

Greenville News

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WANTS EXTRA SESSION CALLED OF ASSEMBLY TO CORRECT ERROR

Which Makes the 1921 Municipal Finance Act Unconstitutional — Some of the Cities and Towns Have Already Voted to Petition Governor Morrison to Get the Legislature into Extraordinary Session—No State Public Welfare Officer Yet Named.

Raleigh, June 8.—A conference of North Carolina citizens has been called by Governor Cameron Morrison between the races in this State.

The governor has written letters to several score prominent and influential citizens of the State urging that they attend the meeting which is to be held at noon in the Yarrowborough Hotel.

"I am calling a conference of white citizens," Governor Morrison writes, "to meet at Raleigh in the Yarrowborough Hotel at 12:30 p. m., June 28 to consider ways and means of preserving and extending the friendly relations now existing between the races in North Carolina and of raising the standard of living and increasing the efficiency and contentment of our negro population."

More definite information relating to the proposed conference will be announced later. The governor is understood to have consented to issuing the call since it had been rumored in certain quarters that he was unfriendly to the negro race.

Teachers in the public schools who do not have sufficient credits for a State certificate are urged to take advantage of the opportunity to prepare to meet the requirements by attending one of the summer schools to be held this year.

Struggling municipalities are to make a strong appeal to Governor Morrison to call an extra session of the General Assembly to correct the error which makes the 1921 municipal finance act unconstitutional.

As has been indicated in this correspondence Governor Morrison must have a change of heart since his inclination have been against an extra session. The change of heart is necessary before the call can be issued to bring about the change of heart the governor must be convinced that the municipalities cannot weather the two year's term without help from the legislature.

Mrs. Clarence Johnson of Raleigh is the latest possible candidate for the position of State superintendent of public welfare according to a report about the capital today.

PROGRAM OF WORK HAS BEEN STARTED

For the Current Year of the Chamber of Commerce—First Meeting Last Night

The series of group meetings of the members of the Pitt County Chamber of Commerce that will determine the program of work for the current year have been started.

Chamber of Commerce offices 4:00 p. m., W. L. Best, chairman. Chamber of Commerce offices 5:00 p. m., J. H. Blount, chairman. Mayor's office, city hall 5:00 p. m., E. E. Williams, chairman.

Directors' Room, Farmers Bank 3:00 p. m., P. L. Clodfelter, chairman. With the completion of this series of meetings tonight the work of compiling the program will be started.

PETTICOAT GOV. SUITS JACKSON

After Giving it a Year's Trial—State of Wyoming Had the First Woman Jury.

Jackson, Wyo., June 8.—Jackson, after a year's trial of petticoat government, has found it good. Half a century ago the first jury of women to be impaneled in the United States was drawn in Wyoming and twenty years later Wyoming insisted, and won its point, that it be admitted to the Union without one single change in its constitutional provision giving women equal suffrage rights with men.

For mayor: Mrs. Grace Miller, 57; L. W. Spicer, 21. For council men: Mrs. Genevieve Van Vleck, 67; G. E. Blaine, 19; Mrs. Faustina Haight, 66; Almer Nelson, 18.

Just a year ago this picturesque little western town, with a population of 526 by the latest census, nestling beneath the beetling peaks of the Giant Teton in the heart of the famed Jackson's Hole country, started the nation by turning out its man-made administration and installing a town government made up entirely of women.

The exact issue in the campaign a year ago is a matter for argument but whatever it was the women won decisively. This year it was the same thing over, a three to one landslide.

TWO NEW MEMBERS OF ROTARY CLUB

Judson Blount and D. D. Overton Shown the Mysteries of the Club Last Evening.

Judson Blount and Dollie Overton are the latest additions to the Greenville Rotary Club. No two candidates ever rode the goat more artistically. The candidates were willing to try everything that President J. B. said and for once no two candidates can complain of being sore after their varied stunts through which they were put last night.

After being adorned with hib, bottles, etc., they were told to eat everything in sight, drink everything in sight and then to talk about everything in sight. They proved to be obedient candidates.

It was announced that District Governor Joe Turner would be the guest of the club at its next meeting. Much business of importance was transacted. No get-together was more enjoyed. It was truly a Greenville meeting.

DEMPSEY WOOD IS DEAD, WELL KNOWN

Expired Suddenly on N. S. Train En Route from this City to New Bern.

Kinston was shocked yesterday morning to learn that Dempsey Wood, prominent and respected townsman, had died suddenly on the Norfolk Southern train between the city and Caswell, while enroute to New Bern with friends on a fishing trip.

The funeral services will be conducted today at 4 o'clock, and the remains will rest in the LaGrange cemetery.

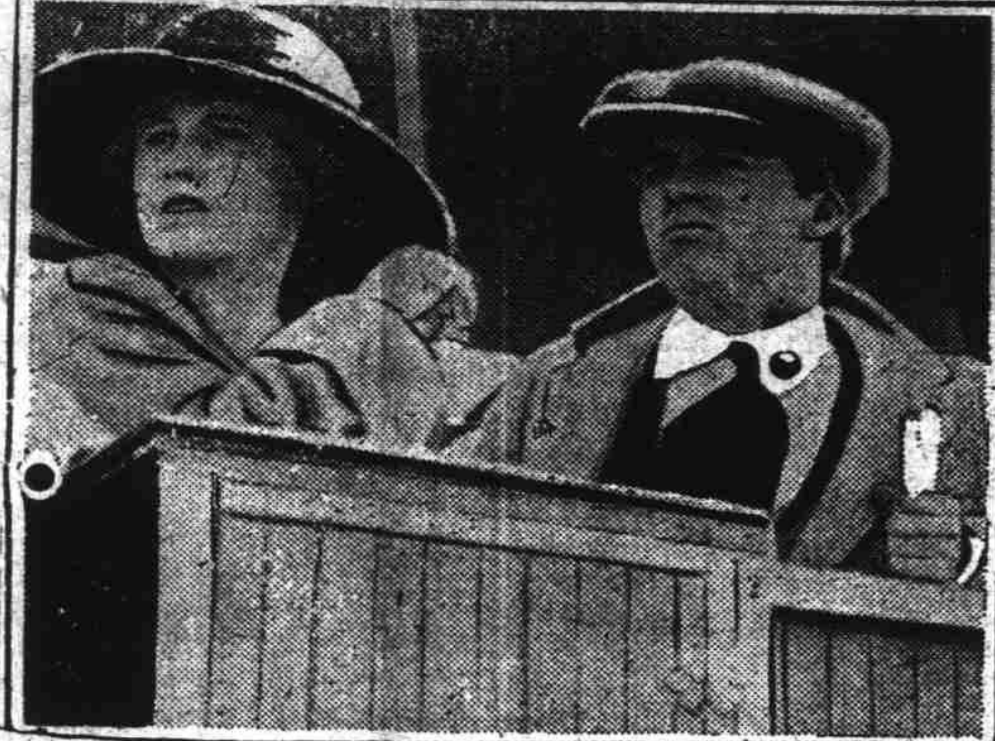
Surviving Mr. Wood are the following daughters and sons: Mrs. W. S. Dail of Greenville; Mrs. E. C. Hodges Kinston; Mrs. E. T. Moseley, Kinston, and Eugene Wood, Kinston.—Kinston Daily News.

Buy Them Now.

Buy your Chautauqua tickets now. \$2.50 for adults for the season, 12 entertainments, \$1.00 for Junior tickets. Boys and girls get ready. Best play ever this year. Junior Holidays, Clown, Turkey Witches, Santa Claus, George Washington, and even Miss Chautauqua has a birthday.

Rev. Leland W. Smith of the Memorial Baptist Church yesterday for Am returned the latter

CHARLIE AND MAY AT RACES



This picture was snapped at the recent motorcycle races Los Angeles. Charlie Chaplin and May Collins are intently watching the riders. Many others in the crowd were more interested in the famous movie pair. For rumor says they're engaged.

Everything in Readiness For Opening Games of the Eastern Carolina League

NEW HEALTH GOSPEL NOW IN TURKEY

That Man is Not One But Three and These Must Be in Harmony—From Middle East.

Constantinople, June 8.—A new gospel of health, that man is not one but three, and that he cannot function fully until his three personalities are in harmony, has come here from the Middle East on the tide of Russian and other refugees from those countries.

This gospel is proclaimed by a small, dark man of mystery, a Greek Tartar, G. I. Gurdjieff. He has contributed to the meager intellectual life of the city a new throb.

The outward and primary form of his teachings begins with dances borrowed from the Mosques of Persia and the temples of India. He puts some of his patients on bread and water for months at a time but requires them, all the while to carry on the most violent exercises which conform to the music of a piano.

Gurdjieff's teachings have some similarity with the ancient Greek conceptions of the development of mental force and bodily grace and cativity.

He is persuaded that his teachings will change the art of living. He has gathered about him a group of converts who say they are going to the United States. He says that he was taught by Russian physicians and psychologists.

"In harmony there is health," declared Gurdjieff. "The western world of medicine and psychology has never grasped the truth that man is not controlled by one personality, but by three, and when these three are not in harmony a man says he is 'sick.' A sick man, a man with that tired feeling, is like a horse and carriage without a driver. The man is not master of himself."

"Civilization has led man away from himself, physically and spiritually. Too much use of the head has deharmonized him. Man is composed of three parts, just like a machine. One part thinks, one feels, and one eats and sleeps. If man thinks too much, or eats too much, or sleeps too much, he falls ill."

Little Bruin Says



Partly cloudy tonight and Thursday. Little change in temperature.

FARM BUREAU FLEAYED BY FARMERS UNION OFFICIALS

Pamphlets Issued Also Denounce Farm Demonstration Work — Story Appearing in Monday's Greensboro Daily News of Interest—Declares that the Press is Controlled and that the Pulpit is Silenced — People are Being Mislead is Statement of Knowing Ones.

(Greensboro Daily News)

Farm bureaus, county farm demonstration work and the so-called cooperative marketing movement have received a jolt at the hands of the officers of the North Carolina Farmers' union in the form of a pamphlet entitled, "Things the Farmers Should Know." The pamphlet declares that the farm bureau was organized by big business for the purpose of enabling the farmers to produce more than big business might have more raw materials pouring into its hopper, and was not created to help the farmers get more for what they produced.

The document begins by stating that when the county farm demonstration work was first begun in the United States it was, financed by Rockefeller. It was conducted through the national department of agriculture and therefore had official sanction and the prestige of a government institution.

Under Rockefeller's support the whole purpose and policy of the county demonstration work was to enable the farmers to produce more raw materials constantly pouring into its hopper. To enable the farmers to get more for what they produced was contrary to the fixed policy of those in control of this institution.

"Making the Farmer the Goat." "But the farmers," declares the statement, "have not been dumb beasts of burden. They have not given all time and thought to production alone. They organized. . . . Farmers at last came to their senses and began to realize the truth. He had been made the goat in production; the goat in marketing; the goat in distribution; the goat in finances and the goat (or a fool) in politics.

"Citrus fruits are grown with comparatively little cost as contrasted with cotton and tobacco. They do not have to be stored and held for months at a great expense of warehouse charges, borrow money, shrinkage, etc., and the price can be controlled, because the crop has never exceeded a normal consumption demand and the crop is protected against foreign importations by a tariff. . . . And it will require an immense amount of money and credit to finance cotton and tobacco and all money and credit is absolutely controlled by the money trust. . . .

"Our whole nation is hog-tied in the tentacles of gigantic monopoly, all of the nation. And that control today possible by the monopoly of money and credit. . . . The elder J. P. Morgan said before a committee of Congress: 'Let me control the money of the nation, and I will control the credit of the nation and the business are intimidated, coerced, deceived and is absolutely in the hands of less than two dozen men. We are no longer a free people. The press is controlled, the pulpit is silenced, and the people union. . . . The Farmers' union' committed." The pamphlet then goes into detail (Continued on page four.)

Wilson, one of the big packers, addressed the first national convention of the Farm bureau and told them to call on him for money whenever they needed it."

Co-operating With Wall Street. The document also charges the representative of the Farm bureau with ting through the Esch-Cummins railroad bill which increased freight rates 30 per cent and passenger rates 25 per cent.

The Federal Farm bureau has money "to burn" says the pamphlet. It pays some members of its marketing committee as much as \$10,000 a year. "As already stated," continues the pamphlet, "the county agent is the 'key man' of the farm bureau. He is paid by money derived from taxation of all the people. He spends his time and the people's money in promoting an organization in competition with existing organizations set up by the farmers themselves, not by government agents and Wall street money. Why is he doing it? Why this pretended interest in assisting farmers to market profitably, so different from what has always been the fixed policy in this work."

"The Farm bureau is asking farmers to consign their crops for five years to a marketing committee or other agency. The farmer is to sign a binding agreement that takes all control of his crops out of his hands, so far as marketing is concerned. The wise, thoughtful farmer will not do it. If those New York men who conceived the organization and launched it, and the big business men who have financed it, really knew or believed, that it would enable the farmers to control the market as to demand higher prices, then they would not be putting their money into it. . . .

The Co-operative Marketing. "In all the propaganda of the Farm bureau and the American Cotton association, conducted through papers that derive all their profits from big business, much has been said about the success of the citrus fruit growers of California in marketing their crops co-operatively. Aaron Sapiro has been brought all the way from California and is campaigning the cotton and tobacco states, telling what they have done with citrus fruits. If there was any analogy between the problem of the citrus fruit growers and that of the cotton and tobacco growers, we would have some confidence in Sapiro's ability to help us. But the cases are entirely different. The problem of citrus fruit growers was one of distribution. They organized, pooled their fruit, established agencies in all the principal cities, of consumption, who informed the home agent from time to time of the demand of that market, and thus prevented congested markets by shipping only where fruit was needed. . . .

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END OF CENTURY CLUB TO MEET THURSDAY

The End of the Century Club will meet Thursday morning at 11 o'clock with Mrs. E. B. Ficklen. All members are urged to be present.