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HICKORY MERCHANTS THINK STEAMERS BILL FOR JUDGES EXTRA PLAN GREATER HICKORY

Buy at Home Movement Given Impetus at Annual Meeting--Old Officers Reelected by Acclamation---Members Alive to Responsibilities of Their Association.

The reduction of all former offi- chants send too much money out of as reported in the Exchange Tele- ment which gives the governor the senate to consider nominations. the reduction of the number of town. Here he related how one graph Company's Amsterdam dispower of appointment of examiners The president's decision to have bers tackled the problem. It was patch. The usual extra session, it is believed.

ceeting Thursday night of the catalogue houses obtained half the Marchants' Association. Every the business in that town. But the to let the steamers pass. that the members discussed organizations fell in line, secret soand with interest and it cicties took up the war-ery and it was finally declared that this session, wasn't long before that community had grown greater and everybody had though not the best attended in the benefited. history of the organization, was productive of more real ginger and co- other, that will solve the problem," operations of any ever held. The of- Mr. West declared. He referred to a mail order advertisement in the

ficers elected follow: President-Geo, E. Bisamar. First Vice President-S L. White- paper. Whereupon the editor of the

Southed Vice-President-J. A. Mor- deference to those merchants who spend their money with it, the Record

Sectorary-Miss Annie Downum, world not take any more such ads. All these officers have served two and pointed to the fact that a concern erms, but rotation was not thought bondreds of miles away found it members who declared that froftatic to invade terriory that was the rule with them, belonged to home merchants. Edi-Hisanar had just stated that for Farabae declared that if all the

he association, is as follows: A M. West, Geo, C. Yoder, Dr. W. P. Ramsay, J. W. Shuford, J. A. Mr. West here read a resolution Bowles, L. F. Abernethy, H. C. Lutz, adonted by that western association, T Applegate, R. E. Martin and E. and Mr. Moretz moved that the word-

President's Address the meeting to order signed up and passed along to other, HICKORY, N. C., FRIDAY EVENING, FEBRUARY, 23, 1917

PRICE TWO CENTS

(By Associated Press.) Record's Special Legislative Report. London, Feb. 23.-It is quite pos- Raleigh, Feb. 23.-The senate pas- Washington, Feb. 23.-President sible that the American steamers Or- sage of the chiropractors' bill today Wilson, it was officially announced leans and Rochester may escape sub- made' it law. It went through as at the white house today, has decidmarines on their voyage to Bordeau, written except the Brenizer amend- ed to call an extra session of the

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* the usual extra session, it is believed, The usual extra session, it is beneved, it is said, The senate passed the constitution- paves the way for the customary inhan ned here featured the buy at home Before that was done, the dispatch asserts, that the sub- al convention resolution and complet- augural ceremony in the senate of marine commanders were instructed ed the house measure. At the reg- the vice presidency, including sena-, ular election the question will be tors who are to be sworn in.

submitted to a pupular vote, and if

carried a convention will be held here. Eight Democrats voted today to give Sampson county the right to elect its school board. This was a big increase in Democratic votes over the

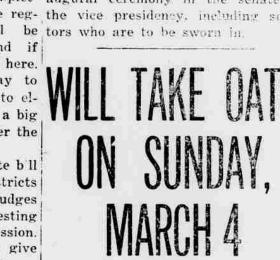
In the house the Warren senate bill creating four new judical districts and providing four emergency judges was lost after the most interesting parliamentary contest of the session. Western men were willing to give the cast release, but Ray of Macon. fighting all increases by compromise

Washington, Feb. 23 .- Senator tact'es, put the main question and on

the members put him through few use them, another linotype and a bill a provision to authorize the pres-hird degree without giving him purfecting press would be purchased ident to seize foodstuffs deemed to ed a new bill providing for emer-The same treatment was soon. Both would be needed, and it is an amendment to the revenue lost. Vinson will take his fice in private in the same treatment was soon. Both would be needed, and it is an amendment to the revenue lost. Saturday, March 4. Representative Doughton introduc- fice in private in the white house on

ary of \$3,000.

in tiative and referendum bill.



OF SENATE

(By Associated Press.)

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(By Associated rress.) Washington, Feb. 23 .- It was deli- original positions. second reading the Warren bill was nitely decided today that President Wilson will take his new oath of of-

Whether he will take it aga n at League club players left here for the adequate and since that time there board of directors, enlarged to include make the Record twice as good as it law. Foodstuffs so seized would be The house committee reported unpractically every class of business in is The paper wanted to help ev- disposed of at public sale under gov- favorably the Page bill to create a merely make that the occasion for Texas, this morning. commissioner of prohibition at a sal- the delivery of his inaugural address,



ISSUES STRONG WARNING Tells House of Commons That British Isles Must Make Sacrifices if They Would Win War---

Submarine Menage Calls for Action

and Devotion to Cause.

(By Associated Press) London, Feb. 23-Premier Lloyd George said in a speech in the house commons today that the success of the allied cause depended on the abil ty to solve the tonnage shortage which now was affecting the ordinary needs of the nation and military exigencies. The situation, he declared, called for the gravest measures. The premier said there was no sure way to victory without hunting the submarine from the deep.

Enormous sacrifices were necessary from the British public, said Mr. Lloyd George. He said the government had determined to dispense

Galicia, and broke through the Rus- lower than it had ever been before, sian line, says today's offic al state- Mr. Lloyd George said. He said Counter-attacks launched by the Russians drove the Teutons back to their the production of agricultural products.

The premier said that the ultimate GIANTS GO SOUTH success of the allied cause depended (By Associated Press.) New York, Feb. 23.-The first di- on the solution of tonnage. Before v sion of the New York National the war British tonnage had been just

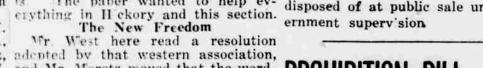
> the civilian populat'on and the military

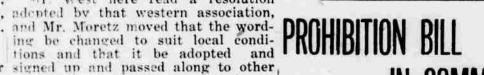
Wisdom Beyond Compare If the old adage about a fool and More than 1,000,000 tons of Brithis money is really true, the Hop- ish ships had been / aflocated to kins Journal thinks it has some of the smartest folks in the world on its list France and a very considerable amount had been set aside for Russia of delinquent subscribers.

and Italy. In addition a considerable tonnage had been sunk. Mr. Lloyd George said there had been a shortage for the needs of the nation and even a shortage of tonnage for the needs of the navy. The nation should realize absolutely the dangers that face it.

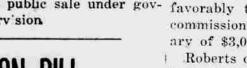


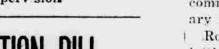
not be a candidate again, business houses in Hickory used the Lewis, Democrat, today introduced he association desired him, paper's advertising columns as a as an amendment to the revenue lost. ered to the other officers. The is the hope of the management to be monopolized in violation of the gency judges.



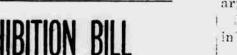


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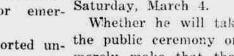
(Ry Associated Press.)

ARE REPORTED SUNK

(By Associated Press)

been sunk, says another Lloyds an-

London, Feb. 23 .- The sinking of



has not been decided.



Petrograd, via London, Feb. 23 .-German troops after strong artilcd three attacks east of Zlocha in The tonnage of Great Britain was

(By Associated Press)



SESSION PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE

President Bisanar asserted that the organizations, Action was unanimous past year had been very successful, on it. Here it 's:

that a great deal had been done by the cooperation of members and that t was now real zed that it would be impossible to move forward without an organization of this kind. He said the merchants had been loyal and that when they were called on they responded liberally

The port of Miss Annie Downum was then called for and she showed that the finances of the association, while not as good as last year, could be placed in better position by a l'ttle effort. This was determined on mitt of the following which was takwithout a dissenting voice. In com- en from a trade journal:

menting on the sccretary's report. the president said that those merchants who are not as enthusiastic as others are more or less lukewarm for the reason that they do not take advantage of their opportunities. The fail ties of the association are at the disposal of each member.

Here followed a short sort of round table discussion of the benefits derived from membership, and Mr. S. L. Whitener declared that his membership was 100 per cent profit. It had been a great help to him. Messrs. A. Moretz, J. W. Shuford and N. W. Clark voiced similar sentiments A membership committee was appointed consisting of A. M. West, chairman, and J. W. Shuford, J. A. lowles, J. A. Moretz and S. L. Whitener.

Advertising Committee

As chairman of the advertising committee, which keeps schemers, from worrying the members and saves hundreds of dollars each year te individual merchants, Mr. Moretz detailed briefly the work of the com-" tten Nobody except the president, secretary and committeemen knows who stands between the assoclation and worthless advertising schemes until the end of the year, when a report is made. If persons who want to put something across on the association insists in going over the heads of the committee, they have a remedy, but there are not many people who believe they will profit, so the members generall are not pestered, Mr. Moretz

association does not countenance ize more and leave to other firms blacklisting 18 Wrung-The organization en- many as sidelines.

deavor. together for legitimate defense, drew generous applause. That's all

mail order houses, with the immense ed so thoroughly that he could do amount of money they spend 'n cat- nothing better than endorse the paalourse advertising, carry millions of triotic and sensible remarks made by the banded a boquet TAR said on the state, and his friends. He handed a boquet TAR

"Wie, the undersigned business men of Hickory, believing that to build up our home entervises, is the first and best way to increase the value of our town and ourselves, and to do that, we must keep at home the money we make by buying at home, hereby pledge that we and our families will buy our needs 'n Wickor; when possible to secure them from Hickory institutions" In this conection Mr. West sub- terday, is expected to be adopted.

The New Freedom

Record and said he did not blame

either the catalogue concern or the

Record stated that the paper out of

Why Buy At Home? The following reasons for purchaning at home were features in a campa'gn recently put on by Peterborough (Can.) retailers and manufacturers to buy in their cwn town. What Peterboroug's has done can be followed to good advantage by practically

every town and city .----Because our interests are here. Recause the community that is good enough for us to live in is good enough for us to buy in. Recause we believe in transacting business with our friends Because we want to see the

goods we are buying. Creause we want to get what we buy when we pay for it.

Recause some part of every dollar we spend at home stays at home, and helps work for the wel-"are of our home town.,

Because the home man we buy from stands back of the goods, thus always giving value received.

Preause the man we buy from pays his share of the taxes. Because the man we buy from helps to support our poor and needy, our schools, our churches, and our homes.

Because, when luck, misfortune, or bereavement comes, the man we buy from is here with his kindly expressions of greeting his words of cheer, and, if need be, h's pocketbook

Cooperation Stressed ad lie estimated that at least Referring to Mr. West's remarks, \$1,000 was saved the past year and which he heartily approved -Mr. Mor- ting the flames under control. A numthat schemes representing a money etz made the point that service was ber of colored people were riding in an loss of at least \$1,800 were kept at the major consideration in any busa safe distance by reason of the as- iness. People want things promptly. tween Badin and the fire, when one the opening today and March sold 25 sociation He made this calculation neople do not want to be bothered by comparing what the merchants about chasing all over town for ar- car and received injuries from which an acainst several years ago ticles they expect in any certain he died almost immediately. and what they are up against now. store, and he made the point that Mr. Moretz made the point that the werchants would do well to special-

The principle of that the selling of articles carried by to help members and he Mr. W. T Sledge, who has been traction at the Hub theatre for Fri- Match pointed to the way in which cattle in business 14 years, said the meet-the wolves and fight them. spirit was so fine, that his member-Once the wolves and fight them. spirit was so fine, that his member-ever come this way. Dr. Tait Mc- October ______ 16.18 etz and etrile is broken, Mr. Mor- ship would begin with the new quar-etz and in Kinzie, physical director of Pennsyl- December ______ 16.23 etz said, and a member strays, the ter, He riromised cooperation in wolves are happy. Merchants act the work of the association, and he Sandow sink into insignificance when

Mr. N. W. Clark, president of the Mr. N. W Clark, president of the Mr. N. W Clark, president of the Catawba Fair Association, like the dessert, came last, but declared money at home more of our that the others had taken his subject; Sherman and the program is bound, money at home. He showed how the in fact the whole ground was cover- to please.



SHORT ANYWHERE NOW

leved every day.

Washington, Feb 23 .- The house rules committee today held an executive session to consider the bring-

(By Associated Press)

ing of a bill up in the house, a prohibit on measure, for the district of Columbia. Certain representatives said that the postoffic bill, other than the bone-dry amendment adopted yes-

Chairman Moon is expecting action today on his bill. Many prohibition leaders who at first were opposed to a postponement

now are in favor of a delay. to give president POWER TO EMBARGO TWO FISHING SHIPS

(By Associated Press) Washington, Feb. 23-Senator Mar-

tine today introduce a bill to empower the president to declare an embargo on food exports. It was re- two fishing smacks was announced ferred to the foreign relations com-mittee without debate. Similar re-liritish steamer John Miles, reportsolutions are pending in congress $\epsilon d \cdot in$ a news announcement last

without hope of passage. night, was confirmed. The Br tish steamer Watfield has

SERIOUS FIRE NEAR THE Albemarle, Feb. 22.-A fire which d quite considerable damage to the

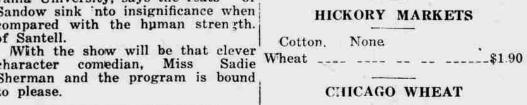
Harwaway Construction Company occurred when a number of the con- the Army this afternoon and tonight ary 22 and the two Cermans in the rection. struction buildings of that company at the Iastime. were burned, and it is reported considerable damage was done to machinery. Hardaway camp is located about one mile beyond Badin at the place

where the dam is being built across the narrows of the Yadkin, and when the fire alarm was given and the news reached Badin that a rather serious manufation manufation fire had broken out near the dam, a crowd of laborers went as quickly

as they could to lend assistance in getautomobile and about half way beof the negroes was thrown from the points net higher. The general list The origin of the fire is not known. Realizing checked the upward move-

SANTELL COMING

The great Santell Co. will be the atvania University, says the feats of compared with the human strength.



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CASE TO BE TRIED CITY MANAGER PLAN **GOES BY BOARDS**

An interesting assault case, the result, it is said of an alleged case of whooping cough in a public school Wash ngton, Feb. 23 .- No actual will be heard before Recorder Camp-

fuel or food shortage exist anywhere bell this afternoon. Mr. Nathan

out toda There are adequate dant stocks for immedite domestic con- On authority of the county physi- the senate. sumption and the railroad situation cian, it is said, Mr. Sigmon ordered wll steadily improve. The situation Mr. Deal to take his children out of

GERMANS REMOVED

crew were removed.

was better today than it was 24 hours school until they presented a certiago and the congestion will be re- ficate signed by a physician saying they did not have whoop ng cough. intricate and difficult. Nowhere duct on was necessary, and the impor-Mr. Deal did not like it, and he and has it been perfectly solved, but ev- tation will be cut in half. This Mr. Sigmon met in the public road crywhere the critical urgency of its will reduce the allowance to 64,000

in Hickory township and an assault solution becomes apparent. The tons. man was injured, but the law and the raised food supplies is at one and the evidence will have an inning this af- same time hte greatest hindrance to ternoon.

a prosperous agriculture in your trade territory and the greatest men-tice tel devoluting manufacture in your city And in sheer self-defense, Winston-Salem must join hands with the farmers of the county in solving this problem. It cannot be solved by AMERICAN STEAMER the city alone nor by the countryside alone. Organized effort at solution calls for generous cooperation on

"If we take drastic measures," he

(By Associated Press.) Charleson, W. Va.. Feb. 23 - After continued, "we can cope with the subin the courtry and the present high Deal is he prosecutor and Mr. Perry being under a city manager for two marine menace, but if the nation is prices should not be attributed to the Sigmon, member of the school board years, Charleston will return to the present railroad congestion, the inter- of Bowman's school, eight miles old form with the mayor acting as state commerce commission pointed northeast of Hickory, is the defen- manager. The house has passed the aster is before us" harter bill which was introduced in aster is before us."

In announcing the decision to re-A CRITICAL URGENCY

strict the importation of paper, Mr. Lloyd George said the government The local market problem is always had decided that a very material re-

MADE BY FRENCH

(By Associated Press.)

part of business men and farmers, Paris, Feb 23 .- "We made two surconsumers and producers. The sol- prise attacks against German trenc'i-

(By Associated Press) ution lies in colision, not in collison, Boston, Feb. 23.—The officers of in cooperation not 'n contest. An ac-NEW BADIN CONSTRUCTION nouncement. "We brought back a nouncement. "We brought back a nouncement. "We brought back a day as reported held up by a cruis- long step forward Rocikngham, score of prisoners. The night was (Don't forget to see your favorite er believed to be the Earle of Glas- Gaston, Guilford, Wilson, and Meck- calm on the remainder of the front."

screen star Pearl White in Fearl of gow off the Brazilian coast on Janu- lenburg are now moving in this di-

(By Associated Press) Paris, Eeb. 23-An official list of vessels sunk between February -20and 22 is as follows: Norwegian steamer Doravore. The British steamer Ape. Three Italian sailing vessels. Monarch and Eemry, both unidentified.

The Dutch steamer Ambo, previously reported as sunk, may have taken in tow.

ANOTHER GONE

showed advances of 18 to 25 points (Py Associated Press) before the end of the first half hour. a submarine.

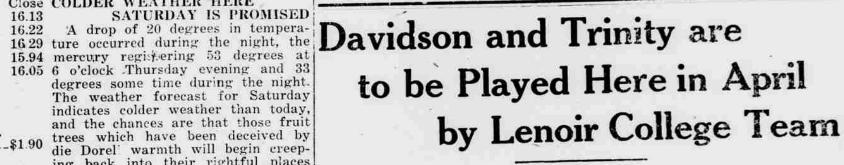
> Close COLDER WEATHER HERE degrees some time during the night. The weather forecast for Saturday indicates colder weather than today, and the chances are that those fruit trees which have been deceived by die Dorel' warmth will begin creeping back into their rightful places until real spring comes singing: around the corner.

Your problem of local markets for PICTURE MEN COMING nome-raised breadstuffs is a three

SUNDAY TO DO HISINESS

million dolar proposition and it calls Mr. N. A. Harris and Mi. Geo S. for busines genius and skill It is a difficult problem, and noth- Gullette, representing the Empire ing less than a generous, full statur-ed statesmanship will avail to spell Film Company of New York, will be it out in effective practical ways. It here Sunday to begin work on the is a highly technical detail of com- production of pictures to be displaypetent city management. The safe ed by manufacturers. The R. L. solution of this problem is far more important to your city than the gov-ernorship of the state or the presi-of the United States A prosperous agriculture in For- to see what the section is doing. dency of the United States.

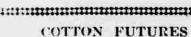
syth waits upon the initiat've and leadership of the Twin City, and the Rev. W. R. Pradshaw has one more Twin City is big and generous enough trip to make before he will take up to realize that the foundations of his deties as pastor of the First Bap-Queenstown, Feb. 23 .- The British her future greatness must rest up- tish church. On Sunday Rev. J. D. ment and the movement was back- steamer Invertould has been sunk by on prosperity, good cheer, and high Pruitt will preach at the morning courage in her countryside. E. C. hour and the children will hold ex-Branson before the Twin-City Club ercises at the night service.



Eoth Trinity and Davidson will be with Catawba and some others, the played here about the middle of April dates for which have not been arrang-

by Lenoir College, and these games are sure to draw large crowds The lege diamond this week, and Manager





(By Associated Press)

market showed renewed firmness at

The market closed steady.

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(By Associated Press)

New York, Feb. 23 .- The cotton

Open

