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**SCANNING THE WAR FRONTS**

Military writers are concerned these days over where the next offensive will be struck and by which side. Last year the Germans launched their campaign against Verdun the latter part of February and gave the allies a bad scare; eventually, however, the Teutons sustained a severe defeat. Later the Franco-British drive was made on the Somme front, and it was halted only by the rough weather of early winter. Brusseloff in the east had torn through the Austrian armies, the Italians, recovering from their fright over the Austrian invasion, had turned upon and driven the enemy out, and everywhere the entente was on the offensive. Then came Rumania. The smashing of this little power was quick and easy.

Some observers believe that Germany will violate the neutrality of Belgium and execute a turning movement against the French in Lorraine; others think they see a campaign directed at Italy on the plans of Hannibal and Napoleon. The smashing of weak powers is a hobby with the German general staff and Italy is the only nation on the side of the entente that has not yet felt the power of the German arms. In the event of the invasion of either Italy or France by way of Switzerland, the Germans would have yet another enemy, but one more or less does not seem to worry the Kaiser.

It is pointed out that the enslavement of the Belgians was done for the purpose of releasing Germans to serve with the colors and that as a result of the winter's preparations the central powers will have several armies, which, though not as good as those of the allies, will be equal to the enemy in any quick drive or campaign. The Germans do not believe in letting the enemy strike first; it is their contention that the offensive has the greatest advantage, and they may start their offensive at an early date—just as soon as the weather is favorable.

Indications are multiplying that the spring will witness the hardest fighting of the war, but where that fighting will occur the general staffs of the two sets of belligerents are careful to keep to themselves.

**WATCH THOSE SHIPS**

Senator Saulsbury's bill to open the ports of the United States to allied warships during illegal submarine activities would be of great help to the entente doubtless, but it would precipitate trouble with Germany. The Berlin war party had rather see the United States in line with the enemies than in the position of affording them all the aid and comfort possible. The uncertain situation caused by the severing of diplomatic relations with Germany will not continue long, however. The two American freighters, now well on their way to the war zone, will be the means of determining whether discussion shall continue to be academic, or whether the government will take steps that it has threatened to take to protect American lives and property.

While the best opinion in the United States recognizes the importance of the civil service and heartily applauded the efforts of senators and congressmen to place all postmasters under the service, the pork influence was too strong for them. It is not to the credit of the Democratic majority in the house that it killed the senate bill to remove the postoffices from politics, though the action of the house seems to have pleased quite a few persons who may have hopes of landing a federal job later on.

The Record again would urge its church friends to forward church notices by Friday afternoon or early Saturday morning in order to assure them of publication in the directory. Our facilities are rather limited and copy that comes in after 11 o'clock must take chances. Our schedule is so mapped out that the machine is kept rather busy from that hour until press time on wire news.

After this, we never expect to worry any more over the ice bills.

**NOTICE!**

All persons who have signed up petition for Elks Lodge for Hickory are urged to be present at the Chamber of Commerce Tonight at 8 p. m.

The United States carried on warfare against French ships for about a year during the life of the French directory, and many vessels were sunk, but as soon as Napoleon overthrew the governments he changed the policy of France; and a few years later the United States was at war on the other side.

Live and learn. We read the other night that the United States once ordered Russia out of California, though the American government at that time made no claim to ownership of the country. Russia evacuated.

The British ought to make a supreme effort to hem those Turks in at Kat-El-Amara, if only to avenge General Townshend.

Another distressing thing about the Florida breeze is that people will have oranges whether they are expensive or not.

It is understood that the National Guard much prefers Mexico, Belgium and France.

The Cubans again are indulging in that pastime that made Weyler famous.

**PRAYER MEETING TONIGHT**  
**PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH**

The subject at prayer meeting at the Presbyterian church tonight is "Walking with Jesus," Luke 24th chapter, 13th to 34th verses. Please read passages before you come. All members of the Christian Endeavor society who desire to join the new Christian Endeavor expert class which is to be formed will remain after prayer meeting and meet in the Christian Endeavor room for organization. REV. J. G. GARTH.

**RESOLUTIONS OF RESPECT**

The following resolutions were adopted by the Women's Missionary and Ladies Aid Societies of the First Baptist church of Hickory, N. C.

On Thursday, January 11, 1917, our Heavenly Father called unto Himself our loving friend and co-worker, Aenos Wesley Carrier, of John G. Carrier.

For many years she was a faithful member of the Women's Missionary and Ladies Aid Societies of the First Baptist church.

Though the summons came suddenly it found her ready; her last moments on earth being spent in loving service for her master. She was ever a devoted wife loving mother and loyal friend, hers was a beautiful life—unselfish, earnest and consecrated.

As we look back over her life, there arises in our hearts a prayer of thanksgiving that we were permitted to labor with her and that she was one of us. In her death a happy home is bereft and we lose one of our most valued members.

Therefore be it resolved,

First: That while we mourn the loss of our faithful co-worker, we are grateful to Him "who doth not willingly afflict the children of men," for the memory of this beautiful Christian life and extend our deepest sympathy to her bereaved loved ones.

Second: That these words of appreciation to the memory of our friend be spread upon the minutes, and a copy be sent to members of the family, the Biblical Recorder and Hickory Daily Record.

MRS. R. F. HENDLEY,  
 MRS. K. C. MENZIES,  
 MRS. MARY BONNIWELL.

Prayer meeting at Methodist church tonight at 7:30. Public cordially invited.

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**Piedmont Council No. 43, Jr. O. U. A. M.**

Meets every Sunday evening at 7:30 P. M. All visiting brothers cordially invited. J. H. SIGMON, Councilor. W. L. Caldwell, Rec. Sec.

**Hickory Lodge No. 343 A. F. & A. M.**

Regular communication Monday night, 7:30. Brethren cordially invited to be present. J. W. SHUFORD, W. M. D. T. APPELGATE, Sec'y.

**Jitney Service.**

HICKORY CONOVER AND NEWTON Schedule

Leave Hickory	8:20 a. m.
Leave Hickory	10:20 a. m.
Leave Hickory	2:30 p. m.
Leave Hickory	4:30 p. m.
Leave Hickory	8:30 p. m.
Leave Newton	7:20 a. m.
Leave Newton	9:20 a. m.
Leave Newton	1:30 p. m.
Leave Newton	3:30 p. m.
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Mr. J. H. Elliott this afternoon began work on a six-room cottage at the northern extension of Fifteenth street for R. M. L. C. Yount.

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 Westbound

No. 15 Ar Hickory	7:40 a. m.
No. 11 Ar Hickory	11:20 a. m.
No. 21 Ar Hickory	4:32 p. m.
No. 35 Ar Hickory	11:32 p. m.

Eastbound

No. 36 Ar Hickory	9:05 a. m.
No. 22 Ar Hickory	12:00 noon.
No. 12 Ar Hickory	5:32 p. m.
No. 16 Ar Hickory	6:50 p. m.

**C. AND N-W**

Southbound

No. 5 Ar Hickory	9:00 a. m.
No. 9 Ar Hickory	2:35 p. m.

Northbound

No. 10 Ar Hickory	11:40 a. m.
No. 6 Ar Hickory	4:45 p. m.

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