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DON'T FORGET MASS MEETING THIS EVE

Hear F. M. Burnett on War Work Council To-Night

Mass Meeting of Citizens at Court House 7:45 O'clock. Every seat should be occupied by both Men and Women. If you are interested in the boys at the front you'll not be absent. No Subscriptions will be asked for tonight. Pitt County's Campaign Starts Tomorrow.

It is certainly expected that at 7:45 o'clock the court house will be packed with men and women of Pitt county. At this Mass Meeting no funds whatsoever will be asked for, as the meeting is solely for the purpose of giving the citizens of Pitt the opportunity of hearing Mr. Burnett, a man from the "front line", and who is well able to give first hand information concerning our soldiers in camp, "somewhere in France," together with their work and needs. The question to be answered is: Are you, men and women of Pitt county, interested in your boys at the front? If you are you will be in the court house tonight promptly at 7:45 o'clock to hear Mr. Burnett.

No subscription whatever will be asked at this meeting; let this be understood. The campaign to raise Pitt county's appropriation of \$5,000.00 will be started tomorrow throughout the whole of the county by committees in each town.

GERMANS WILL HAVE NO EXCUSE DESTROYING VIENNA BUILDINGS

ROME. Steps are being taken to remove every informed man from Vienna to prevent the Germans, should they be any chance reach the city, no excuse for destroying the historic buildings.

The Austrians opposite the city are now awaiting developments. Rome is now confident that the Italian lines will hold despite the menace to their flank movement from Asiago.

The enemy are now bringing up big guns apparently for drive towards Trieste.

SHORTER WORK DAYS DISCUSSED

BUFFALO—The discussion of shorter work days, working conditions and disputes among the trades and also arbitration with the employees is being discussed by the Federation of Labor Unions in session here.

Samuel Compers delivered his address which outlined the work of the past year.

Following a warning by Secretary Brown that the strike at Quincey was causing the work on the government departments at the plant there and that it must be settled quickly, the heads of the different trades have wired President Wilson asking for a conference for the purpose of discussing the government work conditions.

There seems to be no organized opposition to Compers, if so, it has not been developed.

GALLIC TAKEN BY ITALIANS

WASHINGTON—Cables indicate that the entire Italian defense line has been stiffened.

Marshal Borelli has left for Paris to represent Italy at the Inter-allied conference. Gallie has been taken by the Italians in a furious bayonet assault.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Register of Deeds Gaskins tells the Daily News that for the year ending December 31, 1916 he issued 492 marriage licenses, and from that date to November 13, which is today, he has issued 518 marriage licenses.

Judge Calvert A Dispatcher of Business

His Honor, Judge Calvert, is a rapid dispatcher of business and under his guidance many cases on the docket for trial at this term of the Superior court have been dispensed with. The following business was transacted on yesterday afternoon and today:

Messrs. Albion Dunn and J. Loyd Horton were appointed by the court to assist Solicitor C. L. Abernethy, who is absent.

State v Benjamin Tyson, Larceny. Defendant pleads guilty. Prayer for judgment continued for 12 months upon the payment of cost and he making his appearance at each term of this court and show that he has been of good behavior and has remained with J. D. Smith and sister Mrs. Mary Jackson and been faithful to their demands.

State v Andrew Harris. Attempt to commit Rape. Defendant waives bill and pleads guilty of simple assault. Ordered that the defendant pay the cost and the prayer for judgment be continued for two years conditioned upon his good behavior and that the defendant shall move out of the community where he now lives.

State v Jack Smith, C. C. W. Defendant pleads guilty. Jury returns a verdict of guilty. Prayer for judgment continued until a fine of \$50 and cost is paid.

State v John Evans. Obstructing Public Highway. Defendant pleads not guilty. Pending trial of this case the court directs a verdict of not guilty and a juror is withdrawn.

State v Noah Hardee. Selling liquor. Defendant pleads not guilty. This defendant was indicted in two cases for the same offense. In one case he was sentenced to a term of 12 months at the County Home and in the other to 6 months in the County Home.

State v Ed Perry. Assault on a woman. Defendant enters a plea of assault. Judgment of the court was that he serve a term of six days on the County Roads.

To The Hon. Thos. Calvert:

The undersigned respectfully showeth to the court that he has examined the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court and finds the records and office well kept. Respectfully submitted.

Chas. L. Abernethy, Solicitor.

Approved Nov. 13, 1917.

T. H. Calvert, Judge.

16 Reasons For The War Relief

The Y. M. C. A. War Work Council has advanced the following sixteen reasons why the work of the association should be kept up in the army camps and also at the naval training camps.

The campaign is nation-wide, the amount to be raised is \$35,000,000, which is apportioned among the several states. The allotment for North Carolina is \$200,000 and for Pitt county \$5,000.

Following are the sixteen reasons:

"It is the agent of the people whereby they may reach the soldiers in a definite way with a definite program.

"Moral efficiency is as necessary to the strength and success of the army as military efficiency and the Y. M. C. A. fosters the moral side.

"It has the official sanction of the government.

"It is interested in the whole of the soldier—body, mind, spirit. It reaches the men through carefully planned social, educational, physical and religious departments.

"It is the church at work in the camp. The federal council of the church in America has said that the Y. M. C. A. is the church expressing itself in the army camps, on the battlefields and in the trenches.

"The red triangle precedes the soldier as he goes to the rifle range; on a hike the triangle is in advance with tent and equipment; in the trench dugouts are provided for the soldier's comfort.

"It is not seeking power but is rendering unselfish service.

"It knows how to give the soldier what he needs and most—next.

"Helps men to live the white Bible standard life and to return to their homes better than they left them, thus becoming an asset rather than a liability to the community.

"Every secretary is a specialist and consecrated to the winning of men to a definite knowledge of Christ as a personal Savior.

"It is connecting link between the camp and home.

"It has been signally approved of God in its labors.

"Stands definitely and potently in opposition to the evils existing inside and outside the camp.

"Our allies are asking for the Y. M. C. A. in their camps.

"In order to make the strongest appeal to the men whom it serves it is necessary that the Y. M. C. A. be financed by the free voluntary and intelligent giving of Christian citizens rather than by government appropriation.

"It goes out to do the finest piece of Christian service that the world has ever seen."

Reno Viviani May Be Premier

PARIS—Reno Viviani, former Premier and Minister of Justice, is now regarded as a likely successor to Poincaré as Premier.

Property Transfers

The following Deeds of Transfer were filed in the Register of Deeds office to day for registration.

E. M. Cox to D. T. Cox, Winterville township, consideration \$2000.

D. T. Cox to E. N. Cox, Winterville township, consideration \$3000.

W. H. Roberson and wife to L. E. Turnage, Ayden township, consideration \$650.

Jno. A. Staton and wife to E. O. Burroughs, Bethel township, consideration \$300.

G. E. Moore and wife to T. M. Daill, Farmville township, consideration \$2500.

J. H. Cobb and wife to H. C. Kinsland, Beaver Dam township, consideration \$7000.

L. C. Arthur and wife to H. L. Fornes, Greenville township, consideration \$10.

Marriage Licenses

The following marriage license were issued today:

Ed. Redman to Sallie Thigpen, Belvoir township and Jessie Knox to Elizabeth Marble, Winterville, both colored.

The air with ours. That is why we airmen of France know that victory is assured."

AIR FIGHTER FOR FRANCE



Lieut. E. Reno, attached to the French aviation division, is credited with bringing down three German airplanes somewhere within the firing lines. The photograph was made at an Atlantic seaport on his arrival.

Evans Street School Shows Fine Spirit of Co-Operation

Booze Lovers Must Have a Certificate

The lovers of "booze" in Greenville and also elsewhere, beginning tomorrow, November 15, will have a hard time getting their usual allowance unless by chance his physician makes out before a notary that his patient must have it for medical use. The local Express office here has received the following order from E. H. Williams, the vice president of the company.

The order says: On and after the 15th day of November, 1917, no interstate shipments of intoxicating liquors will be delivered by this company to individuals for medical purposes, except as hereinafter provided. Before delivery of such intoxicating liquors to individuals for medical purposes, the consignee must produce an affidavit of a practicing physician, reading as follows: State of _____ County of _____

Before me the undersigned Notary Public, in and for said county, personally appeared _____ who being by me duly sworn, depose and saith on oath that he is a practicing physician residing in _____ county, that he knows from professional examination that _____ of _____ needs for medical purposes for himself or for a member of his family (wine, whiskey, alcohol, beer and that the undersigned has so subscribed on the _____ day of _____, Sworn to and subscribed before me, _____ N. P. This does not effect deliveries to physicians and druggists nor for sacramental purposes.

Forwarded yesterday to State Food Administrator 153 pledge cards as result of work done by the teachers and children. Charlotte man offers a \$50 prize on best article on Food Conservation. Someone in Pitt County ought to win.

The Evans Street Graded School forwarded to the State Federal Food Administrator on yesterday (153) cards as result of the work done by the teachers and children of that school in co-operating with the County Federal Food Administration. There are 425 children in this school, and about (142) cards is the highest ratio yet for this county, and as high as has been reported from any other section of the State.

This is in keeping with the fine spirit of the Greenville Evans Street School. The little folks with the co-operation of teachers and parents have put themselves in line with the full purpose and opportunity of the Campaign. It shows that the teachers are fully in sympathy with the Government and the great struggle, and it shows that the homes of Greenville are responding to the call. Every country that has entered this war so far has reached and is approaching a crisis. We cannot foresee in exactly what shape that crisis will assume in our country, but the spirit manifested by

the schools in Pitt county prove that nothing will be left undone.

A new opportunity has been given to the children and other people of this county to compete for a \$50 Liberty Loan Bond offered by Mr. J. B. Ivey of Charlotte. The announcement, of which is shown at the bottom of this article, it is a new opportunity for the people to study this subject of Food Conservation. There are many ways in which our people may serve their Government, but the urgent demand upon them is in Food Conservation. The recital of what the schools so far have done in this campaign is but an evidence of what they can do with parents and teachers co-operating. By encouragement this prize may be brought to some girl in Pitt county.

(Mr. J. B. Ivey of Charlotte State Merchants Representative in co-operation with the Food Administration, has offered a prize of \$50 Liberty Loan to the North Carolinian who submits to him by December 1st the best article on Food Conservation. This article must be limited to the foolscap page of typewritten matter.)

UNITED STATES EXPLAINS PACT

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON—The authorities in explaining why China was not consulted by the United States Japan Pact was for fear that it would be delayed. The pact was altruistic and in no way affects China adversely.

It is reiterated that China's protest was based on her ability to recognize the Japanese special interest. According to the authorities this special interest is based on propinquity to the weaker neighbor which recognizes the doctrine of international law.

WILSON BACK TO CAPITAL

(By United Press)

WASHINGTON—The President and his party are back from their trip to Buffalo. The chief executive was enthusiastically greeted all along the route and he shook hands with everybody in reach at the different stops.

President Wilson was aroused last night to greet the train crew, which never before in their twenty years of service, have had the honor of carrying a president.

No Prayer Meeting

The congregations of Greenville will please take notice that there will be no services in the following churches tonight: Methodist, Presbyterian, Christian, Memorial Baptist, Episcopal, Immanuel Baptist. The pastors urge their congregations to attend the Mass Meeting to be held in the Court House. Signed—J. M. Daniel, S. K. Phillips, J. J. Walker, W. H. Moore, G. P. Hill and John E. Ayscue.

To Attend Funeral

Dr. Z. B. Spence of Goldsboro and Mr. L. S. Spence of Hidianapolis, Ind., are here to attend the funeral of their brother's son Elnor Hardy Spence, which takes place tomorrow afternoon.

Citizen Indisposed

The friends of Mr. John S. Smith, who resides on Greene street, will regret to learn of his indisposition and his speed recovery is wished for.

EXUM MOORE COL. FOUND DEAD IN THE WOODS NEAR FARMVILLE

Exum Moore, colored, was found dead in the woods near Fountain, N. C., yesterday afternoon, by a negro who was engaged in hauling a load of lightwood. Moore has been missing from that section since October 20. The body when found was badly decomposed.

Officers S. Everett and J. H. Killiber, of Fountain, attempted arrest Moore who was charged with obtaining money under false pretense and also threatening a man's life. Moore resisted arrest and pulled his gun and fired on the officers. They returned the fire, the result being that the negro was struck three times, the balls taking effect in the abdomen and breast. The surmise is that he sought refuge in the woods where he died.

Coroner S. G. Wilkinson of Greenville, was notified of the finding of the body and he went to Fountain this morning where he conducted an inquest. The verdict of the jury was, that the deceased came to his death by pistol balls inflicted by the officers. The jury also exonerated the officers as to any blame for the shooting, stating that their act was justifiable.

Kerensky Holds the Heins Now In Petrograd Says Stockholm

(By The United Press)

LONDON—The best information received from Stockholm says that Kerensky is now in complete control at Petrograd. That he entered the city supported by the Maximalist troops. He quickly seized the communication lines which reported his arrest.

The disintegrated garrison at Petrograd is deserting by the wholesale due to the victorious provisional side.

STOCKHOLM—Kerensky has been arrested in Petrograd according to dispatches from Haparanda, which were received by the Swedish Telegraph Agency. Details were given in a previous delayed dispatch are now contradicted.

The last dispatch stated "Kerensky has entered Petrograd and he was arrested in the city."

It is not known whether he is leading his troops or not.

LONDON—A late Stockholm dispatch quotes the Finnish news bureau to the effect that Kerensky has returned to Petrograd and now controls all the telegraph wires, declares travelers from Russia. It is reported that Murad has been destroyed by the Cossacks and that the Petrograd Garrison is destroying the Bolsheviks.

The Germans Gained Advantage But Are Unable to Reach Venice

(By The United Press)

LONDON—Germans gained the first advantage in their jockeying in the preliminary Piave battle, but the forces were pinned to the right bank of the stream at Zenson by the powerful Italian counters, so they were unable to advance to Venice which is 22 miles from the point where the Huns crossed.

The Germans advanced slightly on the Italian left wing in the mountains, but their efforts to make a flank movement were blocked.

CANADA LIFTS BAN ON OLEOMARGARINE

(By The United Press)

OTTAWA—Beginning today oleomargarine may be manufactured and sold in Canada and imported free of duty under a licensing system worked out by the food controller.

White's Theatre

TONIGHT
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