

YESTERDAY WAS GREAT DAY RELIGIOUSLY IN GREENVILLE, FORM LAW AND ORDER LEAGUE

Yesterday was a very full day in the religious life of the town. The Jarvis Memorial Methodist church, five services featured the day, beginning with a special talk to the Sunday school by Mr. Patten, and winding up with a largely attended and deeply interesting service last night. In between came the regular eleven o'clock preaching service, and meetings for men and women in the Christian and Methodist church in the afternoon. The meeting is rapidly taking on an interdenominational character. The other ministers of the town are working in the closest harmony with Mr. Patten, and their members are attending and assisting in the services. Mr. Phillips of the Presbyterian church preached to the men yesterday afternoon, and the pastors of the Baptist and Christian churches also participated in the service. The Christian church closed its doors last night, and pastor and people worshipped with the Methodists. Mr. Saddler will preach at the afternoon service today. Mr. Phillips preached a strong sermon yesterday afternoon on "Thy Kingdom Come," and told the large crowd of men present some of the things they were doing to hold the kingdom back. Mr. Patten followed with a clear and frank statement as to local conditions and the other ministers present had something to say. The result was that those present resolved themselves into a law and order league, determined on a clean Greenville, at the same time the women were meeting at the Methodist church, under the leadership of Mrs. W. E. Hook-

er, discussing problems concerning the young life of the town. Mr. Patten preached two earnest sermons to large congregations, in addition to his Sunday school talk. In the morning he talked more directly to the Christians, about the power of their example in the home and in the community, and put heavily upon their souls their personal responsibility for the salvation of those about them. In the evening he used Jeremiah's story of the potter and the marred vessel as the basis of a strong appeal: first that the life should be kept from being marred, by yielding to God in youth, but, failing in that, that in manhood and womanhood the life should be submitted to God in order that He might still make something worth while out of it. The meeting last night was attended by another overflow congregation, most of whom were stirred to the depths by the evident earnestness and devotion in the appeals made by the minister. There was a seriousness over the congregation that has not been seen before, and many took a positive stand for a better life. There will be the regular services each day this week, at four and seven-thirty. Tonight there is a special invitation to those who are not church members. They are asked to make up a large part of the congregation. Tomorrow night the Sunday school teachers and their pupils will sit together. Wednesday will be father and son night. Thursday evening the officials of the church will occupy special seats, and Friday evening the Boy Scouts and the Camp Fire Girls will attend in a body.

CITIZEN SUGGESTS N. O. WARREN FOR NEXT MAYOR OF GREENVILLE

Mr. Editor: I rise to ask where is the public spirit of our town, and where are the thanks and appreciation of our citizens? After our heavenly Father was so merciful and good as to give us a beautiful and prosperous town, is it possible that not one of our business men will condescend to accept the leadership, when it would be handed to him on a silver platter? God seeing the indifference and carelessness of his people do you believe He will let us continue to prosper under such conditions? I do not. He condemned the slothful servant, while He commended the ones who made their talent count, and placed them heads of great cities. Again, He taught sacrifice; and what do the people who are qualified to more than the slothful servant did? Now, what are our people doing for the town and whom have made great business for themselves say when approached as to the mayorship? Invariably they say I can not sacrifice my time, there is nothing in the office and my time is too precious to waste. We had a capable man, who held the office as mayor for four years, with great business tact and honor, but alas! he too, could not sacrifice his time any longer. Why in the world doesn't the board of aldermen raise the salary of the mayor to where it will be interesting to the business men and property owners to enter the race? And some people, Mr. Editor, have the most peculiar ideas at all! I was talking to a man on the street about Mr. Dunn retiring from the race, and this was his remark: Well, Col. Dunn made a good mayor but he has had it long enough; no man should hold of-

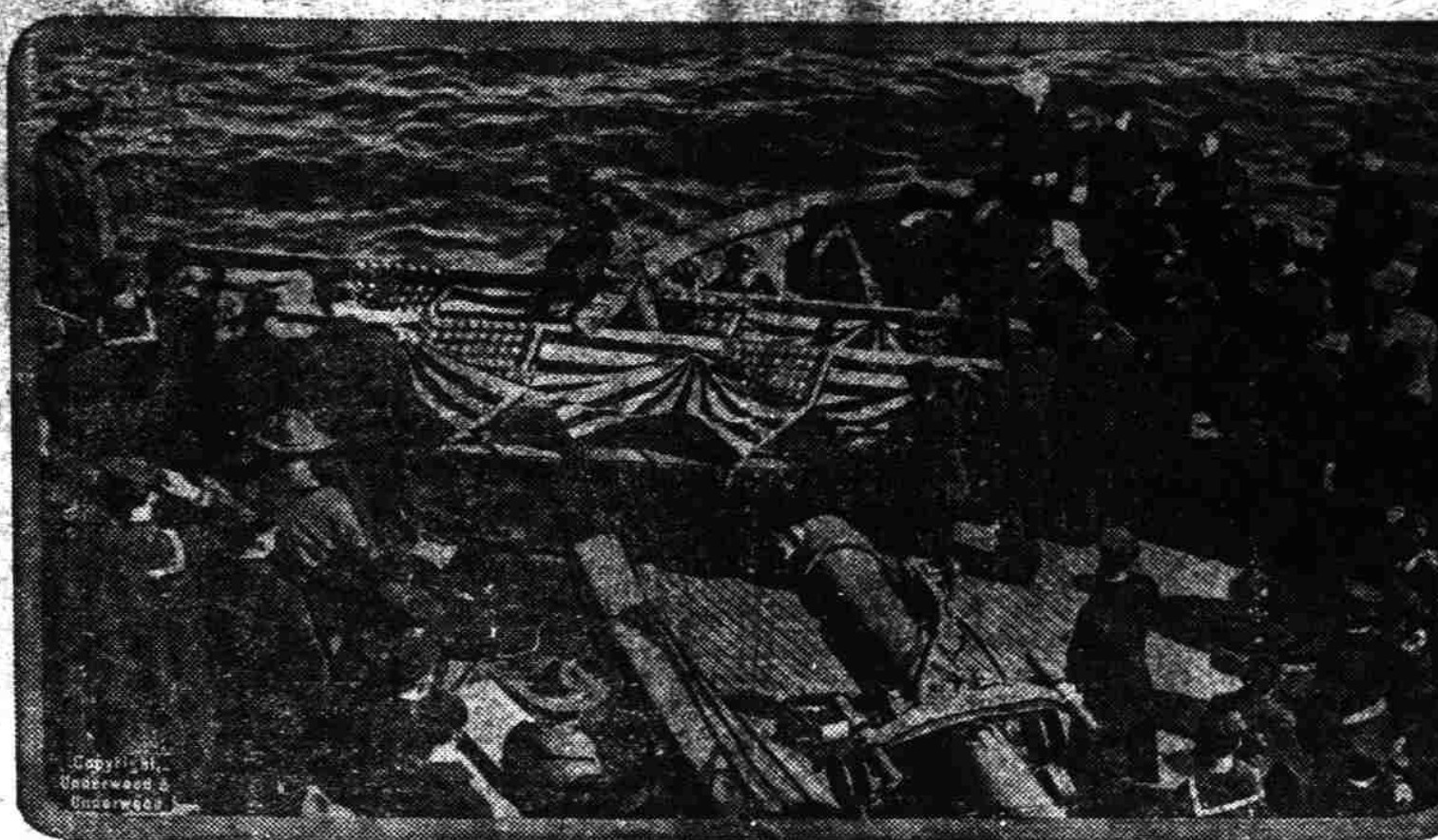
ice more than four years. Well, I asked that gentleman these questions: Did you vote for Small? His answer was, Yes. Now, Small has been in office for 22 years, I think. I again asked: Did you vote for Wilson's second term? He said, Yes. Well, I said that makes two terms that's 8 years. I went further. I said: Did you not try all in your power to keep Mr. Shore as your pastor? He said: Yes. Well, I said, why should you discriminate. I then said: Well, why are you against Dunn? He said he was for a wide open Sunday, that's all. Well, said I, the candidate that you advocate, I am told went into a Syrian cafe Sunday morning and solicited his vote telling the Syrian he was like Col. Dunn; he was for wide open Sunday, too. I said now what are you going to do about that? He said: Did you hear him say it? I said: No. He said: Well, I'll bet he did not say so. Well, I said: Suppose our town should be represented in some big city, which would you have to represent us, Col. Dunn or your candidate? He said: Rice, you talk foolish, I rather Dunn because he has more experience. I saw I had him whipped. Then I said: Col. Dunn would stand before that great body with the look of a statesman pouring forth words of wisdom with the oratory of our beloved Zebulon B. Vance or Chas. B. Aycock, while your little candidate would be sitting in some corner shaking like a sick kitten on a frosty morning, and if he did venture to say a word he would stammer and sputter until he got everything into a laugh and muddle. But, Mr. Editor, I see that the wish of the town seems to be for a layman. Now, I am going to call to duty one who has been tried and his ability proven, and everyone will say hallelujah, amen. That man is N. O. Warren. Yours truly, W. L. RICE.

MISCELLANEOUS PARTY
There will be given a miscellaneous party at the Sheimerdine school on next Thursday night, March 13th. Everybody is cordially invited to be present and the young ladies are asked to bring baskets.

NEW ARRIVALS
DOLMAN CAPES
DOLMAN COATS
SPRING SUITS
WOOL SWEATERS
SILK SWEATERS
WOOL SLIP-ONS
(ROSE MIDDY SUITS SPECIAL VALUE \$8)
GEORGETTE AND TAFFETA DRESSES.
LET US SHOW YOU.
CLAUDE TUNSTALL.

35 Are Injured Resulting From R. R. Collision
(By United Press)
Toledo.—Thirty-five persons were injured, none however, fatally, it is believed when the Toledo Bowling Green and Southern Traction car southbound, collided with the Clover Leaf passenger train at the crossing in Tanner, nine miles south of here last night at eight o'clock.

PRESIDENT WILSON LANDING AT BOSTON



President and Mrs. Wilson coming ashore from the cutter Ossipee which met the S. S. George Washington in Boston harbor.

Lieut. J. C. Taylor of U. S. Navy Here for a Few Days

Lieut. (M. C.) J. C. Taylor, United States Navy senior medical officer of the U. S. S. Plattsburg, a troop transport, is here visiting his parents at 503 East 8th street. Lieut. Taylor has been engaged in the troop transport service for the past eleven months. He arrived in New York on the 8th inst., with 1,500 soldiers and 500 wounded and sick from Liverpool, England, and Brest. He has crossed the Atlantic ocean twelve times in this service and the English channel four times. In a conversation with a Daily News man this morning Lieut. Taylor stated that the United States navy is now doing its utmost to rush the boys back home. Fifty new transports (United States), he said, are being placed in commission to speed up this work. This will make over one hundred in the service which should easily bring back 250,000 a month when all of the transports are running and in good condition.

A CLEANER CITY DEMANDED BY MEN'S MASS MEETING SUNDAY

From the handwriting on the wall there is going to be a genuine old-fashioned house-cleaning in Greenville and it is not going to log off, judging by what was done at the men's meeting held in the Christian church Sunday afternoon. The auditorium was filled with citizens representing all walks of life, there for a purpose and it looks as if this purpose is going to bear fruit here at no distant day. These citizens want a cleaner Greenville and they are going to have it if within their power. After hearing a soul stirring sermon by the Rev. S. K. Phillips, Rev. Mr. Patten made a talk referring to local conditions in Greenville. The other pastors of the city spoke along the same line. Quite a number of the citizens present spoke and all agreed that something has got to be done to purify the community and have a better town in which to live and rear their children. Enthusiasm for a purer town reigned supreme. A law and order league was formed right on the spot with between seventy-five and one hundred members. The following officers were elected: President, G. E. Harris; vice president, W. E. Hooker; secretary and treasurer, B. W. Moseley. Not only were local conditions discussed, viz: blind tigers, etc., but the question of next mayor for Greenville was one of the main items wrestled with. The league is determined upon having a candidate for next mayor that will do things, will see to it that the law is enforced and that good order prevails. Whether the league purposes to bring out a candidate for mayor is not known, suffice it to say that propose to have a clean town though the elements fall and for this purpose and with this aim they have banded themselves together. The meeting yesterday is being discussed from all viewpoints today by the citizens on the streets, in the shops and stores. The outcome of yesterday's meeting of the men is awaited with interest for the mean business.

Conviction of Debs Confirmed by U. S. Court

(By United Press.)
Washington.—The United States supreme court affirms the conviction of Eugene V. Debs, former Socialist candidate for President. He was found guilty of the espionage act for a speech delivered in Canton, Ohio. At the same time the court upheld the espionage act. Debs claims that it violates the constitutional rights of free speech.

Quart Whiskey Turned Out to be India Molasses

One of Greenville's citizens is now a sadder but wiser man; that is to say, in the future he will be more particular when he orders a "little for his stomach's sake". He ordered whiskey but when it arrived it was pure West India molasses and just to think, he shelled out \$2.35 for it, two dollars for the booze and thirty-five cents express. This citizen has been slightly under the weather for some days and his physician prescribed a little stimulant and so convinced was the doctor that it was essential in his case that he signed the certificate for his patient to order the liquor. The patient did so and had been anticipating a time like those he used to have in the days of Auld Lang Syne when the quart arrived. Last week the said quart turned up in Greenville and to the express office. It did not remain there, however, many minutes for the patient was right on his job and went hurriedly to the express office with his thirty-five cents and his prescription. He entered the express office with a smile but this was changed quickly to one of scorn and disgust for upon opening the package instead of liquor it was molasses, and it was a poor brand of molasses at that. Parties wishing a little sweetening for their coffee would do well to consult him for he is anxious to get his money back.

UNITED STATES POURING FOOD INTO COUNTRIES OF EUROPE

(By United Press)
Washington.—The United States is now pouring two hundred and fifty thousand tons of food into Poland, Jugoslavia, including Serbia, Rumania, Czechoslovakia and Armenia in the near east. The food administration states that Herbert Hoover is now directing this week under one hundred million dollars food relief bill. Food is being shipped through the straits of Gibraltar to Mediterranean points and through the English channel to Rotterdam.

Modern Bakery is Now Assured for Greenville

Greenville is to have a modern bakery at last. Mr. J. W. Massey, who is engaged in the bakery business in Ayden has decided to come to Greenville and open up a business here. This fact was intimated through the columns of this paper some time ago and no doubt it will be pleasing news to the readers to learn that a bakery is now an assured fact. Mr. Massey will open in the building formerly occupied by Mr. Herbert on Dickinson avenue. He is now busily engaged in cleaning up things and getting in shape. He has the best wishes of all for success.

GOES TO GRIMESLAND

William Bagwell leaves this week for Grimesland, N. C., where he expects to go into business. He expects to enter the automobile business there and the style of his concern will be the Grimesland Motor Co. For some time Mr. Bagwell has been connected with the Dail-Overland Co. He has the best wishes of his friends in his new home.

START THE NEW YEAR RIGHT—WITH A SUBSCRIPTION TO THE DAILY NEWS—DO IT NOW.

CROWDER WILL INVESTIGATE COURT MARTIALS DURING THE WAR HE INFORMS SEC. BAKER

(By United Press)
Washington.—The investigation of court martial during the war has been ordered by Judge Advocate General Crowder. In a letter to Secretary of War Baker General Crowder stated that the Inspector General of the army will proceed with the work immediately. General Crowder defended the system of court martial in referring to the charges of cruelty made recently by Brigadier General Ansell who for a time was acting Judge Advocate General. The army officers are taken from all walks of life says Crowder and they administer justice during the war with the penalties which are authorized by congress.

Lieut. Brankley Writes Back Home From Overseas

Gracey St. Office, Dept. Cote Div. France, Feb. 16, 1919.
My Dear Mrs. Clark: Be careful don't lose slip enclosed in this letter for you will be proud of it after having read it! Sometime ago an order came down from division headquarters containing the names of officers and men cited for bravery and having heard of Ollie's actions under fire I was sure his name was on the list. Today I managed to get my hands on one of them to see if Ollie was given what he deserved and in it I found what I'm enclosing to you. Of course you will be proud and the proudest little woman in Greenville and you have every right to be. This is the clipping enclosed: Sergeant Ollie F. Clark, Co. G., 4th Precursor Battalion in action, during an advance near Hermville, November 11, 1918, was advancing on machine gun nest and was severely wounded in the arm. However, he kept on fighting and refused to go to the rear until ordered to do so by his lieutenant, instilling great courage in his section. Since Ollie's entry in the army have watched his rise with a great deal of interest for I knew that if given the chance he would make good and no doubt had the war continued he would have received a commission which he deserved. I last saw Ollie at Chatel. Sure missed him when he was in the Verdun front; he was in the best of spirits and when I learned of his wounds 'twas with the deepest regret. Eke now I hope he is back with you and I know you are the proudest of all the women around there. If he is there ask him to speak to my wife and tell her just how I looked when he saw me last. Congratulations to you both. The next time I see him my hat comes off, for he is a real man. Respectfully yours, JAMES F. BRINKLEY, Jr., 2nd Lt. 323 Inf.

President is Suffering From a Slight Cold

(By United Press)
Washington.—George Washington, President Wilson is suffering from a slight cold, but Rear Admiral Grayson said that it was not serious. The President has received a great quantity of wireless messages from Paris detailing the progress of the peace work. It is announced that the President will go direct from Brest to Paris and get into immediate touch with Secretary Lansing, Colonel House and other members of the American delegation.

Big Leaguers Are Leaving for New Orleans

(By United Press)
Cleveland.—The first of the big leaguers to leave for the southland leave here today. The Cleveland Indians with pitchers and catchers in charge of Lee Fohl are due to arrive in New Orleans Wednesday.

Fighting Reported Still Going on in City of Berlin

(By United Press)
Berlin.—The revolution appears to be beyond the control of its leaders. Although the general strike was officially called off yesterday afternoon following a compromise agreement with the government, fighting is still going on in several parts of the city.

WAR COUNCIL'S NEW PROGRAM MAY BE READILY ACCEPTED

(By United Press)
Paris.—The supreme economic commission is expected to resume its conference with the Germans at Brussels immediately. The new program which has been napped out by the supreme war council will, it is believed, be readily accepted by the enemy. The first is a partial removal of the economic blockade permitting Germany to export such commodities as coal and potash. Second, the establishment of neutral credits by Germany. Third, use of Germany's gold reserve if the money raised by other means falls short of the amount needed. This program constitutes no back down by the allies. It fits completely with the additional terms included in the armistice during January.

American People Are Responding Wilson's Appeal

(By United Press)
Washington.—The American people are responding eagerly to President Wilson's invitation to discuss the League of Nations. While controversies over war policies drew a tremendous number of letters nothing in the memory of congress has equalled the present avalanche of mail to their offices. The senators are simply unable to read half of the mail addresses to them on the subject they stated today, but what letters have been read show one thing clearly: the country has already realized the vast importance of the question.

THE LAST CALL

If you want "O. Henry" at the special bargain price—12 cloth bound, gilt tops, illustrated volumes, \$12, \$1 with order and \$1 a month; from March date. Your order not later than March 10th, and mail immediately to J. T. Now-worthy, The Yarrowood, Raleigh, N. C. 3 10 3c

CASE OF SMALLPOX

The county health officer today reports a case of smallpox in Greenville. The victim is William Reddick, colored, and he resides on Short street.

SPRING DISPLAY

Mrs. I. P. Lee announces her first opening of spring millinery for Wednesday, March 12th at which time the latest creations in Pattern hats and also untrimmied shawls and the latest novelties will be shown for your approval. The ladies are cordially invited to be present. 3 10 1c

CITON MARKET

(Reported by Speight & Co.)
New York Futures, Negt Contracts

	Opening	Closing
May	23.10	23.15
July	22.25	22.42
October	21.15	21.02

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