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EVERY DETAIL IS READY FOR SOLDIERS' DINNER

Veterans of Civil and Spanish Wars Also Will be Guests at Dinner---Over Four Hundred Honor Guests Will be Provided for Tomorrow.

and sale at Valdese making it im-Mr. W. A. Self, who is engaged in the soldiers to carry with them. a lawsuit at Waynesville and Colmel Edmund C. Jones of Lenoir. another speaker, will not be present tomorrow, but their places will be filled. Mr. J. D. Elllott, Mr. W. C. Fe mster and Dr. J. L. Murphy and Veterans of the War Between the States will see Mr Dillas Russell for Dekets and veterans of the Spansh war should see Major Gus W. Fayne, former cap a n of Co. A.

Some Hickory Donors,

Following is the incomplete list of nors in Hickory for the pienic: Mesdames B. B. Blackwelder, H. the ther, J. A. Moretz, E. B. Menzies, W. Payne, D. L. Russell, W. R. Stevenson, E. Lyerly, B. A. Klutz, W. Menzies, T. M. Johnson, I. A. Wood, W. C. Thompson, Henry Rickard, M. Killian, L. G. Kirkpatrick, W. L. Mitchell, K. C. Menzies, E. G. Peeler, H. D. Abernethy, Z. B. Buchanan, H. ey. J. L. Leach, F. B. Gwin, Geo. for about thirty minutes. lur on, D. L. Martin, Walt Page, W. Poovey, W. B. Ramsey, W. A. Self, L. Lyerly and Company A. W. Stevenson, Lloyd Whitener, J. Willard, N. W. Newton, W. S.Stroup J. E. Sox, R. A. Grimes, W. R. Bradhaw, P. E. Rheinhardt, F. Dellinger, 6, S. Watson, A. A. Whitener, Edgar | Ephesians 6:13-18-Dr. Murphy. der. W. Lyerly, O. G. Wolf, A. A. Shuford, J. H. Aiken, Geo. Bisanar, buy Chine, L. C. Field, A. S. Aber-nethy, R. S. Booth, J. A. Sellars, N. W. Clark, J. C. DeRodes, C. H. Geiter, C. C. Bost, Hotel Huffry, H. S. mth, Donald Applegate, J. L. Mur-Mr. C. M. Shuford, A. O. Mitchell, Wootten, A. S. Bradford, W. L. d Her, J. W. Starnes, J. B. Gibbs, T. L. Henkle, J. F. Allen, William F., Fogle, P. W. Hamot, H. L. Moore, in Moose, B. J. Temple, W. E. Mil-J. F. Miller, J. L. Bowman, W. T.

With the Newton band furnishing Sledge, E. L. Shuford, S. L. Whitener, the Germans are displaying activity with hundreds of Catawba peo- A. L. Deal, J. E. Barb, R. B. Fry, J. along other parts in the west, as nosts, and with Co A. first S. Leonard, W. B. Councill, J. L. All-North Carolina regiment as honor red, A A, Shuford, J. L. Latta, S. L. the voterans of the War Mosteller, J. M. Stephens, R. L. the Champagne and attacked three States and the Spanish- White, P. A Setzer, James Shuford, times in this region. They failed ar as other honor guests, W. E. McRorie, J. D. Elliott, E. B. however, according to the French war mer on Union square to_ Cline, T. C. Blackburn, J. W. Blackwelder, Frank Henderson, J. F. Aberalternoon at 1 offices prom- nethy, Albert Abernethy, Joe Aberrents in the life of Hickory and this Gaddy, Alex Hall, Bert Hutton, heavy bombardments east of the clion. Nothing has been left Every detail was arranged Frank Abernethy. H. S. D'Anna, E. L. fortress are being pressed. Paris declares the fire here as unprecedented, there 400 soldiers and their Flowers, J. A. Martin, H C. Menzies, Central Cafe, California Fruit Store, The West Hickory band expressed C.E. Abernethy Dora Hale, S. L.

marshall, Maud Bradford, Susie Fry. Whitener, Misses Wheeler, Caroline Forty dozen bananas, the gift of to the pleasure. Many of the mem- Central Cafe, and Mr. James Lazos, of the local military company proprietor of the fruit store, were who in West Blokery, and .. . a nat- the grand spread. Mr. J. H. Willis, aral that the people in that munici- owner of Willis' Cafe will place a big pality should be specially interested, sandwich in each of the boxes for

The pocket Testaments which were secured through the efforts of Mr. Adrian Shuford, who collected con-Furman, W. L. Brunes, Geo. Ivey, J. tribution from various friends, will be Martin, H. P. Williams, W. H. distributed to the soldiers, the mem-Harring He Re- ed on instructions from his governformed church. The company will as- ment. II. C. Latz, T. M. Johnson, J. H. Pat- semble and march from the armory. ick, F. B. Ingold, C. M. Hardin, J. S. The service will be conducted by the Rell Ramsey, J. L. Riddle, H. S. Smith, ministers of the town, and all the Setter, W. M. Martin, W. L. Miller, ministers of the city are urged to be A. Drum, Goo, Bailey W. H. Bark- present at this service which will last

Farewell services to Captain Geo. Hymn-My Faith Looks Up to Thee

-Congregation. Scripture Lesson, Psalm 91 and Prayer-Rev. J. D. Harte.

Remarks-Rev. A. L. Stanford. Remarks-Rev. J. D. Harte and ther pastors present.

Presentation of Testaments-Rev. G. Garth and Adrian Shuford. Hymn-How Fir ma foundationongergation.

Benediction-Dr. Murphy. The general public is invited to be

Directors are Named for Fair Association; Choose Site Next Week

about 100 stockholders of the Ca- handle all moneys and be under bond.

For one year—Geo. E. Bisanar, W. gage upon property purchased if newounded in muscles of right shoulder.

Shuford, H. L. Arndt, R. M. Pitts. cessary to get the grounds in shape Chairman N. W. Clark called the for the year's fair.

Harry Pittson, sergeant, severely wounded in muscles of right shoulder. Victor Lundmark, corporal, wounded in right elbow. morting to order and Attorney R. H. J. A. Martin offered a vote of Shuford was appointed temporary thanks to the soliciting committee and wound over right hip. circlery. The first order of business ordered continued. was the reading of the certificate of Upon motion of Robert Ransom, the of company F, 14th United States work may begin with a paid up capi- ion as to a site.

association, while the treasurer shall nesday, June 28 at 8:00 p. m.

Table Fair association met at the Upon motion of Attorney B. B. hamber of Commerce rooms last ev. Blackwelder, the chair appointed a changing the guard there. Before committee to propage nominations for they could make known their identity color and effected a permanent or-board of directors. This committee re-the following casualties had resulted: Walter E. Powell, private, was shot charting a board of directors to serve suggested names wer adopted unani- through the chest and abdomen. He for terms of one, two and three years mously, and the secretary ordered to lived one hour. cast the ballot.

Metizies, H. P. Lutz, John Robinson, was requested to organize as soon as right arm, right thigh, condition se-For two years; N. W. Clark, W. S. postible, collect subscriptions, pur-rious. Stroup, R. L. Shuford, J. Y. Killian. chase a site, and to execute a mort-

proporation which permits a capit- directors were requested to report infantry.

at of \$1,000. The charter is broad, Immediately upon the adjournment leantting the use of the grounds as of the stockholders meeting, the board The year, as well as for fairs and ganization N. W. Clark acted as tem-

ton, was present, and by request help- W. Shuford was made temporary locations in his treasurer and B. B. Blackwelder The board dictated his statement tions to proceed at once with collect has carefully considered all the evi

when motion by Mr. Elliott, duly sec- All persons having property to sugthe by-laws for the government of requested to present same, with dethe corporation. The by-laws call for ser ption and price, to Chairman N. institution, it unanimously finds from local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,100 institution, it unanimously finds from local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 2,435 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,100 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. It is and two kilometers (about 1,400 local Greek bankers each week. boundary cleet a president, vice-pres- visit all properties that day, so that ident, secretary and treasurer. The they may decide upon the merits of becretary shall be the manager of the each at the meeting of the board Wed-

(By ... sociated Press) Despite assertion of German activ ties in the east, and the reported dispatch of considerable forces to cope with the Russians on the eastern front

Yesterday they opened up heavily with their artillery on the French in

office to obtain a permanent foothold. Before Verdun only minor infantry operations are reported, but the clares the fire here as unprecedented, border. the bombardment being kept up during the night.

Rome reports progress for the Italians on the Isonzo front.

(By Associated Press) Washington, June 23 .- The Mexican ambassador today personally informed diplomatic representatives of the South American states that Carto attack American troops unless they hours, Secretary Lansing said there troopers who had returned. took the aggressive. This statement had been no change in the situation General Trevino, the Carranza mili- eral Pershing was awaited. tary commander, that American moved in any direction except north. The ambassador stated that he act-

(By the Associated Press.) consul here reported today that all provement. was quiet where the Mexican troops were in proximity to American forces. The report was current here that 17 negro troopers taken to Chihuahua after the Carrizal fight were being market showed renewed activity earto the American authorities. The con- gular. Realizing was active and there sul did not know the origin of this appeared to be considearble trading

MEXICAN EXONERATED FOR

ployed as a watchman at the Naco March ___ - 13.78 13.67 sult of the prank. water plant, was exonerated of criminal blame late yesterday by a corotified that he could not see the uniforms of the infantrymen and had be-

lieved them to be bandits. The soldiers were fired upon by the watchman as they approached the water plant at 2:30 a. m. preparatory to underwent a fresh decline today on

John G. Rogoya, private, shot For three years: J. D. Elliott, K. C. Upon motion, the board of directors through the neck, right shoulder and

Harry Pittson, sergeant, severely

William H. Stevenson, private flesh All of the soldiers were members

ANDERSON EXONERATED.

Raleigh, June 23 .- Dr. Albert An- Minimum --- ---Attorney W. C. Feimster of NewUpon motion of G. E. Bisanar, R. as the board of directors could give
WONEY IN MACH The secretary then presented a col- tions to proceed at once with collecdence introduced on both sides, it has 500,000 is being spent weekly by the the little kind that "we tread upon."

Judge E. B. Cline is at home for a

(By Associated Press.) New York, June 23.-A movement Washington, June 23.-Immediate to call a conference of American and action on his resolution authorizing Mexican citizens at El Paso in an the president to draft in the federal effort to prevent war was announced service national guardsmen willing to today by the American Union Against take the oath was asked today by Rep-Militarism after an all night session. resentative Hay chairman of the Messages were sent to William J. house military affairs committee.

ers urging them to proceed to El amendment to declare that the emer-Paso. They were assured that their gency for draft now exists, instead of expenses would be paid. Other telegrams were sent to prom- by the president. inent Mexicans. No date was set for Mr. Hay told the house that the

to use their influence to prevent war. Indentified with the movement are

Gifford Pinchot, Lincoln Steffens and

SITUATION

(By Associated Press)

MARKETS.

NEW YORK STOCKS

(By the Associated Press.) New York, June 23.—Speculative sentiment indicated further confusion at the opening of today's market, though gains far exceeded Tennessee Copper, whose directors suspended dividends, made an abrupt decline and Mexican Petroleum and other shares were down a point each. El Paso, June 23.—The Mexican Some of the metals showed slight im-

COTTON FUTURES.

(By the Associated Press) Netw York, June 23 .- The cotton shooting scrape is not known. brought to Jaurez to be turned over lytoday and fluctuations were irrearound the ring. The market closed steady,

HICKORY MARKETS.

CHICAGO WHEAT.

(By the Associated Press) Chicago, June 23.-Wheat pricse account of unresponsive cable advices and better weather. Opening her at 1.04 were followed by a material further setback.

THE WEATHER

Washington, June 23,-For North

COMPARATIVE WEATHER (By the Associated Press.)

1916 1915 June 22 Meximum .__ ---

British troops spend only \$1,000,000 are not to be completed the war, the a week, as much more of the British work on the railroad has temporarily stores are sent out from home than work on the railroad has temporarily last night of the report based on the last night of the report based on the reached an end is the case with the French.

(By the Associated Press.)

Bryan, David Starr Jordan and oth- At the same time he offered an leaving the question to be determined

the suggested meeting. The purposes resolution did not contemplate a state of the union are not only to delay hos- of war, but that the mere fact of the tilites but to prevent raids across the introduction of the resolution tended to show than an emergency "in the It was announced that telegrams opinion of the executive" does exist, had been sent also to the ambassador and that this resolution is absolutely of the A. B. C. powers urging them necessary to meet the emergency.

(By the Associated Press.) Baker made public today a report from General Pershing on the fight Washington, June 23 .- After a cab- at Carrizal made by personal quesranza troops were under orders not inet meeting that lasted nearly two tions by General Pershing directed at

It indicates that the attack upon flatly contradicts the statement of and that a complete report from Gen- the Americans was unprovoked; but gives no estimate of casualties on either side. Inasmuch as General troops would be attacked if they minimum minimum Pershing had no opportunity to confer with any officer of the two troops, 1 and 2, will meet this evening at 7 could not be made now.

BARBER IS WOUNDED IN SHOOTING AFFAIR

(By the Associated Press.) Durham, June 23.-Lonnie Allen, a well known barber of Orange county, was shot and probably fatally wounded by h's brother-in-law, Ben Wilson, in a shooting scrape which took place late last night at Wilson's home near Chapel Hill. Wilson claimed that he shot in sef-defense. The cause of the

FUN WITH COLORED MEN A fake telegram calling to the colors all negro men between the ages ing, every Boy Scout is urged to be Annapolis at Mazatlan Sunday. of 18 and 45 years caused amusement present. and more consternation among the Open Close colored population of Hickory today, Humphrey, a half-breed Mexican em- January --- 13.65 13.51 not taken. It was expected that there would be a few departures as a re-

Mayor Whitener today received a letter from Superintendent McInner's jury for killing one United States soldier and wounding five others, one seriously. Humphrey tesand the teachers, and it is expected 6 to remain permanently.

NASHVILLE WOMAN TO

prices with July at 1.04 and Septem- will occupy the pulpit of the First Methodist church Sunday morning. She spoke at Newton yesterday and made splendid impression. A large of Greek exporters and agriculturists of the raw materials used in the procongregation will hear her.

HOLD CIRCUIT RALLY AT PISGAH TOMORROW

Carolina: Fair tonight. Saturday partly cloudy light variable winds. in the morning and returning at night. Rev. W. R. Ware of Statesvile, presiding elder, will preside.

A PRETTY DISPLAY

Hickory stores and business places already have begun to display flags and bunting. The Van Dyke Book store has an attractive window, show-MONEY IN MACEDONIA ing arms, flags, books and Bibles and some of the natural enemies that in-

BAGDAD RAILWAY. reached an end.

GERMANS ACTIVE CONFERENCE AT DESIRES ACTION MALITIA MAY PROCEED TO BORDER IN FEW DAYS

All Guardsmen Will be Rushed to Border as Soon as They are Organized Without **Proceeding to Concentration Camp** --- Change in Plans.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, June 23 .- A bill to appropriate \$2,600,000 to provide for ders was made after today's cabinet pay of militiamen mustered into the meeting, but it was understood the federal service was introduced today orders had been issued before the by Senator Lea of Tennessee and was cabinet met. referred to the committee on pen-

sioner to make inquiry into the con- situation had grown more serious. dition of persons dependent on enlist. The original orders of the guardsed men in service or on all volunteers men were for the mobilization at if they should be called on, and to pay state concentration camps to await such persons not more than \$30 a further orders. The war department month.

Chairman Hay announced that he effected the best and earliest organiwould introduce a similar measure in zation for troops for the border. the house. His resolution will call for Today's orders are expected to re-

SCOUTS WILL MEET THIS EVENING HOPE NOT ABANDONED BY AMERICAN OF

Secretary Baker said a definite report o'clock sharp in the Chamber of Com- necessary. Dispatches from Mexico merce hall. Every boy now a member City indicated that leaders in the or having made application for mem- Carranza government may show a bership must be present at this meetvoted to a joint meet. Assignment the threatened breach. of work for Saturday will be made, when assistance is to be given by the delayed report from General Pershscouts in the preparation and serving of the dinner to be given Company A, first N. C. N. G., on the day of their day between Carranza and American departure for encampment at More- cavalry and this report was to be

The second matter to be taken up by the boys is the Mt. Mitchell trip next week. Scoutmasters Moser and tic action is taken. Applegate wish to know how many boys intend taking the trip. As information for the boys and their parwill complete their reorganization, re- unprovoked. ceive new members who have taken the "tenderfoot" examination, and have everything in readiness to reregister by July 1.

(By Associated Press) Washington, June 23.-Proposed Unofficial word was received that

he will find plenty to do. Mr. McIn- from the Atlantic seaboard through ting with the Carranza government tosh plans to come here about July railroads refusing to absorb icing for amnesty so that he might lead an charges were held to be not reason- army. able in a decision today by the inter-SPEAK HERE SUNDAY state commerce commission. The DUTCH NEWSPAPERS Lipscomb of Nashville Tenn., present rate was ordered maintained.

ANOTHER JOLT FOR GREEKS.

(By Associated Press.) Washington, June 23.—Secretary Baker today issued orders to all army departmental commanders to send to the Mexican border all militia available upon their organization without waiting for completion of the mobilization of the militia of the separate

The commanders were requested to notify General Funston when all regiments, troops and batteries would be ready. General Funston will indicate where he wants the men to report, and make arrangements for their transportation to the border.

The announcement of the new or-

No explanation was made of the change in the original plan, and offi-Measure would direct the commis- cials would not explain whether the

planned to call on the states which

Washington, June 23.—Secretary an initial appropriation of \$500,000. sult in the immediate movement towards the border of separate regiments from many states whose entire national guard strength has not been

BY AMERICAN OFFICIALS

(B) the Associated Press.) Washington, June 23 .- Hope per-The Boy Scouts of Hickory, Troop war against Mexico would not become sisted among officials here today that ing. The first half hour will be de- similar attitude and will seek to avert

Army officers looked today for the ing of the fight at Carrizal Wednesgiven keen scrutiny by President Wilson and his advisers before any dras-

Considerable confidence was expressed in war department circles in ents the itinerary is given elsewhere. dispatches giving American version After the joint meeting the troops of the attack declaring that it was

Tension was not lessened by an official report to the navy department that there was no provocation for the As this is a very important meet- attack on a boat from the gunboat

The war department was trying to hasten the mobilization of state militia today. Governors were instructed to send immediately reports on when the militia would be ready for

The commanders of the central and western military divisions have been urged that the first 5,000 militiamen be sen! to the border at once.

increased freight rates on oysters Villa was in Chihuahua state negotia-

INCREASE THEIR CHARGES (By the Associated Press)

Amsterdam, Netherlands, June 23 Athens, June 23 .- A large number -In view of the big rise in the cost have been hard hit by the decision of duction of a newspaper, the subscripthe British naval authorities in the tion rates of the leading Dutch papers Mediterranean that dried figs are to have been raised by 10 per cent., while be regarded as contraband of war. an extra 20 per cent is added to the After raisins, tobacco, olive oil, wine net amount of all advertisement ac-Rev. A. L. Stanford, Rev. D. M. and silver-bearing lead, figs have counts. Paper now costs about two Litaker and Rev. B. F. Carver tomor-been one of the principal articles of and a half times as much as in normal

Funston Yet Without Report of Carrizal Fight Last Wednesday

San Antonio, Tex., June 23 .- stories of several stragglers who Whether the little force of the 10th made their way back to the main col-United States cavalry under Capt. umns before the fighting at Carrizal . successfully through the ring of Mex- General Funston expected a com-

the election of 12 directors, who shall W. Clark by noon Wednesday, June the evidence that he charges are not sustained. The findings of the sustained. The findings of the sustained. The findings of the board on each charge have been directors for three years. The directors shall the remaining and the board of the board and will be transcribed. Signs the level have no record. The limit of the board of the board and will be transcribed. Signs the level have no record. The limit of the board of the board and will be transcribed. Signs the level have no record. The limit of the board of the board and will be transcribed. Signs the level have no record. The limit of the board of the board and will be transcribed. Signs the level have no record. The limit of the board of the board and will be transcribed. Signs the level have no record. The limit of the board of the board and will be transcribed. Signs the level have no record. The limit of the board of the board of the board of the board and will be transcribed. Signs the level have no record. The limit of the board and will be transcribed. for three years. The directors shall the r consideration, and the board of part of the local bankers have no record. The sound of the lith covaling to the local bankers have no record. The local bankers have no