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PASQUOTANK METHODISTS GET CONFERENCE

British People Satisfied With Result Of Election

ENGLISH PRESS AND PUBLIC FEEL RESULT ELECTION SATISFIES

"We Are Rid of All of the Compromises That Have Made Parliament Contemptible," Asserts The Westminster Gazette

(By Associated Press) LONDON, Nov. 17.—Gratification is expected by most of the newspapers as the result of the election. It was of course to be expected from the conservative press in review of the retention of the conservative majority by some of the liberal papers also find certain grounds for satisfaction. They recognize that the outcome means a return to party government and the disappearance of all the most disliked in the coalition long after they regarded its dissolution as due.

"We are rid," says the Westminster Gazette "of the compromises which have made parliament contemptible." The Daily Herald, exulting over labor's successes anticipates another election in 18 months.

C-14 IS INFLATED WITH HYDROGEN

Huge Dirigible Being Prepared For Flight Across Country

NEWPORT NEWS, Va., Nov. 17.—The dirigible C-14, recently wrecked while leaving her hangar at Langley Field, will be ready for test flights in the near future, according to officers at the flying station. The bag of the C-14 is being inflated today, a large hole torn in it at the time of the accident having been repaired.

The C-14 is a sister ship of the C-2 recently destroyed at San Antonio. She has made only a few flights and will be thoroughly tested at Langley before being sent on a long trip. As soon as the C-14 is pronounced ready for a long trip she will go to the Aberdeen Proving Grounds to help test out a new bomb recently perfected there, according to unofficial reports. The C-14 is one of the few lighter-than-air crafts of her size owned by the government at this time and her movements are closely watched by airmen in all parts of the country. The blimp will be inflated with hydrogen.

LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL HAS BUSY SESSION

Completing Legislative Program for Next Session of General Assembly

RALEIGH, Nov. 17.—The North Carolina legislative council, composed of representative women's organizations, was in session today completing a legislative program. Chief among the propositions considered are equal guardianship for both parents of the person and property of the children, minimum age of woman 18 years, eligibility of women for jury service with the exemption of mothers of young children in addition to the usual exemption for men, the Australian ballot, revival of state prohibition laws, retention and enlargement of the department of public welfare. The council will eliminate several of the measures under consideration in order that the organization will be in a position to concentrate their entire strength in endeavoring to have passed the most important legislation it was stated.

MRS. VANDERBILT AGAIN HONORED

Unanimously Elected As Head of the North Carolina State Fair

RALEIGH, Nov. 17.—Mrs. Edith K. Vanderbilt, of Baltimore, was re-elected president of the North Carolina Agricultural Society today. A deficit of \$24,000 was shown in the auditors report of the society's operation this year but it was developed that many improvements had been made and the fair enlarged. Governor Morrison Nominated Mrs. Vanderbilt.

NEW CHANCELLOR TO START WORK AT ONCE

BERLIN, Nov. 17.—Wilhelm Cuno, newly designated German chancellor, planned to begin the work of selecting a ministry upon his return today from Hamburg where he went to adjust affairs in connection with his position as director general of the Hamburg steamship line.

Junior Order Meets Tonight. There will be a regular meeting of New Bern Council No. 520, J. O. U. A. M. at their hall, corner of Broad and Hancock streets, tonight at 8 o'clock. Members are urged to be present as very important business is to come up. Visiting Juniors are welcome.

TOMORROW'S GAME BE CLASSIC OF THE SEASON

Interest in tomorrow's game between the New Bern and Wilmington high school football teams, which is to start at Ghent Park at 3 o'clock, is at fever heat and indications are that one of the largest crowds ever to witness a football game in this section will be on hand when the fray begins. The Wilmington team is here and will be prepared for the contest promptly on the hour. That the New Bern boys will have plenty of support when it comes down to a question of encouragement from the side lines is assured. The local rooters will be there in force and there will be something doing every minute during the fray. Reports reaching the city today are to the effect that scores of visitors from nearby towns are coming to attend the contest.

POLICE BELIEVE BOMB CAUSED A BIG EXPLOSION

Blast Caused Death of Three Persons at a Moonshine Plant

CHICAGO, Nov. 17.—Police today worked on the theory that a bomb caused last night's explosion in a moonshine distillery resulting in the death of three persons and the injury of at least nine others. The explosion occurred in a mixed foreign quarters of the city. Two buildings were wrecked.

STATE TO PROBE CASE OF HEIRESS

Uncle Wants to Know Why She Is in Asylum—Would Remove Guardian

Boston, Nov. 17.—State officials are to probe the confinement and treatment of Dorothy Gordon, 42 year old heiress, in the McLean insane hospital at Waverly. It was announced here, John Gardner, the girl's uncle, is fighting to have William F. Jardine, her guardian, who admits taking her to the asylum, removed. He requested that the state authorities begin an investigation at once.

Hearing of the case in which Jardine has admitted taking the girl to the hospital in order to prevent her from marrying Willard Newell, tech graduate, and to retain control of her fortune, out of which he admits paying himself a princely yearly salary, has been continued until November 24. Although Dr. Frederick H. Packard, head of the private institution where the girl has been confined since last spring, and where, it is admitted, she was until recently kept tightly strapped to a cot, declares Miss Gordon is "violent," attendants of the place deny this.

DAUGHTERS ARE TO FINISH WORK

Decide To Complete the Erection of Monument To Jefferson Davis

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., Nov. 17.—The U. D. C. will complete the Jefferson Davis monument at Fairview, Ky., within the next year if a report of the Davis monument committee, read before the annual convention here today is adopted. The committee recommended that pledges be taken from the floor to raise \$30,000, the remainder of the fund necessary to complete the shaft. The obelisk is now 216 feet high and work has been stopped for lack of funds. When completed the memorial will stand 351 feet.

Japanese Wedding; Ryman Hall On Monday night Nov. 20th at 7:30 o'clock in Ryman's Hall there will be a Japanese Wedding given by the school children. After this a box supper will be sold for the benefit of Bridgeton Graded School. Refreshments will be sold. The public is cordially invited.

MEN IN REGALIA OF THE KU KLUX ARE ATTACKED

Authorities Investigate Fatal Affair Near Hot Springs, Ark., Tuesday Night

HOT SPRINGS, Ark., Nov. 17.—More arrests today were predicted by county officers investigating the attack made Tuesday night on a number of men clad in regalia similar to that worn by the Ku Klux Klan, who had attended a meeting at Jesseville held to discuss measures for law enforcement and reformation of moonshining. One man was killed and several were wounded. More than forty residents of Marble township section were arrested yesterday and are held in jail here for questioning. A number of stills were destroyed.

PLAN TO DISCUSS PROPOSED LINE

Kinston Chamber of Commerce To Discuss Governor Morrison's Proposal

KINSTON, Nov. 17.—The local chamber of commerce tonight is to discuss Governor Morrison's proposition to establish a public-owned shipping service. There will be no hull nosing their way up Neuse to this port, but the local commercial organization is rather expected to manifest hearty interest in the christening and launching of the executive project. Possibly, or probably, state owned ships call New Bern a home port, special type craft will come into use to lighter parts of their cargoes upstream to this point. It is entirely practicable, chamber of commerce men said today. It has long been regarded as possible to use the upper Neuse, to commercial advantage. Greenville and Tarboro would benefit from the location of a terminal at Washington, and so would river towns on other streams from the State's development of their logical ports to the end that a former glory of the commonwealth might be restored and alleged unfair freight rates wiped off the tariff sheets. There are thousands of competent navigators and "A. B.'s" along the coast to man the Tar Heel merchant marine. Some have seen service in all seas. Veteran skippers and mates are found in numbers in every "banks" village and deep-water town. There are more proficient seamen, it is said that nearly every man-Jack of a Tar Heel naval militia division in the World War was discharged as a commissioned, warrant or petty officer.

KEMALIST ATTEMPT ENDS IN FAILURE

(By Associated Press) CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 17.—An attempt by the Kemalists to run the interned Turkish destroyer Akhissar disguised as a merchantship out of the Golden Horn past the allied control, was frustrated last night.

TURKISH SULTAN HAS FLED; DECLARES HE HASN'T ABDICATED

CONSTANTINOPLE, Nov. 17.—Mohammed VI, the Turkish Sultan, has fled from Constantinople on a British warship for Malta. Upon embarking the sultan emphasized that he was not abdicating but merely removing himself from danger. It is spring south of the equator now, but we don't know if it is next spring or last spring.

IRISH ARE EXECUTED FOR HAVING WEAPONS

DUBLIN, Nov. 17.—Four civilians, residents of the Free State, following a trial by a military court, who were charged with the unlawful possession of revolvers, were executed today.

OFFER REWARD OF \$5,000 FOR THE BOMB THROWERS

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NEXT ANNUAL MEETING OF METHODISTS WILL BE HELD IN EASTERN PART OF STATE

MRS. PHILLIPS' SMILE SAVED HER FROM CHAIR

Had It Not Been For Her Smiles Woman Who Killed Mrs. Alberta T. Meadows Would Have Been Convicted of Murder In the First Degree, Members of the Jury Say.

LOS ANGELES, Calif., Nov. 17.—Men members of the jury which found Mrs. Clara Phillips guilty of second degree murder for beating Mrs. Alberta T. Meadows with a hammer were quoted today as admitting Mrs. Phillips' smiles saved her from the gallows. Had it not been for her smile she probably would have been convicted of first degree murder thus making death the only penalty.

Mrs. Phillips seemed to study them one at a time and to flash frequent smiles at them while she turned, apparently stolidly, back to the court room, they were quoted. "And she was the most appealing smile I ever saw," was the way one juror was quoted. "But the women jurors were not affected by it as all three favored a verdict that would have sent Mrs. Phillips to the gallows."

LOSS OF LIFE IN CHILEAN QUAKE IS LESS THAN THOUGHT

SANTIAGO, Chile, Nov. 17.—Revised figures given out by the minister of the interior placed the total of those killed in last Saturday's earthquake at 548 which is considerably below the early reports. The number of injured is only partly estimated the total being set at 337 but those coming under this category in Valparaiso and Chanaan are scribbled in the report as "innumerable."

WILL REPRESENT SHORT TERM IN CONGRESS THAT CONVENES MONDAY

RALEIGH, Nov. 17.—Charles L. Abernethy, of New Bern, yesterday received his certificate to represent the Third North Carolina District in the National Congress which convenes Monday, occupying the seat made vacant by death of S. M. Brinson.

Abernethy was declared elected for the short term in a special session of the Board of Elections which canvassed the returns from the Third District short-term election in which Mr. Abernethy had no opposition. A total of 13,503 votes were cast for him.

James J. Hatch, Mr. Abernethy's secretary, is already in Washington and Mr. Abernethy will be sworn in as soon as he presents his credentials to the clerk of the House.

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Wilmington and Kinston Invited Conference But Pasquotank County Methodists Won Out.—Adjournment of the Conference Will Come At Noon Monday When Appointments Will Be Read.

RALEIGH, Nov. 17.—The next session of the North Carolina conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, will be held in Elizabeth City, this invitation being accepted by the members of the conference this morning. Wilmington and Kinston were the other towns extending invitations.

Reception of the class of five young men into full connection after two years on trial was the solemn feature of the morning session, Bishop Denny making the charge to them and impressing on them the fundamental searching questions of the discipline as written by John Wesley.

Dr. T. A. Smart presented the work of the hospital board of the Southern Methodist Church and Dr. T. N. Ivey, of the superannuate fund.

A committee of five was appointed to cooperate with the western North Carolina conference and the conference of the Methodist Protestant Church for closer cooperation.

The morning session was a busy one, clearing the way for the reports of resolutions of board and committee on Saturday. Adjournment of the conference will come on Monday about noon with the reading of the appointments.

SHIP SUBSIDY BILL COMES UP THURSDAY

WASHINGTON, Nov. 17.—Agreement was reached by House leaders today to take up the ship subsidy bill next Thursday under a rule providing for three days of general debate and unlimited opportunity for amendment with a final vote November 24.

