Lafferty on Friday afternoon from 4:30 to 6 o'clock will give a tea, complimenting Mrs. Norman Boren, of Greensboro. In the receiving line, beside Mrs. Boren, will be: Mrs. Leslie J. Correll, Mrs. O. L. Lockwood, Mrs. Brice Willford, Mrs. R. M. Calhoun and Mrs. W. H. Robinson. About one hundred and twenty-five guests have been invited.

GOV. MORRISON SENDS OUT HIS FORMAL CALL

For Extra Session of the Legislature to Convene on Thursday, August 7th.

Raleigh, N. C., July 17.—Governor Cameron Morrison today issued a formal call for a special session of the North Carolina Legislature to meet at 11 o'clock on August 7th, for the purpose of considering the report of the ship and water transportation commission.

THE BRAZILIAN REVOLUTION

Government Bulletin Says Federal Forces Are Now in Possession of Greater Part of Sao Paulo.

Buenos Aires, July 17 (By the Associated Press).—An official bulletin issued at midnight by the Brazilian government, and received by La Nación, states that the complete success of operations being conducted by the federal troops along the entire front will not be long delayed. The bulletin declares that Federal forces are now in possession of a great part of the city of Sao Paulo, Federal cavalry having penetrated the central thoroughfares, even the Municipal Theatre. It is added that numerous fugitives who abandoned the Federal cause have arrived at other cities, and also that the Federal troops have made a number of prisoners, including one officer.

Communication states that according to news from Sao Paulo the organization of patriotic battalions continues.

An official communication issued at noon yesterday says: "We are operating an important movement of forces along the entire front. New elements whose organization has been completed are going to enter into the action."

WANT TO ABOLISH UNIT AND TWO-THIRDS RULE

Concerted Movement to That End in the Western and Southern States.

Chicago, July 17.—Concerted action by members of the Democratic National Committee from a number of western and southwestern states in an effort to make both the unit rule and the two-thirds majority rule inoperative in future national conventions has advanced today to the stage of formal interchange of views on the subject. A committee member from one western state had prepared a formal declaration on the subject for submission to the proposed meeting of the National Committee at Clarksburg, W. Va., early in August. More than a fourth of the committee members have given assent to the proposition since the national convention adjourned a week ago, a leader in the move said today.

GREAT SUBMARINE IS LAUNCHED AT PORTSMOUTH

Is Twice as Large as Any Other Built—First of a Fleet of Nine.

Portsmouth, N. H., July 17.—A submarine twice as large as any built previously for the United States Navy was launched at the navy yard here today. This big undersea fighter, to be known as the V-1, is the first of a fleet of nine that will be able to accompany the battle fleet at sea in any weather, and at any speed of which the fleet itself is capable.

The vessel is 341 feet 6 inches over all, has a maximum breadth of 27 feet, 6 5/8 inches, a surface speed of 21 knots, and a speed of 9 knots submerged, and a surface displacement of 2164 tons.

CONCORD REEL TEAM WINS RACE AT HIGH POINT

Gets a Purse of \$225.00—Firemen to Return Home Tonight.

A telephone message received at 1 o'clock p. m. today stated that the Concord firemen won the reel race at the 38th Annual Convention at High Point this morning. This will be good news to everybody in Concord, and the boys are to be congratulated. The message further stated that the Concord firemen had enjoyed themselves immensely at the meeting and that they would return home tonight.

Only 8 More Days of Efrid's Removal Sale.

Beginning Friday, July 18, and running through Saturday, July 26, Efrid's will have the last eight days of their Removal Sale. Prices will be still further slashed in these last days, before going into their commodious and handsome new store. They don't want to move anything but the counters and safe, and they are determined to have an entirely new stock when they open their new store. See double page ad. in today's Tribune and Times.

Thirty thousand cubic feet of air weighs roughly one ton.

DAVIS TO ANNOUNCE

CRIMINAL MANAGER BEFORE DAY CLOSES

Confers Today With Senator Walsh, Clem Shaver and David Ladd Rockwell, McAdoo's Former Manager.

DAVIS WILL SOON LEAVE FOR MAINE

Walsh Says He Regrets the Action of Senator Wheeler, Who Announced He Would Support La Follette

New York, July 17.—When John W. Davis came to New York from his country home today he had a long discussion of campaign plans with Senator Thomas J. Walsh of Montana, who is chairman of the notification committee, Clem Shaver, of West Virginia, one of those under consideration for national chairman, and David Ladd Rockwell, who was manager for Mr. McAdoo. It was expected that he would announce his choice of campaign manager before night.

This will probably be Mr. Davis' last day in New York before he leaves for Maine. He will spend tomorrow in the country.

Among the other callers were Geo. W. Olvany, the new leader of Tammany Hall, Judge Westcott, of New Jersey, who placed President Wilson's name in nomination in 1912 and 1916; and John G. Saxe, former state senator.

The nominee today moved into offices in the Murray Hill Hotel which will serve as his New York headquarters.

Senator Walsh was asked what he thought of dispatches telling of the determination of his fellow senator from Montana, Mr. Wheeler, to support Senator La Follette for President.

"I do not want to comment on Senator Wheeler's action, except to say that I regret it," said Senator Walsh. "Senator Wheeler is a man of strong convictions and of earnest purpose, and I am sure he has taken the course that he thinks is his duty as a public spirited citizen."

Surprise Birthday Party.

On Friday evening, July 17th, about eight o'clock, a jolly crowd of young men and women gathered at the home of Mr. J. D. Moose of No. 7 township, in preparation of going in a body to the home of Mrs. L. H. Moose, where Floyd lives, and in whose honor the party was given.

After the surprise many games were played and thoroughly enjoyed by all present. Then when tired of playing games we were asked and directed to the well arranged dining room, where ice cream and cake were served in abundance.

Those present were: Misses Pauline Fisher, Catherine Hartman, Ruth Lowder, Cleo Lentz, Lamell, Elma, Shirley, Vera, Esther and Francis Moose, Estelle, Laura, Ruth, Grace and Brown Pennington, Lola Sanders, Messrs. Fernan Crommer, Archie Fisher, Mr. Gibson, Holly Lentz, Earl, Ray, Floyd, Thomas and Paul Franklin Moose, Paul Petrea, Homer Pennington, Murray Pennington, Harley, Jay and Maxon Rowland, James Shoe and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Moose and son, Carl, and Mrs. L. H. Moose.

We wish Mr. Moose many more happy birthdays. ONE PRESENT.

German Motor Manufacturers Fear American Competition.

Leipzig, July 17.—German automobile manufacturers are much worried over the prospects of American competition. Certain embargoes upon the importation of foreign cars are about to expire, after which nothing but a customs tariff will stand in the way of a flood of American autos.

German manufacturers recognize that they can only hope to meet American competition if they unite and simplify production. Thus far there has been a tendency for every auto engineer coming up from the ranks to set up for himself as soon as his funds permitted, and to devise a car slightly different from existing types. The result has been that mass production is unknown in Germany.

As a first step toward concentration and centralization, the two largest automobile manufacturers in Germany, Daimler and Benz, have pooled their interests and entered into an arrangement which approaches standardization.

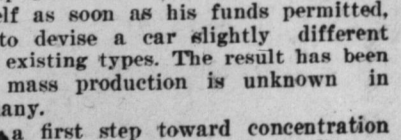
The Firemen to Close Meeting Today.

High Point, July 17.—A tournament in which firemen from all over the state are expected to participate will close the 38th annual convention of the North Carolina Firemen's Association here today.

Among the events are water and chemical contests, and motor races.

USE THE PRETTY COLUMN—IT PAYS

WHAT SMITTY'S WEATHER CAT SAYS



Fair tonight, slightly cooler in east and central portions; Friday fair.