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Gives Assurances of His Desire to Reach Friendly Settlement of Trouble---Willing to Act Quick to End Danger From Bandits Border. on

By 'rsoclated Press) the grant, July 5. The crisis bethe United States and Mexico lime to an end today when is saily and conciliatory note from the facto government was handed is meany Lansing and was promptmanufacted to President Wilson. statement of the Washingand a substantistic must await bea way has been opened to the border dispute brought the two governmails in this verge of war,

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standary Lanslug himself would not but give the suggestion is no pending question beinvertments which can. Josday afternoon by Recorder Campable adjusted with quick bell on a charge of highway robbery. action, as indicated by Tuesday night Bost, it was asserted,

Me hansing is known to share money and some keys. Quick work Whon desire that hostili- by Chief Lentz and Sergeant Sigmon avoided if there is any other resulted in the capture of Bost, who any to safeguard American The new Maximum The new Maximum The new Maximum the new Mexican recovered all but ten cents. Bost is that so plainly indicates a under bond for larceny. besite that a further inter-if views is expected to begin Greer three months for trespass and y looking to joint efforts six months for assault on the prop-enter handlts and other ir- erty and person of Rev. J. M. Hen-

respirable agencies that have work- derson, colored. Court was in progress practically half of Wednesday. it will als are much much im-

manual with the complete change of RALPH DE PALMA WINS h Carranza's new note. Fort Snelling, July 5.-Ralph It tens described as more than con- Palma won the 150 automobile derby Aitken was second and Christianens was third. Time, one hour, 38 minutes, 49 24-100 seconds.



HICKORY, N. C. WEDNESDAY EVENING JULY 5, 1916.



L. H. PU FNAM Superintendent North Carolina Children's Home



FOR JEWS IN HOLLAND

(By the Associated Press.) Amsterdam, Netherlands,-The in xorable housing reformer has reached the famous Amsterdam ghetto, and is making first assault on the miniature Jewish state that has existed for more than three centuries in Holland's capital on the Zuyder Zee and has constituted for the tourist one of the sights of the city. One of the most thickly-populated quarters, the part known as the "island" of Uilenburg, nas been condemned and is gradually being cleared of its several thousand inhabitants, for whom new homes are to be erected elsewhere by means of a state loan.

The big settlement of Jews at Amsterdam dates from 1590. The first Portugese Jews arrived in 1593, and the Polish Jews followed in 1654, each and all being driven from less enlight-ened parts of Europe by persecution and being attracted to the little Dutch republic by the religious toleration there enjoyed. In Amsterdam their fortunes have ebbed and flowed, but on the whole the wealth of those situated in the old Jewish quarter is one of the difficulties of the removal. Despite the deplorable housing coneffectively.

litions obtaniing in the ghetto, the city fathers have long spared it, doubt-less influenced by the fact that, while the birthrate was very high, namely, 33 to 39 per thousand, the mortality was very low, 13 to 16 per thousand which compares with 24 in other poor juarters in the city. The population hereof has been less subject than in neighboring quarters.

Nevertheless, sufficient ground for in the narrow streets of the ghetto, with their one-roomed tenements and he badly-smelling pools or "canals". large families. A ladder led from one tenement to the other. The only light

TO ERECT HOMES PRESSURE ON GERMANS **CONTINUES EVERYWHERE**

French Have Broken Through Trenches and Cavalry is Busy Harassing Enemy---First Phase of Offensive Over---Getting Ready for Another.

(By the Associated Press.) | which consisted of independent units London, July 5.—Pressure by the entente allies on the central powers only with light machine guns. It continues without abatement and was these battalions which inflicted while nowhere has any great amount the heaviest losses on us.

"Our enemy is brave and resourceof territory been recovered important ful, and put up a desperate defense, strategic gains are claimed on the especially in the region from Gommewestern, eastern and Italian fronts. court to Friecourt, where he evi-So far as the western front is con-cerned, the first phase of the Anglo-French offensive is believed to be gave the Germans a splendid chance nearing the end. North and South of to make the best use of their miners, the Somme the French and British are any aged in consolidating positions who constructed dugouts and other defensive works which our heaviest are engaged in consolidating positions. shells could not destroy. From these

The French having taken all the Ger- works mousqueton battalions put up man trenches south of the Somme a most determined resistance. are now fighting in open country, of Friecourt peculiarly difficult and

their cavalry, so long idle, being used our severe losses there were not unexpected. Montauban was one of

The next objective of the French the strongest positions occupied by the Germans, but our advance there n this region is the village of Barwas brilliant and rapid, without the leux, which is the junction of three losses suffered between Gommecourt highways leading to the south of and Friecourt.

Somme, south of Peronne. If this "On the whole, we are well satispoint is gained the French will be fied with our advance. It is a swe tinue our artillery preparation as we in position to attack the bridgehead have no intention of butting our head opposite Peronne, which the Germans against a stone wall. The human factor must be considered and this

North of the river the Anglo- factor presents some unexpected Nevertheless, sufficient ground for drastic action was at length found French advance is slower on account after all the enemy has something of the fact that the Germans have to say about the progress of any ofmassed between the river and Hevu- fensive. We are meeting strenuous the badly-smelling pools or "canals". Trachoma raged there for years. On one site of less than 100 feet square there stood 62 dwellings inhabited by large families A ladder led from one After the ground gained has been position.

tenement to the other. The only light side of this condition of affairs was consolidated, it is expected artillery vance faster with smaller losses than "That our gallant allies should adhe low rent, low as 15 American cents preparation for a second big dive we is not only the fortune of war, but a week on the top floor. be made. may be called poetic justice, since Nine hundred houses have now been The Italians after regaining terri-I they lost so heavily during the long tory in the Tretino are reverting to weeks while we were getting ready condemned, of which the exporiation cost is put at \$400,000 while the state to take our share in the great offentheir original plan of campaign and sive. However, it must be clear has been asked for another loan of \$600,000 for the new housing scheme. are attacking on the lower Isonzo now, even to laymen, that the blame The idea of again making Uilenburg where they have gained some lesser heaped on us for not going to the a residential quarter has had to be aid of the French before Verdun was successes. abandoned, and it is now to be turned Important news comes from Petro-actly what General Joffre requested. grad Russian advance guards are And when he gave the word we engaged with Austrian rear guards sprang to the attack, in which we on the spurs of the Carpathians and have suffered grievously, but which the city, half of which number will be leads to no regret beyond sorrow for unofficial reports even say cavalry the fallen; for it now is our time to has been raiding Hungary. The stand the brunt of the battle. cents in some cases. "South of the Somme the Germans Russian right has opened a passage in the direction of the stretch of rail- were completely surprised, and our allies will get through to the river way connecting the railway in the without much loss. In that region rear of the entire Austrian front, you may look for immediate develwhile the pass for which the Russians opments, as the fighting there now STREET CAR STRIKE is in open field formation, the last are making would sever the connecof the enemy's works haveb een capions of the Austrian army. tured. A glance at the map will Meanwhile the Balkans are attract- show you that our allies are clear ing more attention than for some time. across the network of trenches. (By the Associated Press.) Military activities are being revived "Further north you will like first while our line now is behind the first 'Further north you will note that Wilmington, July 5.-Representaand the successes of the entente alseries of German defenses, we are in ives of striking conductors and molies are reported to have caused a re- imemdiate contact with strongly forormen and officials of the local tracnewal of entente propaganda in both tified places. tion company were requested this an "We are well content to do our Roumanta and Greece. share in the great general allied offen-sive which already has proved that ternoon in an effort to adjust differences between the corporation and GERMANS SURPRISED the initiative, so long in their hands, BY FRENCH OFFENSIVE now is lost by the armies of the cenits employes. The city practically London, July 5 .- "Only German tral powers."

FOR STEALING Nathaniel Bost, a negro who has en in several bad scrapes, and who is described by the officers as a bad

(By the Associated Press)

Westmeters, July 5-The reply of States that the insecurity of its he de facto government of Mexico frontier is a source of its fear, while a the demand of the United States, on the other hand the presence of modulatory in terms and giving as. American troops in Mexico is a tressummes of a desire to reach a pass on that country's sovereignty freedly adjustment of the difficulties and the immediate cause of trouble. set seet the two countries, was de- In offering to consider in a "quick

separate the state department today and practicable way" the remedies , the Mexican embassy attache.

Brief and free from all superflu- gives notice that Mexico hus accepted the language of diplomacy, the com- in principle Latin-American offers of indiffication points to the release of the mediation and awaits information American troops captured at Carrizal that the United States is disposed to as proof of the Mexican government's accept mediation or still is of the belief that the same result may be ob-- neere desire to avoid conflict. The reasonable belief of the United tained by direct negotiation.

Judge Bond is Making Little Progress in His Lynching Investigation story building and is one of the oldest churches in this section. The original church would be about 140 years

(By the Associated Press.) Elector, N. C., July 5 .- Having with the disposition of witnesses to state witnesses at noon to- forget, held Cleveland Loftin under 145. Judge W, M, Bond, conducting \$500 bond on a charge of perjury an uncestigation here into the lynch-Loftin told many stories of the alleged dat of April 5 of Joseph Black, a is a fourned the hearing until complicity of Stock, according to witnesses, but could not remember none morning.

Samuel Stock and Arthur Frizelle, on the stand. Edward Phillps, the last witness, 'on faimers who were charged with been implicated in the lynch- testified that Stock said that men in being held pending a further the automobile with Stock and Black Officers have been stuck knives into the negro to make

The exercises Tuesday were under while to locate a third person for him stop his yelling. the auspices of the Woman's Bettera bench wararnt has been is- Subpoenas for other witnesses have ment Assocation, of which Mrs. W E. Bollinger is president, and the sale been issued.

Childhood Conservation Subject of Address by Mr. Putnam Thursday

Mr. L. H. Putman, state superin- boys for a number of years and then of the North Carolina Chil- became Director of the Boy's Club Home Aid Society will speak Corporation of Birmingham, Ala. tizens of Hickory and Catawba While in Birmingham he was instru-Thursday night, July the 6, mental in the passage of the Juvenile Court Law for Alabama and soon afubject of his address will be ter its passage became Supertintend-Reformed church

a of this state at this time

receivation of Childhood" and ent of the juvenile court system of October 12.93 13.05 tell h's hearers of some of the Mobile county, Alabama. He then TRAFFIC TIED UP December _____13.14 13.22 surrounding the dependent became supertindent of the state industrial school for boys of Florida dustrial school for boys of Florida general staff included offensives by three verdicts two have been for the the Russians and Italians which, I Westfeldt and one for the mining January ______ 13.19 13.29 March _____ 13.34 13.46 Mr. Putman is known as an ag- and spent a year with the social serdo not need to tell you, already have company. Prior to this trial the costs RESULT OF WRECK do not need to tell you, already nave company. Prior to this to begun. We are not disappointed with our own advance, which we ex-". "arceful speaker and is cap- vice corporation of Baltimore, Md. We are not disappointed and attorneys fees amounted to about IN LUMBER RATES HICKORY MARKETS. effort to throw light on such entire public and no collection or subpected to be slow, and we are enor- The case was instituted in Swain mously pleased with the wonderful county where the copper mine prop-"toportant phase of civic interest scription will be taken. Mr. Putman ____\$1.10 Traific on the Carolina and North-restorn was indefinitely tied up with comparatively light losses, are the first trial to Haywood county in is in Catawba county at this time to Inclusive leading and represent- look after a case of destitution that (By the Associated Press) the state are direct- cannot be considered by any of the twe've miles above Chester as the sweeping forward to the Somme. order to secure a disinterested jury. result of the derailment of passenger "It is quite evident the Germans train No. 10 northbound about 8:15. were surprised by the strength of worth \$1,000,000. of the Children's Home Society, in- crohanages, due to the fact that both Washington, July 5 .- Reduction of THE WEATHER Gov. Locke Craig, A. M. of the parents are living, although lumber rates from North Carolina Just how the accident occurred was the French offensive. They evidentpresident of the society, Col. one of them is in a state hospital. Eagham of Asheville, Col. A. It is hoped that a large number of points to Jersey City from 23 cents not known in Hickory shortly after ly believed our allies would be kept PROGRESS OF STORM Boyden of Salisbury, Rey T. W. citizens will avail themselves of this great to 221-2 cents per hundred pounds noon, but it was believed the trucks too busy before Verdun to participate the middles of Wilson and others, all opportunity of hearing of this great was ordered today by the interstate work which is growing every day, as For North Carolina: Fair tonight and probably Thursday moder-ate northeast winds. I will be the tender were faulty. Wreck-ing crews were immediately displatch-ed to the scene and it was thought sequently, they made extensive prep-(By the Associated Press.) Washington, July 5 .- The tropical and denominations of the state. These it is attempting to meet the immense R trains might pass that point some arations before our front, piling up time during Wednesday night. No-1915 body was injured. Southbound trains The rate of 161-2 cents per the state who are beated in many dif- field that is before it. It is in no way antagonostic to the orphanages, but hundred pounds from Wilmington, N. COMPARATIVE WEATHER rather is working in conjunction with C., to Roanoke, Va., over the Virgin-85 were expected to move with little de- tor, dominated by the French. The iana coast and easterly gales have 1916 July 4 rather is working in conjunction and the need the meet the need them, in an effort to meet the need the need them, in an effort to meet the need the need them, in the them are the need them in the them are the need to be unreasonable in that it exceeded 14 cents a the need the need the need them are the need them are the need the need them are the need to be unreasonable in that it exceeded 14 cents a the need the 65 lay in their schedules as far as the Germans, anticipating our move, set in along the northwest Florida 75 wreck. set in along the northwest Florida 86 Maximum 66 76



Between 750 and 1,200 people gathered at St. Paul's union church Tuesday to celebrate the fourth in raising funds to paint this remarkable old building and to buy equipment demic, twelve children dying of the let at below \$1.20 a week, the comfor St. Paul's school house. -Exerwhich should be applied, the note ises were held in the church in the and 10 o'clock today. forenoon, a picnic dinner was served

Altogether it was a big day for the people who gathered there for miles around. The principal address was made team here by a score of 11 to 6. by Rev. R. M. Carpenter of Clare-

mont and other addresses were made of the church and school were em- mer. phasized and the people of that section, regardless of their membership.

rallied to the cause of both. St. Paul's union church is a twostory building and is one of the oldest churches in this section. The origi-nal church would be about 140 years old were it standing, but some of its timbers are in the building which re-Judge Bond having been impressed placed it. It was erected 118 years

ago and was weatherboarded eight years ago. The church yard nearby carries a record of the men and women of the community for over ed to the more favorable developments 100 years. The church is maintained jointly y the Ohio Lutheran and the Re- ing of today's market. Specialties

formed congregations and is an il- advanced one to two points, with lustration of community harmony in the rural districts of North Carolina. All denominations are interested in it, sue to register a "wide" opening, a

however, and on every important oc- single block of 4,000 shares selling casion hundreds gather to assist in at 86.3-4 to 7-8 against Monday's providing for its upkeep. Earnest closing price at 863-4. nen were talking Tuesday of erect-

(By the Associated Press)

Chicago, July 5.-What rose in alue today, owing to an advance at iverpool and as a result of bullish of articles for the benefit of the school foreign statistics. Cables reported and church brought good prices. Mrs. that demands were broadening and John W. Robinson apepaled for the that European crop advices were becoming less and less favorable. Open-

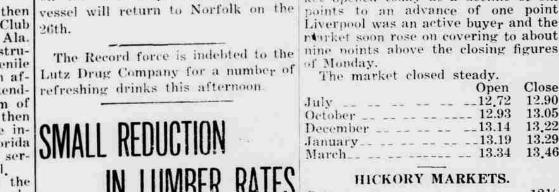
ing prices which danged from 1-2 to 1 5-8 net higher, with July at 1.04 to 1-4 and September at 106 to 3-4, was followed by a moderate general

COTTON FUTURES.

(By the Associated Press) Washington, July 5-Orders were reaction. sued here today for the North Carlina naval militia to report at Nor-

olk on July 15th for the annual cruise on the battleship Louisiana. The ket opened today at a decline of six

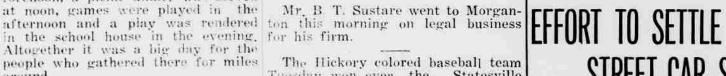
PICNIC FOR NAVAL MILITIA





(By the Associated Press.) New York, July 5 .- The average of into an industrial district. Plans have

one death an hour was maintained been drawn up for the erection of 360 oday by the infantile paralysis epi- new dwellings in another quarter of disease between 10 o'clock last night mune or the state adding 20 to 30



Tuesday won over the Statesville

Mrs. John W. Robinson will leave by Rev. J. D. Andrew, president of home July 17 to join a party of in-Catawba College; Rev. W. W. Rowe stitute conductors who will visit the and Prof. A. P. Whisnant. The needs western part of the state this sum-



NEW YORK STOCKS.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, July 5.-Stocks respond-

in the Mexican situation, with a series of substantial gains at the open-

PAST GRAND COUNCILOR R. H. BARROW DROWNED

Former Official of U. C. T. of North and South Carolina Spartanburg, S. C., July 5.-R. H

Barrow, past grand councilor of the United Commercial Travelers of North tions of the imperial general staff, until a verdict was reached. continued: and South Carolina, and his little daughter, Jennie Sue Barrow, 13 years

old, where drowned in a small pond suddenly, evidently miring in the mud and sand on the bottom. Mrs. Bar-

The presence of quicksand in the pend is believed by those who recovered the bodies to have been responsi-

Liverpool was an active buyer and the The D. D. T. T. Club of the Methodist Philathen class will meet tomorntarket soon rose ou covering to about row from 2:30 to 5 with Mrs. W. S. Stroup. All members that can pos-

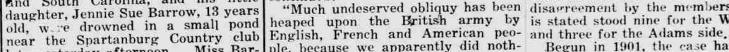
are strengthening.

has been without street car service since yesterday morning, when the soldiers in open field formations now stand between the French and the employes walked out when the tracrive Somme," said Major General tion company announced its intention Maurice, referring to the part of the of dispensing with conductors on certain interurban lines on which have been assigned pay-as-you-enter cars. gains.

tured by our allies." In giving the Associated Press a term of Superior court.

late yesterday afternoon. Miss Bar- ple, because we apparently did noth- Begun in 1901, the case has at ev-

sibly attend are urged to be present.



(By the Associated Press.) New York, July 5-The cotton mar-

ble for the accident.

The market closed steady. Open Close ___12.72 12.90

ANOTHER MISTRIAL IN ADAMS WESTFELDT CASE

Asheville, July 5 .- After remaining river which flows northward to the out since last Thursday afternoon at east of the sector along which the French have made their greatest Adams vs. Westfeldt case which was tried before Judge B. F. Long at "The last of the enemy's defensive Waynesville, reported a mistrial yesworks in that sector have been cap- terday and were dismissed. The case was started June 5 at a special

summary of the results attained by The jury failed to agree after sevthe entente alied offensive on the hours of deliberation and were sent western front, Major General Maurice back, the court informing the memwho is director of the military opera- bers that they would be kept together mistrial was the result of a hopeless "Much undeserved obliquy has been disagreement by the members who it

heaped upon the British army by is stated stood nine for the Westfeldt

row had waded into the pond when ing to assist the French in the des- ery stage been attended by unusual he. father noticed that she was in perate fighting on the Verdun front. features and in its wake of progress, distre's and went to her assistance. But all this time we were doing the by which it arrived only at the pres-Upon reaching her both began to sink part requested qy General Joffre. |ent beginnng, death has followed F. According to this plan, we con- M. and G.R. Westfeldt, representaserved our troops, accumulated sup- tives of the heirs, W. S. Adams, the row, with her three sons, all small plies and waited the word for the original defendant who sold to the children, witnessed the tragedy. The grand offensive in which we were mining company, and more than a family had gone on a picnic for the to play our part with the Russian and dozen lawyers employed in the case Italians, as well as the French. Nat- have died since its beginning.

urally during these anxious weeks, Three times verdicts have been ve could give out no exciting news, rendered by juries in the Superior because our deliberate preparations courts and three times the Supreme were not good copy. For certain court has ordered new trials, each tactical and moral reasons, which order for a new trial being attended need not be dilated on, it was neces- by a rehearing or an application for sary that the French should not lose a rehearing in the highest court. At the east bank of the Meuse and Gen- one time the case was in both state eral Joffre informed us that he could and United States courts, but the hold the positions which command part decree of Judge Pritchard for the of the river until the ned of June mining company was set aside by so we knew we were going to strike at the beginning of July. "The blow planned by the allied courts lacked jurisdiction. Of the

similar gains in the shipping shares. United States Steel was the only is-CHICAGO WHEAT. ing a fence around the graveyard.