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THURSDAY, JUNE 7, 1917

Persons who are interested in reading about the Ku Klux in this state will find Dr. Hamilton's History of Reconstruction in North Carolina more entertaining than any late novel. No man can have even a growing acquaintance with state history unless he reads Dr. Hamilton's volume or acquires the information from some other source, which would be laborious. Every library should have a copy. Persons desiring a copy may write to Dr. J. G. deRoulhac Hamilton, Chapel Hill, N. C.

Although there might have been a few slackers in Catawba county, the returns to the county board of registration make a showing of which all the people should be proud. Catawba young men, whether they were living here or in any other states, responded to the call gladly. We might imitate them in performing the other duties imposed by the war.

The Record appreciates the expressions of good will and cheer on the part of a number of its friends in Lenoir, and it has quite a lot of them there. This paper endeavors to serve more than its immediate community and its aim is to be so good that all will want it.

Raleigh plays in luck. Every time some big guns are secured by the University of North Carolina the chamber of Commerce of the capital city is able to tide them over for a speech or two. Secretary Baker and Daniels were guests of Raleigh last night.

With Secretary Baker's prayer that no American soldier shall ever willfully or accidentally kill a woman and child the whole country will share. We can wage war without indulging in those brutalities which the Prussians have reduced to efficiency.

Subscribers to the liberty loan are coming in rapidly these days, the best part about the campaign is not the amount of dollars involved, but the number of bonds placed with different people. Everybody should own a bond.

If the Germans knew in advance of the sailing of the American destroyers, one may be sure they know every step made by the mission to Russia.

What will it profit William of Germany if he save his throne but lose the flower of the manhood of his country?

High Point, with more than 1,700, answered the roll call like a big town.

FOOD SITUATION IN ENGLAND DISQUIETING

London, June 7.—In the house of commons, in reply to a question on the food situation, Captain Charles Bathurst, parliamentary secretary to the food control department, said it was not in the public interest to give any information regarding food supplies, but it was of the greatest importance to the success of the allies' cause that food exports from America should be on the highest possible scale for the remainder of the war.

Captain Bathurst's statement is somewhat disquieting to the public and the press. The Daily Chronicle in one editorial on the subject thinks there is more in it than meets the eye, and proceeds to refer to the delay in the execution by the Washington administration of the food plans, owing to the disagreement in congress.

"It is not for us," says the paper, "to criticize the course of American legislation, but in this case we may be pardoned for feeling considerable anxiety at delays which if extended further, might entail most serious consequences for the allied countries."

The Daily News, after remarking that the whole situation with respect to the production of food in Great Britain is thoroughly unsatisfactory and likely to remain so as long as men continue to be drawn from agriculture for the army, says:

"Increased importance is no less vital than increased home production and the public will become greatly reassured when the measure that makes Mr. Hoover food controller in America and confers upon him plenty of power becomes a law."

DECREASE IS SHOWN IN LOSSES BY SUBMARINES

London, June 7.—The weekly report of the British admiralty concerning British shipping losses by mines or submarines says that 15 vessels of 1,600 tons and over and three vessels under 1,600 tons and five fishing vessels were sunk last week. Summary: Arrivals numbered 2,693 and sailings 2,642.

The above report, compared with that of the previous week, shows an increase of three in vessels of 1,600 tons and over sunk, but an increase of two in the category of less than 1,600 tons. The previous week's report announced the sinking of 18 vessels of 1,600 tons and over, and of one vessel of less than 1,600 tons.

The new report shows an increase of three in the number of fishing vessels sunk—five as against two the previous week.

MONTHLY STATEMENTS

Receipts and Disbursements of City of Hickory, May, 1917.

Administrative Department

Table with RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for Administrative Department. Includes items like 1916 poll and property, 1915 poll and property, Loans, Street Tax, License, Building permits, Plumbing Permits.

Cemetery Department

Table with RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for Cemetery Department. Includes Sale of lot, Labor, Fire Department.

Graded School Department

Table with RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for Graded School Department. Includes Tuition, From general fund, Miscellaneous.

Judiciary Department

Table with RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for Judiciary Department. Includes Court costs, Officers fees, Fines.

Police Department

Table with RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for Police Department. Includes Salaries, Supplies, Special police.

Street Department

Table with RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for Street Department. Includes St. Assessments, Sidewalk assessments, St. Sweepings.

Water Department

Table with RECEIPTS and DISBURSEMENTS for Water Department. Includes Water rents, Sewer rents, Water Taps.

Water and Sewer Bonds

Table with DISBURSEMENTS for Water and Sewer Bonds. Includes Lenoir College Sewer, Westside Sewer, Kenworth Sewer, Material.

School Bonds

Table with DISBURSEMENTS for School Bonds. Includes Payments on School Bldg, Bal. Gen. Fund Acct. May 1st, 1917, Bal. water and sewer bonds, May 1st, 1917, Bal. School bonds May 1st, 1917.

Summary

Table with DISBURSEMENTS for Summary. Includes Bal. Gen. Fund Acct. May 1st, 1917, Bal. water and sewer bonds, May 1st, 1917, Bal. School bonds May 1st, 1917, Receipts Gen. Fund Acct., Receipts graded school.

Respectfully submitted, JOHN W. BALLEW, City Manager.

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Train Schedules.

Table with SOUTHERN, Westbound, Eastbound, and C. AND N.-W. Southbound, Northbound. Lists train numbers and arrival/departure times.

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D. T. APPLIGATE, Sec'y.

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