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BLOCK ALL HOPE

OF TREATY AT

Committee Block Plans

of President.

PRESIDENT INDICATES NO

Alleging Blackmail and Re-

quests Hearing.

Washington, Feb. 27.-President

EXTRA SESSION LIKELY

33rd Year

22 Pages-3 Sections

RDENELLES SCENE OF MOST DEVELOPMENTS

ports Say That at Least One French Vessel Has Passed the Defenses.

RMANS CONTINUE SILENT ON PROGRESS

ipbuilding Strike in England s Adding to Troubles of the United Kingdom.

ondon. Feb. 17.-British and nch warships continue to hammer s at the doors of the Dardenelics ch cloved Russia's granary and the wssity of releasing the wheat acculated on the shores of the Black has led to the belief that the att is a serious undertaking and not a demonstration.

bl announcement declared that the reduction of the four outer mine sweepers went to work one French ship has penetrated

many remains silent regarding he Carpathians and in custern Gali-

eral announces a repulse of an altacks in north Foland with the Russia (lalms to have driv-

on is growing here that eman advance in east Prussla mainly to rolitical motives and disciplinity it is without effect ecustern campaign as a whole. west the French continue to advantes in the Champagne dis-

ship building strike is causing concern in London, but prompt mment action in ordering resumpwork during arbitration is exattle the trouble

RMAN SOLDIER ADMITS ATROCITIES COMMITTED Framer, Feb. 27.-Carl Vo-

an soldier of the 26th ste hy a French court martial quire five hours to finish. found him guilty of pillaging under arms and of arson. Among ce against him was his own dind on his person.

man denies he killed any wound admitted the other charges and d be way acting under orders.

SSIANS STILL TRYING TO REJOIN MAIN FORCES \$500,000,000 IN NEW

Fell 27.-A Petrograd disis says that units of twentieth corps which was suraded by the Germans in the retreat



C. H. Canby, President of the Chicago Board of Trade.

C. H. Canby, president of the Chithe straits under protection of cago board of trade, was a voluntary and curs. Unoticial dispatches witness before the inquiry instituted whens and Rome assert that at by the attorney general of New York into the rise in the price of bread and wheat. He insisted that there oversold themselves and been badly The treaty with Colombia negotiated

hate of the military operations. was no such thing as a monopoly of a declares that Austrian and wheat, and that the high prices were in forces are holding their own caused merely by the European demand.



PUNISHMENT RECORDS San Francisco, Cal., Feb. 27 .- The country's most famous speed stars Washington, Feb. 27.-Presi-dent Wilson today Received a letter from Mrs. Richard Steg-

competed in the sixth grand prize automobile race starting at 10:30 today on the four mile course. The thirtyfive drivers include Eddie Pullen, Barney Oldfield, Ralph DePaima, Earl * Coopersand Caleb Bragg. It was exantry, has been sentenced to pected the 402 mile grind would re-With ideal weather and track in perfect condition it was thought a new record might be made. Two right angle turns, however, and other irregularities in the course offered great

handicaps against time. Beside the cash prizes amounting to \$7,000 there were many smaller rewards for sucessful contestants.

MONEY BEING PRINTED | *

Washington, D. C., Feb. 27 .- Secre- . the whole affair and should be tary McAdoo yesterday announced his * a cust Prussia are still fighting and purpose to print approximately \$500,- .

This is what Mr. Canby had to say when he was asked if a large corporation, like the Armour grain interests, cannot by buying grain from the farmers and holding it indefinitely in their elevators control the export wheat situation, and by controlling that regulate the domestic market: Senators on Foreign Relations

"I wouldn't call that a popular myth. I should say it is principally all moonshine-just plain bunk.

"The present situation is remark able but lawful," he continued. "The export surplus fixes the domestic price. We can't expect to buy here for less than is offered abroad. However, our export facilities are limited. Otherwise, Europe would be in the market for all the wheat we have.

Roosevelt Writes Strong Letter Germany would pay \$2 a bushel for any quantity. "One advantage of high prices is

that people waste less wheat, flour and bread when it is expensive. "I do not understand how people like ours, which spends millions a Wilson has virtually decided not to year on cheap chewing gum, cigars call a special session of the senate to and other trash, can be affected by an increase of 1 cent in the price of consider the Colombia treaties. At bread." the White House today it was said

Turning back to the wheat situathat while the question still was un tion. Mr. Canby asserted: der consideration there were little "Liverpool is the wheat barometer this year. I believe Europe is accu- prospect of a special session. The opposition of some Republican

mulating a surplus. "I think we may have as much as senators makes it improbable any ac-100,000,606 bushels left to export and I am confident that speculation this

year is vastly less than it usually is. session. The president expects how-I don't know of any speculator or any ever, that at least some of his nomibold group of speculators who have nees for the trade commission will plunged and made fortunes. I do know of some big people who have be confirmed before March 4.

frightened. Mostly the operators are sitting on the fence. by Secretary Bryan, expressing regret over the situation that has arisen out over the situation that has arisen out Speculation neither raises nor lowof the establishment of the Republic of Panama and agreeing to pay Colom-

bia \$25,000,000 as a balm for her wounded feelings, was practically killed Thursday for this session at least, by the senate foreign relations committee.

Chairman Stone of the committee to this treaty and that with Nicaragua which has been reported to the senate. The President was quoted as hav

committee a letter from former President Roosevelt, in which he vigorously opposed the pending treaty, conclud-ing with the statement that "the purpose of the treaty which you inform me you are endeavoring to have adopted by the senate of the United States is a treaty of blackmall, pure and simple.

ference at the White House, Senator Stone declared that nothing could be gained by permitting Colonel Roose-"alr his views."

Mr. Roosevelt also dwelt on the his tion

Business Men Favor Treaty.



Angier 3. Duke.

Cordelia Drexel Biddle.

4 o'clock Edition

Society in New York, Philadelphia, Miss Biddle will have among her atand Pittsburgh was interested in the fact that Miss Cordelia Drexel Biddle, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Drexel Biddle, of Philadelphia, has selected Wednesday, April 28, as the date of her wedding to Angler B. Duke, son Mrs. Biddle and her daughter are

to an ARMOLEY STUDIA

Chairman Stone of the committee had a conference in the morning with the president and discussed with him the situation in the senate with regard to this treaty and that with Nicaragua Holy Trinity Church, Philadelphia, and Data Conference in the morning with the situation in the senate with regard to this treaty and that with Nicaragua

Holy Trinity Church, Philadelphia, and Bradley, of Pittsburgh.



"The Anti-Jug bill, which passed the House a few days ago by a sweeping majority, will very likely go thru the Senate in like manner."

This information came to The Sentinel this morning from one of the leaders in the upper branch of the North Carolina legislature.

It is also learned that Forsyth county is included in the state-wide primary law which has passed the Senate and will likely have smooth sailing in

Senator Chatham has introduced the bill in the Senate providing for the proposed Forsyth County Court. A message was sent him this morning by velt to come before the committee to Attorney Stephenson to the effect that there would be no further amendments to the bill. It is reported that the bill may encounter some opposition when it tory of negotiations with Colombia relating to the treaty during his admin- publican to preside over the new court, and the salary named for the clerk istration, recalling that the original (\$1,500) being regarded somewhat excessive, it being contended that the duties terms of settlement provided for an of the county court would materially reduce those of the superior court. indemnity of \$7,000,000 instead of Clerk Transou says that the work of the county court will necessitate the em-\$25,000,000, as in the pending convenployment in his office of an experienced man and would cost \$1,200 or \$1,500.

There will be no increase in salaries of county officials. A bill has been



PRICE FIVE CENTS

Friday-Many Bills.

FORSYTH BILL HELD IN SENATE FOR PRESENT

Sympathy Expressed for Speaker Wooten, Whose Recovery Is Pronounced Hopeless.

Raleigh, Feb. 27 .- "No Improvement in his condition" was the statement at Rex hospital at 1:30 this afternoon as to the condition of Speaker Wooten. He is considered to be as low as he can be to be alive and death is expected momentarily. Practically all hope of recovery has been abandoned. Pneumonia has developed.

The senate this morning set the anti-jug bill as a special order for Monday night, where it was left off last midnight, the intention to be to reach a vote Monday night.

The crop Hen bill has been set for special order for noon on Tuesday in the senate.

There came over to the senate to day from the house a bill by Repre-sentative Mickle entitled an act to authorize and empower Forsyth coun ty to expend certain funds out of the general county fund. This bill pro vides for addition moneys in the offices of the sheriff, clerk of court,

Senator McMichael this morning explained that his vote against the primary bill was on account of its having been amended so as not to in clude all candidates for office, state and county. He said he had fought 25 years for a primary bill but not in the present shape. He explained that he had been reported as voting against the bill.

New bills in the senate included: By Polk-To increase appropria tions for state high schools.

By Hobgood-To amend Guilford sraded school law_ By Snow-To amend the state

board of accounting act.

The senate defeated the house resolution to limit the introduction of new bills for the session to Monday night. It was voted down on second reading.

Among bills passed by the senate today were: To incorporate the town of Jeffer-

son To incorporate the town of Podd.

Ashe county. Authorize supplementary bonds for the Watauga and Yadkin railroad by North Wilkesboro.

Amend the law as to Mooresville recorder's court.

There came from Governor Craig

the close of the present session. Roosevelt Charges Blackmail. Chairman Stone laid before the

Colonel Roosevelt had asked to be permitted to come before the commit-tee in person, but, following a con-the House,

be able to rejoin the

UTISH MERCHANT SHIP

a British merchant June 50 ich torisilo bout destroyer has be available at any time. out from there to the assistance the British ship.

ISSIAN SUCCESS IS REPORTED IN GALICIA

- The Austrian ad eurora Galleia has been the Russians driving or approximate have reenterel shir and Kolomen, says the Even News in a telegram from Hertza,

6 STEAMSHIP MAKING FOR AMERICAN SHORES

27.-The Allan line for help yesterday solute for Hallfax and she cath there Sunday. The coast ters are conveying the ship HEALTH. 200 passengers and for Glassow

ERMAN AVIATORS ARE LANDED BY TRAWLER

angland, Feb. 27.-Two

FICIAL GERMAN NEWS

The war office re-

yesterday and last "ontinues. Otherwise the zone in many weeks. repulsed

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To the left of the Vistula there ao developmenta.

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000,000 of Federal reserve notes, to be sent to Federal reserve banks when demanded, thru the proper channels. They will take the place, to a large de-

REPORTED IN DISTRESS gree, of the notes issued under the France, Feb. 27 .- It is re- Aldrich-Vreeland act, which expires

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FAMOUS MOULIN ROUGE IN FLAMES.

Paris, Feb. 27 .- The Moulin Rouge, well-known as a center of the Paris night life, caught fire early this morning. The entire fire department of the center of Paris was called out.

an which sent out FORTY BIG VESSELS ARE NOW INSIDE DARDENELLES

Athens, Feb. 27 .- 3 p. m .- An allied and, Feb. 27.-Two fleet numbering upwards of forty who for two days ships has penetrated the Dardenelles heir machine in the as far as Hortari and is now within penalties for punishment of anyone ar-ianded here today by range of Fort Intepe, on the Asiatic resting a diplomatic officer. He cantescued them. The side, according to reliable news reach-attempting to fly ing here this afternoon. This fort England last Sun-was destroyed, the message continunded over to naval ues, and Turkish camps are now be ing bombarded. Part of the squadron

is within range of Fort Dardanos A French squadron is cruising FROM THE WAR OFFICE about the entrance to the Dardenelles where the forts were silenced yester-

day by the fleet. This effective bombardment and renewed strong entrance to the straits is considered Fighting in some the biggest turn of events in the war

BANDITS ROB BANK AND ABDUCT THE PRESIDENT

Havana, Ark., Feb. 27.-Two masked * men held up the bank here late today, taking every cent, more than \$4,-

The robbers forced the president, they Russions were made prison- them. Mitchell was found unharmed tonight in the mountains eleven miles . from town. A posse is in pursuit of

the robbers.

freed.

Washington, Feb. 27 .- Thru Count von Bernstorff, the German Ambassador, who is in New York, the state

ler, wife of the German reserv-

ist arrested in New York on the

charge of fraudulently issuing

passports, asserting that Steg-ler had been led to his crime

by Capt. Boy-Ed of Washington.

Mrs. Stegler asks that her hus-band be set free. Her letter

referred to the department of

justice. Mrs. Stegler wrote the

President that Capt. Boy-Ed had promised her \$250 per

month while Stegler was abroad and \$150 a month for life if he was killed. She declared

she had no money now and did

not know how she could support

herself unless her husband is

Mrs. Stegler adds that her

husband made a clean breast of

of Same Valory Sur Somme, A the notes so that a large supply could partment of justice connecting the perative "that the antipathy and diston, with the alleged passport frauds moved at once.

given his liberty.

which resulted in the arrest of Richard Peter Steglar and others in New York

of Captain Boy Ed will be made, ding to information obtained to-Whatever action is to be taken what is the about the best since 1902, was announced here. M No complaint or request for the recall of Captain Boy Ed will be made, according to information obtained today. will be left to the determination of the today. German government.

Secretary Bryan declined to discuss \$100. the passport scandal, and no statement was obtained at the White House, except a denial that there was

any suspicion that Count von Bern- CREW GETS \$1,000 FOR storif had acknowledged of the alleged conspiracy. Nor was any official statement on the arrests of Stegler and the other alleged conspirators in New York obtainable at the department of justice. It was learned, however, that agents of the department of justice were about to arrest Steglar when he got wind of his danger and went to a newspaper office with his story

Captain Boy Ed is entirely immune from arrest by American officers. Fed-eral laws provide this and prescribe resting a diplomatic officer. He can-not even be sued, unless his government consents.

ENGLISH HEAVYWEIGHT HELD GERMAN PRISONER

Berlin, Feb. 27 .- Georges Carpenter the champion heavyweight pugilist of a Europe, has been wounded, and is now a German prisoner of war, according to the Tageblatt.

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PEACE CONFERENCE IS

BEING HELD IN CHICAGO Chicago, Feb. 27 .- A national

peace conference was opened here today for the adoption of a plan by which the influence of the American people may be ex-erted for early peace in Europe. Peace advocates from all parts of the nation are attending.

In support of the treaty M submitted a petition signed by 76 rep-resentative firms and corporations of department will call the attention of opportunities for the expansion of

name of Captain Boy Ed, the naval attache of the embassy in Washing-ton, with the allored and Washing-

HIGHEST TAX RATE IN YEARS IN NEW YORK CITY

The average rate is \$1.984 on each

Depreciation in real estate values is given as the cause for the increased rates.

SINKING A SUBMARINE

Paris, Feb. 27 .- French marine assurance companies have turned over to Minister of Marine Augagneur 5 000 francs (\$1,000) to be given to the crew of the ship of the second light squadron which sank a German sub marine at Boulogne on Tuesday. The Marquis of Ornano has offered a prize of 5,000 francs for the next Zeppelin brought down in France.

YORK LINERS ARE HELD IN PORT.

Liverpool, Feb. 27,-All New York sailings have been suspended temporarily by the Brit. ish admiralty.

All the regular liners booked to sail from Liverpool, London, or Glasgow for New York on Saturday are to be kept in port.

office.

night.

SPEAKER WOOTEN 19

UTAH CATTLEMEN WANT TROOPS TO AID IN HUNT .

Salt Lake City, Utah, Feb.27 .--- A dispatch from Bluff, Utah, says that Indian Agent Creel and Assistant Disiriet Attorney Cook are in conference . with Marshal Nebeker and citizens of . Bluff regarding the best method to + apprehend the hostile Piute Indians. Cattle owners are urging that troops |* be asked for at once. Bluff is under . heavy guard, with lookouts at all points

one drafted by one of the Forsyth representatives which empowers the county commissioners to increase the salaries of the register of deeds, court clerk the city of New York, urging its rati- and sheriff whenever the board deems such action proper. Assurance is given fication. They contended that the that if the bill is introduced it will not be passed.

The bills abolishing the office of county treasurer in Forsyth at the close our Latin trade that had been open- of the present term, establishing a Farm Life and High School at Clemmons, the German government to the evi-dence obtained by agents of the de-receiving the the antinathy and dis-the dence obtained by agents of the de-

There is no chance for the bill introduced providing for an increase in out of the secession of Panama be re- the interest law in North Carolina from six to eight per cent. The Democratic members of the General Assembly are free to say that such action would place a bludgeon in the hands of the Republicans and mean serious injury to the Democratic party in the next state election.

The members of the legislature are working hard and hope to be able to close up all its business affairs in time to adjourn at the close of the sixty day

Conference on New Court Bill.

Members of the Winston-Salem Bar Association and a number of prominent laymen held a conference yesterday afternoon to consider some of the objections made to the proposed bill providing for the establishment of the

Forsyth County Court. The bill was discussed at some length, and at the close of the conference the local attorneys decided that they would make no change in any of the provisions, and allow it to be fought out in the General Assembly as it was recently introduced in the Senate.



London, Feb. 27.-Six newspaper Petrograd, Feb. 27.-The German correspondents are to leave London infantry is being thrust back across They are going under the auspices of the Niemen in Northern Poland and the British war office. Among them the Russian general staff believes an-is one American. This will be the other German plan of attack upon first time newspaper men have been Warsaw has been successfully stopped. permitted to visit the British lines.

There are in all eighteen correspondents credited to the British war German efforts to cut railroad com-They will go to the front in munication to the north from Warsaw detachments of six each, the second and the resumption of activity nea group starting when the first return. Borlinow, central Poland. One Rus

sian staff officer says:

Evidently the Germans intend to push forward again in the center. For IN CRITICAL CONDITION this purpose they need reinforcements of troops. In the Kogno district ac Raleigh, Feb. 27 .- The conditivity is diminishing. Hence it is es tion of Speaker Wooten of the ident that the Germans are using their house of representatives who railways to throw over troops towar was injured several days ago. at noon today was critical. Dr. Hubert A. Royster attending Mr. Wooten said Mr. Wooten's a Beilmow.

in order, that we may not do th same thing, namely rush troops toward Bzura and Rawka rivers, the German condition was very serious. He are making desperate efforts first with was asleep at noon after a bad | cavalry and then with infantry to cu the railway communication. Thank
to the watchfulness of our command

r from the se tary of state extending greetings and expressing regrets at the death of W. T. Aycock and the hope that Speaker Wooten would recover.

A bill passed the senate to establish a recorder's court in Leaksville. At noon the senate launched upon lengthy discussion of the Weaver child labor bill and this is now in progress

New bills in the house today included:

By Leonard-Amend the charter of Lexington.

By Leonard-To amend the charer of Thomasville.

By Thomas-To incorporate Advent Christian Conference of Eastern North Carolina.

By pegram-To enlarge the files of the Chatham board of health. By Carr-Amend the law relative

to the burial expenses of Confederate veterans.

By Hanes-Appoint a finance committee of Davie county.

Among bills passed by the house was as the one to amend the school aws for North Wilkesboro.

The bill by Senator Miller of Rowan to retire certain bonds of Sali, bury was tabled on request.

The house took up at noon the con sideration of the machinery bill and Representative King succeeded in getting thru an amendment to give the county the discretion of having as many as three township tax listers instead of one as prescribed.

The special committee for the investigation of the Carter-Abernethy contempt case will meet this after noon to arrange the program for pro cedure. Ith is undecided whether the investigation will take place at once or after the session adjourns. It is also undetermined whether the laves-Relationship is divided between the tigation will be public or executive.

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	EMPEROR DECORATES .
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C II B	rs and to the energy of our troops the efforts of the energy have been fa- ile. The officer added that even the the erman plan succeeded. This achieve- tient will not influence the Russian po- titions so long as the railroad lines com Warsaw to the front remain in