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ORD APPEARS TO CALL NEW ESSES FOREVER

Day the 101st Wit- Was Called at Trial rmer Convict Boss emarle.

TESTIMONY LREADY GIVEN

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July 22.—(AP)—The de- continued its apparently end of witnesses in the vin C. Cranford, former nly County convict sys- on trial for murder.

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B, JR., IS ED NEAR RALEIGH

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y 21.—L. D. McNabb, was almost instant- ere at 8:30 oclock to- is automobile wrecked highways leading into eck was slashed by e windshield of his

at the man was round- t a rapid rate of speed mobile left the road- n to a local hospital.

Accountant and Leaves fe and Child.

July 21.—L. B. Mc- Charlotte, who was near Raleigh when his eturned in a field, was ublic accountant here local hotel. el by his mother, Mrs. b, of Macon, Ga., his small daughter. His d are said to be visit- in Georgia. b had lived in Char- al years.

Our Advertisers.

cials for Thursday, Fri- day at the Parks-Belk interest everyone. See

Belk Co. is offering many er the store for Thurs- d Saturday. They will l articles at given hours See ad. for particulars.

n furniture that will e, can now be seen at rris Furniture Co. Read w ad. today..

Arrive to Prepare For Events at Charlotte.

July 21.—Harry Hartz, and Frank Lockhart, the "roaring road," ar- day to prepare for the dway races August 23. came from Atlantic the first of the sprint an American bowl, held urday. Their automo- hem, arriving yesterday. of Earl Cooper, Cliff Dr. W. E. Shattuc are row. he drivers are expected officials to take their for practic driving.

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John Park Wants Editors To Drop Penitent Attitude

Hickory, July 22.—(AP)—Ridiculing a "by your leave" attitude on the part of newspapers, and the idea that newspapers "must be humored and petted," John A. Park, publisher of The Raleigh Times, in his capacity as chairman of the legislative committee of the North Carolina Press Association, today appealed to the newspaper men gathered here to work for legislation for the good of the state, rather than class legislation.

"Hasn't the time come for self-respecting publications to drop that 'by your leave' attitude and with spreaded shoulders and expanded chests say 'what is it you wish'?" asked Mr. Park.

"Do we need more laws to aid and protect newspapers? Indeed we do not. We have too many laws now—of every kind.

"The kind of laws that we should have next, with respect to newspapers, would protect newspapers from one another and protect society from the newspapers."

Mr. Park declared that "there are too many newspapers in America today" and that "there are several towns and cities in this state that have experienced the annoyances of too many mediocre publications that should have been consolidated, checked or choked.

"The tendency to consider newspapers as public utilities continues to grow," he continued. "Why not so classify this great industry of public service along with railroads, highways, telephones, power companies and the like?"

Mr. Parks then outlined the probable results of "regulation of newspapers if they were placed under State supervision" thus:

"First, there would be a shifting around and moving of plants from points of congestion to those very few places that need good newspapers.

"Next, there would be established standards of practice under rigid supervision demanding satisfactory performance or closing of the doors.

"Then, suitable rates for advertising and circulation would be prescribed and stabilized, low enough to attract business and high enough for a legitimate profit.

"The results naturally would be the growth and extended service of the deserving publications and the withdrawal of the incompetent ones.

"Talk about the 'supporting' of a newspaper would be reversed into a respectful request for the newspapers' approval and support of a community and its enterprises."

Mr. Park pointed out some of the things he thought the newspapers should ask of the legislature, rather than mere class legislation.

"Why not ask our legislative bodies to safeguard humanity that the ever increasing number of preventable fatalities may be checked?

"Why not ask for protection from the speed demon and the incompetent driver who profane our highways and fill our hospitals and morgues?

"Why not forever discard the dingy one-room schoolhouse in favor of the modern consolidated school?

"Why not make it prohibitive to erect hospitals, schools and even office buildings and hotels that are combustible?

"Why not direct the energies and brains of the great publishing industry of thriving North Carolina into channels of constructive endeavor and militant usefulness?

"Yes, why not?

"These Utopian conditions may be for future generations: they may be close at hand. The mendicant publication will remain mendicant unless perchance through change of attitude or circumstances it may join the growing group of aggressives.

"Some day the great God of the Universe is going to look down on one of his dearly beloved publisher-children and say, 'Cease they slothfulness; rise up and produce a better newspaper or get thee back to the tall timbers'."

PULLMAN COMPANY TO OPEN SHOPS IN ATLANTA

Will Employ From 500 to 1,000 Men at Opening of Plant.

Chicago, July 22.—(AP)—The Pullman Company will establish repair shops at Atlanta, Ga., probably at a cost in excess of $1,000,000 and has already acquired a site there, it was disclosed today.

The Pullman company has purchased the 27 acre plant of the U. S. Cast Iron Pipe and Foundry Co., within the corporate limits of Atlanta, and will erect buildings and revamp the plant to take care of repairing of Pullman cars in a manner adequate to the growing needs of the Southeastern section of the country, officials of the company said.

The plant will employ from 500 to 1,000 men to start, and in all probability will handle not less than 500 cars a year.

Locked Like War Days.

(By International News Service)

Durham, July 22.—It was like the homecoming of the "boys from France." Durham turned out to greet them. Bands played. There was shouting along the crowded streets.

A troop of national home guards marched down the street the other afternoon. The machine gunners had been at Camp Glenn, Morehead City, along with several hundred more men from other cities.

Robbery Causes Death.

New York, July 22.—(AP)—One man was killed and another wounded when five robbers invaded a Broadway jewelry store in a daylight holdup today. The robbers escaped after fighting their way through a crowd that collected at the sound of the shot.

THE COTTON MARKET

October and January Reach Highest Levels in Over a Month.

New York, July 22.—(AP)—Rain distributed quite generally over the southwest this morning furnished the signal for renewed buying in the cotton market, which advanced opening prices 9 to 13 points. Considerable realizing on the upturn, however, especially by Wall Street interests, checked the rise after October had reached 17.60 and January 17.51, the highest levels in over a month.

Firm cables, better reports from the cotton goods market, and early strength in the stock market, with support from New Orleans and Liverpool also contributed to the early advance.

Cotton futures opened firm. Oct. 17.58; Dec. 17.46; Jan. 17.50; March 17.65; May 17.87.

S. A. L. Wants to Iuuse Bonds.

Washington, July 22.—(AP)—The Seaboard Air Line sought permission from the Interstate Commerce Commission today to issue $8,000,000 of first and consolidated 6 per cent. mortgage gold bonds, due in 1945.

Proceeds from the issue which already had been sold, subject to the commission's approval, to Dillon, Read & Company and Ladenburg, Thalmann & Company at 97.75 would be used to partially reimburse the road's treasury for additions and betterment expenditures, stop pay for short term notes, and to provide for new mileage in Florida.

What is said to be a world's golf record for a course 6,436 yards in length is the 278 for 72 holes scored by Dewey Longworth, professional of the Meadow Lake Club of Kansas City.

Highway Commission Asks the Supreme Court For Rehearing

Raleigh, July 21.—The State highway commission, petitioning the Supreme Court for a rehearing of the Newton road case, tells that honorable body of errors "in matters of law" and in overlooking facts, points and authorities, in its opinion on the case. Wherefore it "most respectfully but earnestly" requests the court to review and reverse or modify its decision.

The petition, which went to the court Monday and to the newspapers today, has a notation asking that it be directed to Associate Justice Brogden, who wrote the opinion of which the petitioner complains.

The document of five pages, with five contentions of error, is the work of Attorney General Brummitt and Assistant Attorneey General Charles Ross, the latter special counsel to the highway commission. Accompanying it, in accordance with the rules of the court, is a statement signed jointly by General Albert L. Cox, of Raleigh, and General B. S. Royster, of Oxford, setting forth that in their opinion, as disinterested attorneys, the court's opinion contained error.

After setting forth the allegations of error, the highway commission "respectfully contends," emphasizing again a point stressed in the original briefs on the appeal, "that so long as your petitioner runs its highways from 'county seat' to 'county seat' and so locates them as to give the best, quickest and most efficient service to the traveling public, it has met the requirements of the laws, both in letter and spirit; but when this court undertakes to regulate the location of any highway connecting with any 'county seat,' principally with a view of satisfying the civic pride of any town, at the expense of the traveling public, it will violate both the spirit and the letter of the act."

The five contentions of error are summarized as folllows:

"1. That the court erroneously assumed as a fact, that the southern route shown on the plaintiff's map, copy of which was attached to the record, was in all points similar to the route shown on the highway map, attached to chapter two of the public laws of 1921, (State highway act).

"2. That the court erred in holding, in effect, that the defendant (highway commission) acted in violation of the spirit of the highway act in entering the town of Newton and connecting with an existing State highway near the northerly boundary of said town, but would be acting in the spirit of the act if it entered the town of Newton and connected with the existing State highway near the southerly limits of said town.

"3. That the court erred in holding, in effect, that it had the power to control the discretion of the county seat for the purposes of 'connecting' such county seat with the highway system.

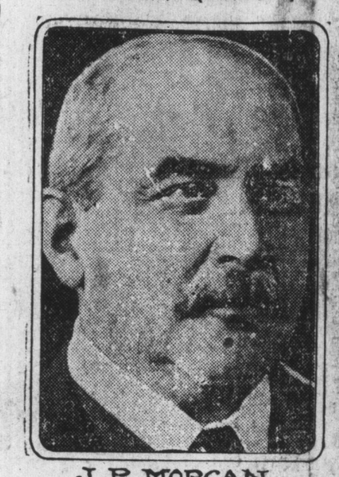
"4. That the opinion in the instant case is in direct conflict with the opinion of Cameron versus highway commission, 188 N. C. 84, without expressly over-ruling said opinion.

"5. That the court erred in affirming the restraining order issued by the court below without, at least, modifying it to make it conform with the law as laid down in the instant case."

World Figures in the News

MANUEL QUEZON

EDOUARD HERRIOT



J. P MORGAN

ANDREW MELLON

Manuel Quezon's fiery oratory led the Philippine Senate to demand the end of American control. Edouard Herriot was asked to form a new French Cabinet upon the downfall of Aristide Briand's. The simultaneous departure of J. P. Morgan and Andrew Mellon, Secretary of the Treasury, for France, led to reports that a "Dawes plan" was contemplated to save the franc.

(International Newsreel)

EDITORS HEAR REPORT OF THEIR PRESIDENT

Also Hear Addresses and Discuss Topics Interesting Them.

Hickory, July 22.—(AP)—Swinging into full program of their convention, editors and publishers of the state today heard the annual report of their president, two or three addresses on matters pertaining to the profession, and discussed several topics of interest to newspaper men. More than 150 men and women representing the daily, weekly, semi-weekly and other classifications of newspaper work were present for the 54th annual convention.

Outstanding among the addresses today was that of J. W. Atkins, publisher of the Gastonia Gazette, and president of the association, and H. Galt Braxton, publisher of the Kinston Free Press. Mr. Atkins reviewed the organization's affairs, and presented to the publishers a hopeful outlook for the future. Mr. Braxton discussed the newspaper's fight for agency commissions before the federal trade commission. His address was made in executive session, but it was learned that Mr. Braxton reviewed the fight over a period of several years, and told the publishers that a serious situation confronted publishers. Unless the fight for certain right is won, he said, the entir structure of newspapers, offices built up through a number of years, would have to be revamped at heavy expenses to publishers.

VALENTINO WOULDN'T FIGHT WOMAN WRITER

But He Still Wants Satisfaction From Editorial Writer Who Ridiculed Him.

New York, July 21.—Dispatches from Chicago that the writer of an editorial which linked the movie sheik with pink powder puffs had not reveoled his identity have failed to dissuade Rudolph Valentino from his intention of forcing a duel, American fashion. There is just one possible development, he said, which might force him to "laugh it off."

"I'm going back to Chicago," he said today as he received reporters in his suite, clad in an orchid bathing suit and lavender lounging robe, "and I'll have satisfaction.

"Unless the scoundrel who wrote that foul stuff is an old man, too feeble to take a man-sized licking, I'll give him what he's earned."

"But what," someone asked, "woul you do if the 'scoundrel' turned out to be a woman"

Mr. Valentino achieved a gesture of supreme gallantry.

"Ah, that goes without saying," he responded, "I shou'd just have to laugh it off."

Arrest in Connection With Mellett Murder.

Canton, O., July 21.—Peter Magraf, of Akron, known as a gambler, was arrested here today in connection with the murder of Don R. Mellett, Canton publisher. Magraf is said to have admitted having been in Canton the night ofthe slaying, and is alleged to have been near the Mellett home.

The suspect said he was with John Demos, known as "Blackie," also of Akron, on that night. Two detectives went to Akron immediately to locate "Blackie" and bring him to Canton. Demos is out on bond of $6,000 following arraignment on a white slavery charge.

STATE MAY CLOSE THE CARROLL HOSPITAL SOON

Charges Have Been Lodged Against Owner, Dr. R. S. Carroll.

Tribune Bureau
Sir Walter Hotel

Raleigh, July 22.—The State of North Carolina will probably take action in the near future toward the closing of the sanitarium now being operated by Dr. R. S. Carroll, of Asheville, against whom charges of immorality have just been upheld in a hearing before the State board of medical examiners, with the result that his license to practice medicine in the state was revoked. Intimation of such action was given out at the office of Attorney General Dennis G. Brummit, who represented the department of public welfare and the child welfare commission at the hearing, although Mr. Brummit refused to make a definite statement with regard to any plans he might have in the case, stating that it was too early at this time to announce anything definite.

Much commendation of the work done by Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson in this case is being heard, as her department was instrumental in bringing the case to a issue. All private sanitariums in the states, especially those for the treatment of nervous diseases, are under the direct supervision of the board of charities and public welfare, and must be licensed by the board. They are subject to inspection to see that they conform with the laws of the state with regard to their regulation. And Mrs. Kate Burr Johnson, as commissioner of public welfare, is responsible for enforcement of the laws relating to these institutions. Consequently, it was in the line of her duty to press the investigation of conditions at Highland Hospital—Dr. Carroll's sanitarium—when conditions were reported to her. Much of the actual investigating was done by Dr. H. W. Crane, of Chapel Hill, connected with the State board of charities and public welfare. That the work of Dr. Crane and Mrs. Johnson was well done is attested by the outcome of the hearing before the medical board of examiners.

The board announced after the hearing that the charges, which had to do with alleged treatment suggested for certain women patients, was of such an obscene nature that they could not be made public.

Dr. Carrolll has appealed to the Superior Court of Buncombe county.

Fred B. McCall Named to University Faculty.

Chapel Hill, July 21.—The appointment of Fred R. McCall, of Charlotte, to the faculty of the law school of the University of North Carolina as associate professor of law, was learned here today. Official announcement of the appointment awaits the approval of the executive committee of the University trustees at their next meeting. This addition, in the opinion of officials of the university law school and of the legal profession, will greatly strengthen the teaching staff of the law school.

Ostrich racing is a popular sport in Vienna and Rome. The ostriches are treated just like race horses, and have trainers and jockeys. Their speed is amazing, often as much as 26 miles an hour, while even with two men on its back an ostrich has been known to run faster than a horse.

FIFTY-FOUR MORE ELECTION JUDGES AND CLERKS NAMED

In Indictments Just Returned by Special Grand Jury Now Sitting at Chicago.

ELECTION FRAUDS LAID TO THEM

In All 109 Indictments Have Been Returned Recently by the Grand Jury.

Chicago, July 22.—(AP)—Fifty-four election judges and clerks who served at Cook county's April primaries, were indicted today by a special grand jury, on charges of conspiracy to make a false count in connection with irregularities at the polls.

The indictments returned bring to 109 the indictments returned against judges and clerks. Eleven were named in the first writs, and 44 in the second group.

The writs have been returned as rapidly as a recount of the returns showed false tabulations.

Recount Ordered.

Chicago, July 22.—(AP)—A complete recount of the vote cast in Cook County Chicago, for the U. S. senatorial nomination in both republican and democratic parties was ordered today by county Judge Jarecki at the request of Senator James A. Reed, of Missouri, chairman of the Senate campaign expenditures committee.

The court acted as true bills reported to have voted against 54 judges and clerks of elections in the April primaries, were waited in the criminal courts.

Senator Reed sought the aid of the county court in determining how the senatorial ballots were handled, as his committee prepared to assemble here Monday for an inquiry into the senatorial primaries.

PRISONERS KILL GUARD AND MAKE GETAWAB

Six Long Term Criminals Escaped From Ferguson Prison Farm.

Houston, Texas, July 22.—(AP)—A guard named Raider at the Ferguson state prison farm near here, was killed there early today and six long term convicts escaped, word to the Houston police said. The police were asked to watch for two automobiles in which the six prisoners were reported to have fled.

Information to the police said two cars drove up to the prison farm shortly after midnight and the drivers fired immediately at the guard Raider, killing him instantly. Six convicts fled to the cars and were driven away. The men who escaped were reported to have been Go. Dixon, Charles Pryer, Richard Naylor, C. R. Holland, Robert Bernard and Alvin Ireland. Pryer was serving a 30-year sentence for murder and had escaped twice previously.

Execution of the plot was daring and reckless. The moment the men in the automobile sighted the guard they opened fire on him. Raider, ridded with bullets, fell dead. Instanatly they were upon him and seized the keys to the barracks. With drawn pistols they opened the doors and called the names of six long term men who stepped out from the ranks of their fellows and took their places behind their liberators.

The other convicts apparently dazed by the swiftness of the affair, made no move. With no apparent haste the three men satisfied themselves the men they had come for were accounted for, locked the door on the remainder of the convicts, who a moment later heard the automobiles rush away in the darkness.

The story, as it was telephoned to Houston, failed to indicate how the alarm was given. Presumably, however, the shots had aroused other guards, who came too late to prevent the escape.

Girl Waits in Vain For Wire From Thaw.

Winchester, July 21.—Miss Forrest Hope Walls, the 18 year old Los Angeles, Calif., girl who claims Harry K. Thaw, promised to marry her if she came to his country estate "Kenilworth" near here, sat disconsolately in a tent throughout today awaiting an answer to the latest telegram she sent to Thaw last night.

The answer had not arrived tonight. Thaw was reported at the Belmont hotel, New York, and the girl wired him she was broken hearted and begged him to send her an automobile and sufficient money to take her, her mother and brother back to California, police said she told them today.

The Walls arrived here Saturday virtually without funds in a battered flivver.

B. E. Spangler Dead.

Atlantic City, N. J., July 22.—(AP)—B. E. Spangler, 64, of Roanoke, Va., general superintendent of transportation of the Northern & Western Railroad, died suddenly of heart disease at his room in the Traymore Hotel today.

He was attending the coal rate hearing before the Interstate Commerce Commission in the Pittsburgh-Lake cargo case.

Mr. Spangler was connected with the Northern & Western Railroad for more than forty years. He started as a railroad telegraph operator.

FRANC GOING UP AGAIN NOW

Paris, July 22.—(AP)—The franc rose today. In the first quotation since the defeat of the Herriot ministry, the dollar was at 45.03 francs, and the pound Sterling at 219. Later quotations were 43.18 and 210.

Yesterday's official closing 46.93 to the dollar. In the reaction at 11 o'clock quotation to 43.60 francs to the dollar and 212 to the pound.

State Library

USE COUNTERFEIT STATE TOBACCO TAX STAMPS

Woman and Son Charged With Printing the Stamps.

(By International News Service)

Little Rock, Ark., July 22.—Detectives here are weaving together threads of evidence on which they hope to convict persons responsible for flooding the market of the state with counterfeit state tobacco tax stamps.

A woman who operates a printing shop and her son are under arrest here as a result of a police check-up on the "bogus" stamps while a lawyer at Pine Bluff, Ark., and a salesman at Hot Springs are held as "agents" for the counterfeit stamps.

Detectives who have been working on a "grapevine" report that counterfeit stamps are being manufactured in Little Rock in wholesale lots got their first tangible clue when a local merchant purchased $100 worth of these stamps and turned them over to officers.

Trace of the spurious tax stamps led to a local printing shop when an 18-year-old youth is said by officers to have given evidence against his mother, who in turn was arrested. The youth and his mother are held in default of $5,000 bond each on grand larceny charges.

The two men held in Hot Springs and Pine Bluff, admit selling the stamps but deny any knowledge that they were counterfeit. They both declare that the stamps came from "headquarters" and they thought them legal.

A further check of other surrounding towns shows that these tax stamps have been sold to the amount of $10,000 throughout the state, detectives say.

Merchants, warned that arrests would follow if "bogus" stamps were used, have sent many tax stamps here for an examination.

Through this method, detectives have found many of the stamps to be counterfeit. Local officers at present are in surrounding towns gathering evidence.

BANKERS PLEASED WITH GOVERNOR'S STATEMENT

Think His Utterances About Bond Payments Will Have Good Effect.

Tribune Bureau
Sir Walter Hotel

Raleigh, July 22.—Bankers over the state generally are applauding the statement issued by Governor A. W. McLean with regard to the non-payment of obligations by cities and counties in the state. In one letter received by Governor McLean from R. S. Dickson, president of a bank in Gastonia, Mr. Dickson says: "I want to express to you my sincere thanks for your interest in this matter which is so vital to the welfare of every county and city in North Carolina," adding that it had just been the duty of the bank to notify a county that due to its negligence in meeting its obligations, the bank could not grant a loan which had been requested.

The letter of Mr. Dickson to Governor McLean follows:

"Having read the contents of your letter in regard to this subject, as copied in the various newspapers today, in behalf of our organization I want to express to you my sincere thanks for your interest in this matter, which is so vital to the welfare of every county and city in North Carolina. I am sure that I voice the sentiment of every leading bond house throughout the country who specialize in North Carolina county and city bonds.

"Only yesterday it was our sad duty to inform a county in the northwestern part of the state that due to their negligence in allowing their obligations to go in temporary default we were unable to grant them a loan to meet their running expenses in anticipation of the collection of taxes.

"I am quite sure that if you will continue your efforts along this line it will be the means of placing our North Carolina municipal bonds upon a high credit basis in the general municipal markets."

Venable Case Thrown Out.

Asheville, July 21.—The case against R. C. Venable, 25-year-old traveling salesman, who was arrested last Sunday on a charge of kidnaping and conspiring to kidnap a pretty 16-year-old shop girl of this city, was thrown out of court by Magistrate C. F. Summer this morning for lack of convincing evidence. The kidnaping occurred last Friday night, according to the charge.

Bench Goslin For Indifferent Work.

Washington, July 21.—"Goose" Goslin, heavy hitting outfielder of the Washington Americans, has been benched without pay for an indefinite period by Manager Harris for indifferent playing.

The "Goose" was withdrawn from the lineup in the second inning of the first game of today's double header with Detroit. Goslin's place as clean up hitter in the batting order was recently given to Buddy Myer, recruit shortstop, and Goslin was dropped a notch.

GOVERNMENT COST LAST FISCAL YEAR SHOWED INCREASE

The Increase Was $53,344,427 Over Previous Year, Figures Just Announced Show.

ARMY AND NAVY GOT LESS CASH

But Other Departments Showed Increase.—Veterans Bureau Spent Big Sum.

Washington, July 22.—(AP)—The actual cost of the government last fiscal year ended June 30 increased $53,344,427 over the previous year, totalling $3,584,987,873, it was shown in the itemized list of expenditures made public by the Treasury.

Ordinary expenditures amounted to $3,097,511,822, an increase of $34,506,490. The cost of the public debt accounted for the remainder of expenditures, $487,376,050, an increase of $20,837,937.

The War and Navy Departments made the principal reductions, while the Department of the Interior, Labor and Agriculture also showed decreased expenditures.

War Department expenditures were $6,800,000 less than a year ago, totalling $355,072,225; while Navy costs were $33,500,000 less than a year ago, amounting to $301,758,049.

The Veterans Bureau was the most costly government establishment, requiring $404,692,185 compared with $384,715,796 a year ago. The cost of the adjusted service certificate fund amounted to $120,152,238, compared with $99,458,769 the previous year.

Campaign For Bryan Memorial University Opens in Western N. C.

Asheville, N. C., July 22.—With Gallatin Roberts, ex-mayor of Asheville, prominent attorney, and life-long friend and admirer of William Jennings Bryan, as chairman, and a sponsoring committee of fifty prominent Asheville citizens, the Asheville campaign for the establishment of Bryan Memorial University at Dayton, Tenn., was launched here today.

In accepting the chairmanship of the campaign, Mr. Roberts stated that he had been keenely interested in the project to memorialize the life, character and teachings of the great Commoner by the establishment of a Christian college in our Southeastern mountains since its inception, and that he welcomes the opportunity to have a part in presenting the matter to the citizens here.

Headquarters for the Western North Carolina campaign, which is to cover twenty-five counties in the western part of the state, have been opened at 90 Patton Avenue. The quota for Western North Carolina is fifty thousand Dollars, twenty-five thousand dollars being expected of Asheville. The objective of the national campaign is $5,000,000, half of which will be used for building and half for endowment.

F. E. Robinson, president of the Bryan Memorial University Association of Dayton, Tenn., stated recently that although campaigns have been waged so far in parts of only two states, Tennessee and Florida, subscriptions in hand now total almost half a million dollars. A site of eighty-one beautifully wooded acres was recently accepted by the association for the building of the university. This was one of five sites offered the association for this purpose and was the one unanimously recommended by a committee of leading Tennessee educators who made an inspection of the site.

Boy Keeps After Money.

(By International News Service)

Camden, Ark., July 22.—When alleged fake radium eye specialists fleeced his parents out of $1,200, Berry Murphy, Camden youth, got busy.

Soon two suspects were arrested in Kansas City. Before the youth and officers could arrive there, they had been freed through a court procedure.

Not long afterwards two men and a woman were arrested in Fort Worth, Texas.

Through an error in the requisition papers, Gov. Ferguson refused delivery of the prisoners to Camden authorities. Berry Murphy was still on their trail.

In Fort Worth, attorneys for the trio offered young Murphy return of the money. Berry took $1,100 and a promise of the other $3,90, which included the amount of his expenses, and returned home. The tro are still in custody but probably willl not be returned here.

Fears His Wife Kidnaped or Victim of Other Tragedy.

Asheville, July 21.—Fears that his pretty young wife had been kidnaped or had met some other tragic fate in Asheville were expressed today by Joseph E. Woodnick, of Orlando, Fla., who in telegrams to the Times asked the aid of police, newspapers and citizens in locating the woman. The last word received from her was on last Friday, Mr. Woodnick said. She is supposed to be alone.

THE WEATHER

Partly cloudy tonight and Friday. Local hundershowers Friday and in west portion late tonight. Not so warm Friday. Gentle to moderate southwest winds.