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## DUTCH GOVERNMENT WILL NOT SURRENDER KAISER

### Hague Authorities Inform Allies That Former Emperor Cannot Be Turned Over to Them For Trial--Note Received in Paris not Decoded at Early Hour This Afternoon

By the Associated Press  
The Hague, Jan. 23.—The Dutch government has refused the demand of the allied powers for the extradition of former Emperor William.

REPLY IN PARIS  
Paris, Jan. 23.—The reply of the Dutch government to the note of the supreme council demanding the extradition of the former German emperor was received in Paris today and is being decoded at the Dutch legation.

In advance of the revelation of the contents, it was believed the Netherlands government had refused to comply with the demand of the allied governments, as it was thought if the Dutch authorities at the Hague were seriously considering turning over the former German emperor, they would have required more time.

## LEE JACKSON DAY IS OBSERVED IN NEWTON

Newton, Jan. 22.—The Pansom-Sherill chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, celebrated Lee-Jackson day at the residence of Mrs. R. B. Knox yesterday afternoon, thus observing the two birthdays of these great southern leaders, on the natal anniversary of the latter instead of the former general.

Not only were a large number of the chapter in attendance on this occasion, but it was graced by the presence of Miss Virginia Lillard, of Charlotte, North Carolina, of Charlotte, N. C., of H. A. Carpenter, and Miss Phyllis Shuffert. After the routine business of the meeting the president presented certificates of membership to Mesdames J. R. Leonard, Glenn Lane and Miss Ethel Servis.

The program of the afternoon was begun by Mrs. Belle Wilfong's reading of "The Passing of a War Time Nurse." A sketch of Mrs. LeGrand Sexton who gave her service to nursing Confederate soldiers during the war. It was a rather strange coincidence that Mrs. Wilfong and Mrs. Sexton were workers together in the Confederate treasury at Columbia during the sixties and that many Confederate bills bear the signature of these ladies.

Mrs. J. S. Lancaster then gave a most interesting sketch of that noble Christian hero, Stonewall Jackson, and was followed by a most enjoyable comic selection, "How My Husband Saved My Life," by Miss Virginia Lillard. Mrs. Glenn Lane most charmingly entertained the ladies with a vocal solo, "I Dreamed of My Garden of Sunshine." Mrs. John P. Young gave a most enjoyable account of one of Col. Fred Olds' visits to Otcon and a graphic description of the hospital.

This was followed by a touching poem, "Garnet Lee," given by Mrs. W. C. Finister after which Miss Lillard most delightfully changed the sad atmosphere of the poem to peals of laughter as she gave "I Won't Cry No More," "Ann's Letter" and several other selections; for so fine was her rendition of these characters, that the daughters rather imposed on her good nature by frequent demands for encores.

As the closing item of the afternoon Mrs. J. A. Gaither beautifully sang "The Stars and Bars Forever," a song dedicated to the North Carolina Division of the U. S. G. and adopted by them at the High Point meeting as their state song.

Prayer by the president closed the meeting after which, assisted by Mrs. Crowell and Miss Lillard, the hostess served most delicious refreshments.

## ARNEY FARM SOLD TO HICKORY PEOPLE

Mr. M. D. Arney has sold his farm three miles west of Hickory to Messrs. H. F. Elliott, Z. B. Buchanan, D. M. Boyd and J. F. Boyd, the consideration being \$30,000. The farm, which is just across the line in Burke county, lies partly along the railroad and is a valuable piece of property. Most of the land is level and probably will be used as manufacturing sites.

## BUILDING AND LOAN STOCKHOLDERS MEET

Stockholders of the Mutual Building and Loan Association will meet in adjourned session at the office of the association on Ninth avenue at 7:30 o'clock tonight for the purpose of electing directors, hearing the treasurer's report, and transacting such other business as may come before them. Change in the time of the annual meeting also will be taken

## TURKEY PLANNED TO FIGHT FOR ALLIES TO NEW YORK SATURDAY

By the Associated Press  
Constantinople, Jan. 23.—Turkey entered the war on Germany's side after the cabinet had decided to join the allies, according to secret documents published by the newspapers today.

The machinations of the war party led by Enver Pasha, war minister in 1914, were responsible for Turkey's joining Germany. When the war broke out, the newspapers say, the majority of the Turkish cabinet was friendly to the entente. The war party then began an attempt to persuade a sufficient number of ministers that Turkey should acquire the German cruiser Goeben as compensation for ships seized in British waters.

## COTTON GINNED NOW IS 10,322,148 BALES

By the Associated Press  
Washington, Jan. 23.—Cotton ginned prior to January 16 amounted to 10,322,148 running bales, including 112,842 round bales, 35,251 bales of American Egyptian and 6,823 bales of sea island, the census bureau announced today.

## SOUTHERN BANKERS CO-OPERATE ADVERTISING TO FARMER

Fifty Southern bankers have undertaken a co-operative advertising campaign. The banks, located in the States of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Georgia, have turned to farm paper advertising in order to show the Southern farmer the value of the banking service they offer.

A series of twelve advertisements, each advertisement a page in space, has been run. The arguments which these banks are setting forth before the prosperous Southern farmers are well summed up in one of the first advertisements of the series headed: "Banks are Servants" which reads: "Banks are servants of the people; servants of countrymen as well as townsmen.

"Without banks, buyers would not be able to promptly pay for your cotton or tobacco. Without banks, you couldn't get 'change' easily when you go to town. Without banks, you couldn't deal with commission merchants in distant cities. Without banks, thieves would run riot and money kept in the home would be in constant danger of being stolen!

"Yes, when you stop to think of it, banks are servants of the people—oil the wheels of commerce, making easier business transactions, making personal savings more secure.

"They are promoters of good business methods, thrift, and accurate bookkeeping.

"The bank in your town is your servant."—Printers Ink.

## Markets

### COTTON

By the Associated Press  
New York, Jan. 23.—The advance in discount rates, slightly larger ginning figures than expected and the circulation of a few January notices led to considerable scattered selling or liquidation in the cotton market during today's early trading. The opening was steady at an advance of five points on January, but generally 20 points lower, and reports of better cables and more hopeful views on the peace treaty.

### PRODUCE

Eggs, per dozen	58c
Hens and roasters per lb.	24c
Old Roosters, per lb.	12c
Country butter, per lb.	40c
Creamery butter, per lb.	68c
Pork (125 to 275), per lb.	18c
Pork (under 125 and over 275) per lb.	17c

### GRAIN

(Corrected daily by Horseford Milling Company)

Wheat per bu	\$2.70
Corn per bu	\$1.90
Oats, per bu.	\$1.00
Rye, per bu.	\$1.90
Cowpeas, per bu	\$4.00

## Weather

For North Carolina: Probable rain tonight and Saturday, warmer except in the extreme west portion. Colder Saturday, except in the extreme west portion, moderate east and southeast winds.

## BRING RESCUED DANIELS DECLARES BRYAN WRONG IN CUMMINGS CASE

By The Associated Press  
New York, Jan. 23.—The transport Northern Pacific, which rescued the passengers of the disabled transport Powhatan, is due to arrive here tomorrow at 6 a. m., according to a wireless dispatch received today.

The Powhatan is in tow of the Canadian steamer Lady Laurier and proceeding towards Halifax. A message from the vessel early today urged prompt sending of heavier towing gear so as to permit the Lady Laurier putting on full steam.

## OFFICERS INSTALLED BY HICKORY JUNIORS

Piedmont Council, No. 43, Junior Order United American Mechanics, has started the new year with new officers and renewed enthusiasm. The officers are: G. O. Yount, councillor; M. M. Sigmon, vice councillor; D. P. Smith, recording secretary; Chas. Stevenson, assistant recording secretary; George Thomason, financial secretary; T. E. Odum, treasurer; H. S. Miller, conductor; Asa Woods, warden; P. E. Reinhardt, inner sentinel; N. J. Beach, outer sentinel; G. L. Huffman, chaplain; J. S. Seaboch, junior past councillor. The trustees are G. L. Huffman, J. H. Sigmon and W. I. Caldwell.

## DECLARES PALMER SHOWED COLD FEET

By the Associated Press  
Washington, Jan. 23.—Charges that Attorney General Palmer had a "plain case of cold feet" when he failed to appear yesterday before the house rules committee to explain the need of legislation to curtail sedition were made today by Representative Rodenburg, Republican of Illinois. Mr. Rodenburg said he did not understand why the attorney general failed to appear.

"I don't want to impugn the motives of the attorney general," he said, "but it looks like a plain case of cold feet."

"We are sparring for political advantages," said Representative Poy, Democrat of North Carolina. "As for 'cold feet' I see evidence of 'cold feet' in this committee."

"The attorney general simply decided to submit his views in writing, which was a very discreet thing to do," Rodenburg retorted.

## FLOWER AND VEGETABLE SEED FOR DISTRICT

The following letter has been received from Representative Hoey: "I will thank you to say in your paper that I am using the seed list formerly used by my predecessor, Congressman Webb, and all of your readers who have heretofore received vegetable and garden seeds from the government will receive them again this year. However, if they have not received the seed heretofore and wish to get them this year, they should send at once to me their name and address.

"All persons desiring to receive flower seeds should send request at once and these will be distributed over the district as long as they last. Only a limited quantity is available, and each person applying will be sent the full assortment until the supply is exhausted. They need not specify varieties, but merely ask for flower seed."

Greene Church driver for the Abernethy Transfer Company is suffering from a genuine case of smallpox, Mr. R. D. Abernethy, manager of the Company, reported yesterday.

## MOUNTAIN PARK HOTEL BURNED TO GROUND

By the Associated Press  
Hot Springs, N. C., Jan. 23.—The Mountain Park Hotel, which was formerly used by interned Germans as a barracks, was completely destroyed by fire of an undetermined origin, which was discovered at 6 o'clock this morning, entailing a loss estimated at \$100,000.

The flames had made much headway before being discovered and the efforts of the village fire-fighters were unavailing.

A score of guests in the hotel barely had time to escape after the alarm was given.

## DANIELS DECLARES BRYAN WRONG IN CUMMINGS CASE

### Former Steadfast Supporter Disagrees With Commoner on Removal of National Chairman Because He Attended Edwards Banquet in New Jersey--Was Neutral

## NEWTON POST TO HOLD SMOKER FEB. 22

Newton, Jan. 23.—The Newton post of the American Legion held its regular bi-monthly meeting in the court house last night, a number of the post members being in attendance. The routine business of the post was transacted, and a number of interesting committee reports were heard looking toward the further development of the league in this section. About twenty new members have been admitted to the Newton post since the last meeting and fifty additional members are expected to be added.

The building committee which has a permanent membership committee was appointed to pass on applications for membership in the post, and investigate the qualifications of all prospective members. A committee was also appointed to make final arrangements for a "get-together" meeting and smoker on Washington's birthday, to which meeting all former service men will be invited, whether members of the legion or not.

This building committee which has in charge the question of plans for the community house reported satisfactory progress in securing a lot in Newton which is centrally located, and committee was empowered to take an option on the property desired and submit final plans for the proposed building. The post will be ready to begin soliciting funds for this project shortly.

Membership in the national American Legion has now passed the two million mark in the United States and its territories, and this association of former service men is now probably the strongest single organization in the country. Its influence is already being felt in the nation's greater institutions.

The Carolina Motor company has purchased from Julius Abernethy the McLelland property recently purchased by Mr. Abernethy including the store building now occupied by W. H. Young and Sons and the residence and vacant lot adjoining. The Carolina people will erect a garage on the lot next to the store building. This new building will be 55x135 feet, two stories high and of brick. The offices of the company will be moved into the new building. Work will begin as soon as the specifications are received.

Mrs. Bessie McGee and mother, Mrs. J. F. Beard have gone to Baltimore, where Mrs. Beard will undergo treatment at a sanatorium in that city. Mrs. McGee will visit her sister in law, Mrs. Henry George, in Washington city.

## ANOTHER SHOCK IS FELT AT VERA CRUZ

By the Associated Press  
Mexico City, Thursday, Jan. 23.—Strong earthquake shocks were felt in Vera Cruz from 3 to 5 o'clock this morning.

## YOUTH BREAKS IN STORE AT VALDESE

Bloodhounds were used in search of the party who on Sunday night broke into the store of Mr. J. M. Brinkley at Valdeese. The dogs trailed to the home of Vard Bradshaw, a young boy about 17 years old, who after being apprehended admitted having entered the store. He was released after furnishing a satisfactory bond.

Mr. Brinkley, who conducts a general merchandise business at Valdeese, entered his store late Sunday night and found that some one had shattered the windows in the rear of the building. Upon investigation he found several articles had been appropriated by the thief, especially edibles. Mr. Brinkley telephoned for the trained bloodhounds and they were put on the trail Monday morning, and succeeded in locating the boy who had entered the store.—Morgan News Herald.

## DANIELS DECLARES BRYAN WRONG IN CUMMINGS CASE

By the Associated Press  
Washington, Jan. 23.—Secretary Daniels today took issue with William Jennings Bryan, who has stated in public addresses that Chairman Cummings of the Democratic national committee either should disassociate himself from Governor Edwards of New Jersey who was elected on a "wet" platform, or resign the chairmanship of the party.

Mr. Cummings attended the governor's inaugural dinner at which Edwards' presidential nomination toom was launched and in reply to Mr. Bryan said he was present only as a neutral.

Mr. Daniels said he had read Governor Edwards' platform with a good deal of interest and had found "90 per cent of it excellent" and agreeing with the best ideals of the Democratic party.

Naturally, the secretary said, he could not agree with Mr. Edwards on the prohibition question, but he did not think that should divide Democrats.

"I believe," continued the secretary, "that Mr. Cummings acted with perfect propriety in accepting an invitation to a dinner given to a Democratic leader. If I had been national chairman, I undoubtedly would have attended. Mr. Cummings would have accepted if the dinner had been for Mr. McAdoo, Mr. Hoover, Mr. Palmer or any other Democrat."

## BIG BUNCH LOAFERS DECLARES WITNESS

By the Associated Press  
Florence, Ala., Jan. 23.—"Don't stop the work, no matter how crude," was the government word in building the \$70,000,000 nitrate plant at Muscle Shoals, J. K. McKenzie, formerly a government inspector, testified today before the house committee on government expenditures.

McKenzie characterized the army of civilian workers often running as high as 25,000 as the "greatest bunch of loafers on earth." Because of his inability to get work done right, the witness wanted to quit.

"They were bringing in droves of skilled workmen when work was not ready for them. It was awful. I went to Captain Coles and protested. I told him it was a crime and he said for me not to get peeved, that the government wanted speed, hang the cost. It don't matter how bad the work was, the work should be done."

## A HEROINE

School superintendents are usually not considered heroes—at least not by the youngsters in school. Yet Kansas has as state superintendent a woman, Lorraine E. Wooster, who seems destined to be accorded that distinction. Miss Wooster has issued an order discontinuing night study at home by pupils. She believes that "the five or six hours spent in the school-room during the day are enough for the growing boy and girl."—They Survey.

## KNIGHT AGAINST DANIELS ON AWARDS

By the Associated Press  
Washington, Jan. 23.—Rear Admiral Austin M. Knight, chairman of the naval decorations board, took sharp issue today with Secretary Daniels on the matter of naval decorations.

Testifying before the senate investigating committee, Rear Admiral Knight said the board could not agree that officers who lost their ships through enemy action were entitled to high decorations unless they had engaged the enemy.

Admiral Knight said the cases of officers who lost their vessels through submarine attacks were not comparable with those of Lawrence and Perry, as Mr. Daniels said in his recent letter to Chairman Page of the senate committee. Lawrence's name was immortal, the witness declared, because of the spirit he showed in engagement with the enemy, while Perry's name is immortal because of the spirit he showed in transferring his crew from the sinking flagship and then leading his ship almost to victory.