

THE DRIVE IS NOW ON FOR COUNTRY CLUB

The Proposition Meets With Much Favor Among the Citizens of Both Concord and Kannapolis.

TWO CITIES CAN USE IT JOINTLY

The Club Property on the Kannapolis Road Is Ideally Situated For Use by the Citizens of Both Cities.

Since the announcement a few days ago that an effort was being made to revive interest in the proposition to start a country club, scores of assurances of support have been received by those behind the movement.

The more the proposition for a country club is discussed the more apparent it becomes that Concord is probably the largest town in the State that does not have such an institution.

This is the day of fitness, mental and physical, and a well known business man in offering his aid in support of starting a country club.

A country club on the Dayvault farm on the Kannapolis road would be a delightful place and afford an opportunity of pleasant and profitable enjoyment that would go far in awakening the civic pride of the community.

Secures of similar expressions are heard when the country club proposition is mentioned. In fact many express impatience when informed that work on the plans are successful.

Come and laugh and smile and sing, everybody tonight at the High school at 7:30. Don't miss it. It is for the community, for every one who wants a good laugh.

Death of Mrs. J. Harvey Spears. Mrs. Emma Spears, wife of Mr. J. Harvey Spears, died Wednesday afternoon at her home near Rocky River Church.

Big Fire at Huntersville, Ala. Huntersville, Ala., Nov. 25.—Fire early today destroyed the Spring City Milling Co., Swift & Company's plant, the W. B. Smith mercantile establishment, and damaged adjoining structures.

Money may be scarce, but spot cash isn't so scarce as the market variety. Unfortunately two hours that beat as one don't always continue to keep time.

You never can tell. Many a man of high estate owns nothing more tangible than castles in the air.

"EXTRA TERRITORIAL RIGHTS" BE MODIFIED

China's Delegates Want the Extra Territorial Privileges Abolished Altogether It Is Known.

SWEEPING CHANGE NOT POSSIBLE NOW

Is the Opinion of a Majority of the Delegates at the Conference.

Washington, Nov. 25.—(By the Associated Press.)—The arms conference discussion of far eastern questions shifted today to the possibility of abolishing the system of "extra territorial rights," under which the powers maintain their own judicial agencies in China for the trial of cases in which their respective nationals are involved.

China wants the extra territorial privilege abolished altogether although her delegates have indicated their doubts whether the present judicial machinery of the Chinese government would make it possible to withdraw the foreign tribunals immediately.

Abolition of System Agreed in Principle

Washington, Nov. 25.—Abolition of extra territorial rights in China by which the various powers maintain their own courts for the trial of their own nationals, was agreed to in principle today by the powers represented in the Washington conference on Pacific and Far Eastern affairs.

The Chinese delegates presented to the committee today a statement strongly urging the abolishment of the extra territorial rights and sympathetically responses were said to have been given by the representatives of the other powers.

The belief was generally expressed, however, that the rights could not be done immediately, as a result of conditions in China, but that the abolition should come as promptly as is compatible with the present situation and progress of China.

The committee on reaching the general agreement, authorized the appointment of a sub-committee headed by Senator Lodge, of the American delegation, to present the principles in the concrete form of a resolution.

The sub-committee also will work out details of the surrender by the powers of their rights. This task will include the consideration of a number of treaties and for that reason the time required for its accomplishment was problematical.

The committee of the nine powers also took up at today's session the question of Chinese postal services, and discussed the details in that connection until after one o'clock when it was decided the committee should conclude its sitting for the day and resume tomorrow morning. No decision was taken respecting Chinese posts.

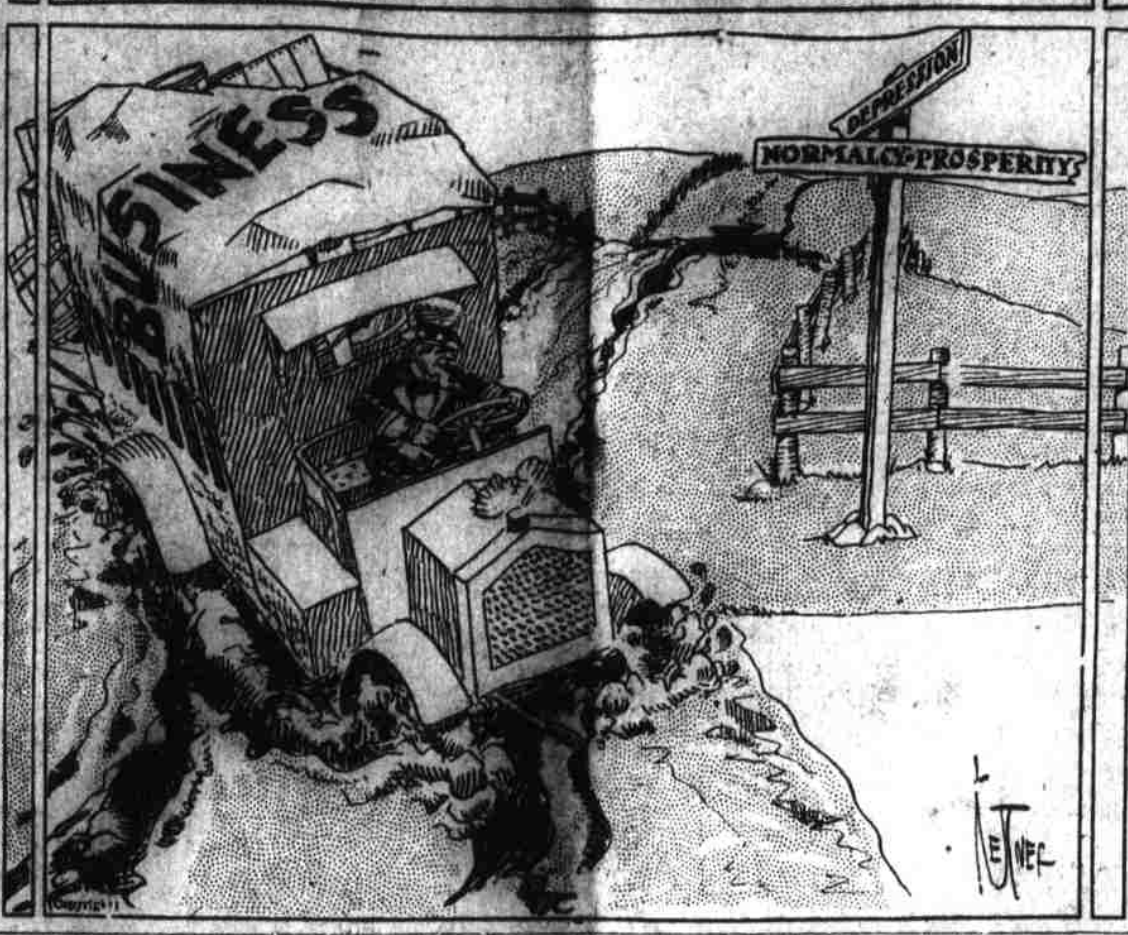
DEATH OF COL. ASHBY L. BAKER AT STATE CAPITAL

Death Followed Long Illness.—Was One of State's Wealthiest Men. Raleigh, Nov. 25.—Col. Ashby L. Baker, aged 69, president and owner of the Virginia Cotton Mills at Swantonville, reported to be one of North Carolina's wealthiest men, died at his home here at 8 a. m. today following an illness of several months. He is survived by his widow and two children. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon.

PORT OF NEW ORLEANS IS COMPLETELY TIED UP

Between 12,000 and 15,000 Cargo Handlers Walk Out on Strike. New Orleans, Nov. 25.—The port of New Orleans was completely tied up today when between 12,000 and 15,000 cargo loaders and handlers walked out on strike in sympathy with the crew men who quit work Monday. About 70 ships are in port awaiting cargo. The public cotton warehouse and 10 private warehouses were closed.

Turning the Corner



CARRIERS REPRESENTED AT BIG FOOTBALL GAME

Star on Carolina Eleven, Twenty-Five Boys in Student Body and Fifty Persons at Game. Carrabrus county was well represented at the Carolina-Virginia football game in Chapel Hill Thanksgiving Day, and persons from the county let it be known that Carrabrus played an important part in victory.

COMMENT ON LORD CURZON'S STATEMENT

London Daily Mail Tells H. G. Wells He Must Change the Tone of His Dispatches. (By the Associated Press.) London, Nov. 25.—Foreign Minister Curzon's remarkable address yesterday in which he declared that if France pursued an isolated and individual policy she would not in the long run injure Germany and would fail to protect herself, draws characteristic comments from the newspapers. The editorial writers maintain the attitude they have consistently followed as regards the French military policy, the section of opinion which sees in France a military spirit upholding Lord Curzon, and those who see consistently the danger of Germany commencing adversely upon his utterances.

STATE FINISHES CASE IN THE LANDRU TRIAL

"Bluebird" of Gambrai Will Attempt to Dispute That He Committed Eleven Murders. Versailles, Nov. 25.—The prosecution today concluded its case against Henri Landru, and the defense began bringing forward witnesses in an attempt to disprove the contention of the state that the "Bluebird" of Gambrai was guilty of the commission of eleven murders, and the committal of the bodies of his victims.

Ready for Service, Game

New York, Nov. 25.—The advance forces of the Army and Navy began to arrive in town today for the annual football game between the West Point Cadets and the Annapolis midshipmen at the Polo Grounds tomorrow afternoon. Extra seats have been erected at the Polo Grounds and the largest crowd that ever saw a football game in this city will be on hand to cheer their favorites.

FLORIDIAN BROKERAGE FIRM CLOSES ITS DOORS

Firm of Clement D. Cates & Co Goes Into Voluntary Liquidation. Jacksonville, Fla., Nov. 25.—The brokerage firm of Clement D. Cates & Company, with headquarters here and branches in many parts of Florida, closed its doors today and announced it would go into voluntary liquidation.

BRAND SAILS FOR FRANCE

Expressed Himself as Quite Satisfied with the Results of the Conference So Far. (By the Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 25.—Aristide Briand, Premier of France, was a passenger on the Steamship Paris, sailing today for Harve on his trip home after outlining the position of his country in regard to the limitation of armaments before the Washington conference.

THE COTTON MARKET

There Was a Decline From \$2.50 to \$2.30 a Bale During Early Trading Today. (By the Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 25.—There was a decline of from \$2.50 to \$2.30 per bale in the cotton market during today's early trading. The opening was easy at a decline of 18 to 46 points, and there was some irregularity right after the call, with spot houses buyers of near months, while there was local and New Orleans buying of later deliveries owing to smaller notices than expected.

EMPLOYEES OF L. & G. N. ORDERED BACK TO WORK

Men Went on Strike on October 22—Men Go on a 30 Day Probation. Houston, Texas, Nov. 25.—Six hundred trainmen on the International & Great Northern Railway who walked out October 22, returned to work today under orders of the Federal Court. The men go on a 30 day probation.

WOMEN STREET CAR CONDUCTORS DISAPPEARING

Baltimore, Md., Nov. 25.—The conductors of a rapidly vanishing quantity in Baltimore, Md., and like the lion of the Western plains will exist only in the fables told to their grandchildren by old men who lived here during the world war. In 1918 there were 157 women and girls working on the lines of street railway. In 1920 the number was greatly decreased and today but 16 of these conductors are to be found on the widely scattered lines of the city.

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U. D. C. CHAPTER KNOCKS MUZZEY'S HISTORY OUT OF THE CONFEDERACY

Sequel Authorities Drop Book Following Flight By Local Daughters of the Confederacy. Muzzeys history, as a result of the organized and persistent effort of the Dodson-Ramsauer chapter of the Daughters of the Confederacy, will be eliminated at once from the list of text books used by the Concord High School. The announcement followed a public meeting of the Chapter at the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday afternoon.

PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE CONFERS

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