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## ELEPHAN AND DONKEY AS POLITICAL EMBLEMS

Origin of These Terms Goes Back to Famous Cartoonist Who Used Them Effectively—Young Member of Congress Causes Old Fellows to Look Up History

By the Associated Press.  
Washington, April 17.—The origin of the terms "elephant" and "donkey" as political emblems goes back to a famous cartoonist who used them effectively. Young member of Congress causes old fellows to look up history.

The W. S. Mann, who was elected to the Washington House of Representatives in 1854, is the originator of the terms. He used the elephant to represent the Democratic party and the donkey to represent the Republican party.

Mr. Mann's use of the elephant was based on the fact that the elephant was the largest animal in the world and the Democratic party was the largest party in the country. He used the donkey because it was a stubborn animal and the Republican party was known for its stubbornness.

The terms "elephant" and "donkey" have since become widely used to describe the two major political parties in the United States.

## ACTION DISMISSED IN SHIP BOARD CASE

By the Associated Press.  
Washington, April 17.—The Supreme Court today dismissed the action of the United States against the shipboard case of William Rosebrough.

The case involved the seizure of a ship by the United States government and the subsequent arrest of the captain and crew. The government sought damages for the seizure and the arrest.

The Supreme Court ruled in favor of the government, dismissing the action of the shipboard case.

## FORESEES COLLAPSE IN GERMANY SOON

By the Associated Press.  
Berlin, April 17.—Financial and economic collapse in Germany within a year if the people do not realize their methods of living and reform, said Dr. Burth addressing a gathering here.

Dr. Burth, a prominent German economist, predicted that the German economy would collapse unless the government and the people took immediate action to reform their methods of living.

He pointed to the high inflation rate and the economic hardship faced by the German people as evidence of the impending collapse.

## GREENSBORO IS NAMED FOR BANKHEAD MEETING

By the Associated Press.  
Hot Springs, April 17.—Beneath Cameron of Starville, N. C., last night was elected president, and Greensboro, N. C., was selected as the 1921 meeting place of the Bankhead National Highway Association, which is holding its annual convention.

Other officers elected are Charles E. McPherrin, Durant, Okla., and George R. Belding, Hot Springs, vice-presidents; J. A. Roundtree, Birmingham, Ala., secretary, and Leon C. Jones, Talladega, Ala., treasurer.

Greensboro was also selected as the 1921 convention city of the United States Good Roads Association and the two organizations will meet there at the same time.

CALL MEETING TONIGHT  
I. O. O. F., Hickory Lodge No. 206, Work in the first degree. Every member requested to be present.

## EQUIPMENT HERE IS SPRING COME MINERS ORDERED FOR HICKORY MANY PEOPLE TO GET BACK CAVALRY INQUIRE ON JOB

With 39 saddles, bridles, gloves and other equipment in the armory and with the requisition issued for 16 horses, the Hickory platoon of Troop A cavalry soon will be on the job in earnest. The men drill every Thursday night and receive considerable instruction in their work. In the middle of May, Lieutenant Bowman and eight non-commissioned officers will go to Camp Gordon, Atlanta, for special training and it is expected that the horses will be here soon after their return.

Misses and subser. have been received and checked off, but the carbines have not come in yet. The platoon has brand new equipment identical with that furnished regular United States cavalry. The platoon has 41 members with a waiting list of several and the platoon will be raised to a full troop with 32 horses just as soon as possible.

The cavalry reserve militia probably will be mustered out within the next two weeks. The rifles are necker for equipment and Lieutenant Bowman wrote to the adjutant general at Raleigh today informing him that he could send an officer here to muster the old fellows on.

## MISS ROSEBROUGH'S FUNERAL HELD TODAY

Funeral services over the remains of Miss Fannie Rosebrough, who died Thursday afternoon, were held this morning at 11 o'clock by Dr. E. M. Craig from the Presbyterian church and interment followed in Oakwood cemetery.

## WOMEN ORGANIZE NEW BUSINESS CLUB

By the Associated Press.  
Birmingham, April 17.—The batchmen and women club, the women's auxiliary of the overall club, was organized here today. The members of themselves to wear their old clothing until price are reduced.

## AMERICA WON'T BE AT ALLIED MEETING

By the Associated Press.  
San Remo, Italy, April 17.—Whether the United States would be represented at the conference of the allied nations called to meet in San Remo is a question which has not been answered as the chief representatives gathered here for the first meeting Monday.

## ILL HEALTH FORCES JUDGE BROWN OUT

By the Associated Press.  
Raleigh, N. C., April 17.—Because of ill health, Associate Justice Geo. H. Brown of the North Carolina supreme court, has authorized the postponement of the June primaries. Judge Brown suffered a severe attack of influenza a year ago and has not been in good health. He has been on the bench for 16 years.

OLD HICKORY DIVISION IS TO HOLD REUNION SEPT. 28  
Asheville, April 17.—Naming September 28 and 29 as the dates for the second annual reunion of the Old Hickory association of the 28th division, the executive committee of the association, together with a number of prominent local citizens, last night arranged the first details for the big reunion to be held here.

DEMOCRATIC CLUB FORMED AT BROOKFORD  
With between 75 and 100 members the Brookford Democratic Club was organized last night with Mr. Tom Cloninger as president, Mr. G. C. Starnes as vice-president, and Mr. J. H. James as secretary. Mr. Robert Young acted as chairman of the meeting.

Markets  
COTTON.  
New York, April 17.—There was a good deal of realizing for over the week-end and yesterday's advance, but the market continued relatively steady owing to rain in the south. Prices after casing off right after the call soon stiffened.

Weather  
For North Carolina: Cloudy with probably light showers and thunderstorms tonight and Sunday; not much change in temperature, moderate variable winds.

## GREAT RAILROAD STRIKE NOW DRAWING TO AN END

Workers in Philadelphia and Baltimore Districts Return to Jobs Today Following Settlement Last Night—Effect Will Be Pronounced Elsewhere—How Situation Looks

## DEBATING TEAMS FOR CHAPEL HILL

By the Associated Press.  
Chicago, April 17.—Hope for the immediate settlement of the railroad strike here was definitely postponed at noon today when the grand jurors and trustees of the "outlaw" unions reiterated their original demands and added new ones.

## CHARGE OF MURDER AGAINST PREMIER

By the Associated Press.  
Cork, Ireland, April 17.—Charges of willful murder against Premier Lloyd George were brought by the verdict of the jury in the death of Mayor MacLennan of this city, assassinated last month, returned today.

## AMERICANS SAFE IN ASIATIC TURKEY

By the Associated Press.  
Constantinople, April 17.—Through Musphata Kemal's nationalist government at Ankara, it was learned today that all American workers in Asiatic Turkey with the exception of those in Haedin, Oufra and Antih, which cities the Ankara government has been unable to reach by wire, are safe.

## SKULL FRACTURED BOY RETURNS HOME

By the Associated Press.  
Danville, Va., April 17.—Willie H. Trimble, seven years old, who was kidnapped from his home in Park Place, a suburb, last night, returned home this morning with his skull fractured. He was taken to a hospital. The lad while in a semi-conscious condition told his parents a negro and a white man seized him while returning from a neighbor's. The boy said they carried him into a field and the white man hit him on the head with a hammer.

This morning the boy said he awoke in an old barn a short distance from his home. Further details are lacking.

The father does not believe that ransom was the motive of the kidnaping. He believes that enemy prompted the attack, saying he had enemies who probably attacked the boy.