

MISS CARLTON IS TO SEEK ANNULMENT OF HER MARRIAGE

To "Alan Dwan Prindell"—Her Father, Dr. J. F. Carlton, of Statesville, Makes This Announcement.

ALREADY HAD A LIVING WIFE

Evidence Indicates That He Lived Here Under an Assumed Name.—Affidavit From His Wife.

The following is copied from the Statesville Daily of Tuesday, November 13th: Dr. J. F. Carlton will take legal steps to annul the marriage of his daughter, Elizabeth, to Alan David Prindell, which marriage took place in Concord Wednesday morning, October 3rd.

To substantiate the allegations above set forth, Dr. Carlton will offer as evidence an affidavit from Mrs. Helen Dwan, of Frankfort, Ky. The substance of this affidavit is that she was married to Allan Dwan May 22, 1919, in Oklahoma City, Okla.; that they have been separated since some time March, 1922, and so far as she knows they have not been divorced.

Mrs. Dwan states that after their marriage they lived together in Oklahoma City for about a year; then at Muskogee, Okla., until some time in March of the present year. From there Dwan went to New York City and Mrs. Dwan to Chicago, where she remained until July of the present year, when she came to Frankfort, Ky., where she has since been employed with a publishing company.

When the announcement was made some weeks ago that Mrs. Prindell would not live again with her husband, suspicion was voiced that Prindell had another wife but the affidavit is the first definite evidence on this contention. Along with this suspicion was heard the more specific charge that he had left unpaid bills here and there where he had lived and that he had been rather free in issuing worthless checks.

GASOLINE WAR RAGES THROUGHOUT THE EAST

Principal Refineries Are Announcing a Reduction of One Cent Per Gallon. New York, Nov. 13.—The gasoline price cutting war which started in the middle west with a reduction of two cents a gallon by the Standard Oil company of Indiana, was extended to the eastern seaboard today when most of the principal refineries followed the lead of the Gulf Oil company in reducing prices one cent a gallon.

Next week will be Red Cross week in Cabarrus county. The drive will be put on throughout the county on Friday and Saturday, November the 23rd and 24th. We trust that everyone in our county will answer this roll call.

Get Busy on Home Lessons. Brookline, Mass., Nov. 14.—This town tomorrow will put into force something new in the line of curfews. Besides the 9 o'clock bedtime warning, the fire bells will be sounded at 5 o'clock each afternoon, to remind the youngsters that it is time to go home and study their "home lessons."

Pythians Want to Raise \$100,000 For Orphans. Charlotte, Nov. 14.—L. L. Caudle, grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythians in North Carolina, has sent out an appeal to the more than 12,000 members of the order residing in the State for contributions during the Thanksgiving season to help raise \$100,000 with which to erect new units at the Pythian orphan home at Clayton.

Central Figures



Captain W. S. Coburn (above) and Phil Fox (sketch). Police charge Fox with killing Coburn in Atlanta, Ga. The sketch of Fox was made in jail.

WOOD WILL RETURN TO NORTH CAROLINA

Man Believed to Be Assailant of A. W. Kaplan Will Return Without Necessity of Requisition Papers.

(By the Associated Press.) Greensboro, Nov. 14.—C. H. "Otto" Wood, white man held at Princeton, N. Va., on charges growing out of the slaying of A. W. Kaplan, local pawnbroker here, ten days ago, will return without extradition papers, officials here have been notified.

The willingness of Wood to return explained the failure to request extradition papers from Governor Morrison, local officials explained. Wood, it is stated, contends that he is innocent, and denies being in North Carolina on the day of the assault on Kaplan.

INJUNCTION AGAINST RAILROAD WORKERS U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals Gives Decision in Case Affecting Labor Unions.

(By the Associated Press.) San Francisco, Nov. 14.—Decision by the U. S. Circuit Court of Appeals yesterday declared void the California law forbidding employers to exact pledges from employees not to join labor unions. The opinion affirmed the decision of the U. S. District Court of Los Angeles which enjoined the labor unions from organizing non-union workers of the Pacific Electric Co., of Los Angeles.

With Our Advertisers. Coles' Hot Blast saves fuel. See H. B. Wilkinson's new ad, which tells you why.

WHAT SAT'S BEAR SAYS. Fair tonight and Thursday; no change in temperature.

GOLDEN RULE DAY

North Carolina Asked to Observe December 2nd For Near East Orphans. Charlotte, Nov. 14.—North Carolinians are asked to observe Sunday, December 2, as International Golden Rule day as set forth in a proclamation by President Calvin Coolidge, in an appeal today by Col. George H. Belamy, state chairman of the Near East Relief.

In explaining the purposes of this national movement, Col. Belamy stated that its object is to provide funds to feed these hundreds of thousands of refugees who have been driven from their homes and lands by the provisions of the notorious Tausanne treaty. The regular Near East Relief campaigns which are held at various times during the year in the 100 counties of the state are for support of North Carolina's regular quota of orphans.

Briefly, each North Carolinian is asked to observe December 2nd by eating the exact fare which the Armenians are subsisting on—a slice of stale bread and a cup of soup or water. The difference in the cost of this meal and the regular Sunday dinner should be sent to the Near East Relief treasury or to Mr. John M. Scott, state treasurer, in the Robinson Building, Charlotte.

Reports reaching Col. Belamy indicated that several colleges of the state are organizing Golden Rule clubs and will endeavor to have widespread observance of this scheme in their respective institutions. The national office has sent literature to most of the young people's religious organizations asking their cooperation.

MELLON WOULD REDUCE INCOME TAX NEXT YEAR Recommends 25 Per Cent. Cut and Abolition of Phone and Amusement Taxes.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—Revision of Federal taxes, expected to reduce the total assessment by \$223,000,000 next year, is proposed in the program approved by Secretary Mellon for submission to Congress.

Recommendaions are made for a 25 per cent. reduction in the taxes on earned income; reduction of the normal taxes on incomes from 4 per cent, and 8 per cent, to 3 per cent, and 6 per cent, respectively. Application of the surtax at \$10,000 instead of \$6,000, and scaling progressively upwards to 25 per cent, in incomes of \$100,000 and renewal of the taxes on admissions and on telegrams, telephone messages and leased wires.

THE COTTON MARKET Opened Steady Today at a Decline of One Point to Advance of 10 Points.

(By the Associated Press.) New York, Nov. 14.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of one point to advance of ten points. There were overnight selling orders and relatively easy Liverpool cables were accompanied by some Liverpool selling in the local market, but the offerings were quickly absorbed with prices turning upward on unexpectedly heavy domestic consumption figures for October.

Senior Hi Y Meets. The regular weekly meeting of the Senior Hi Y was held Tuesday night at the Y. At the beginning the members were served a "Dutch Lunch," and the meeting proved to be the best held so far this year.

Episcopal Bishops Meet. (By the Associated Press.) Dallas, Texas, Nov. 14.—Called by the Rt. Rev. Alexander Garrett, of Dallas, presiding bishop, about four score members of the historic House of Bishops of the Episcopal Church of America were here today for the opening of a special session at which several important matters are to be taken up.

Woman's Life Is Saved By Two Dogs. The Dallas, Ore., Nov. 13.—Mrs. Ruby Pettis, 53 who lives on a ranch at Sherar Bridge, near here, told in a hospital here today how her life had been saved by her two dogs, Jack and Pup.

Cotton Figures. (By the Associated Press.) Washington, Nov. 12.—Cotton consumption was larger during October than any month since last June, but for the first three months of the cotton year it was about 37,000 bales less than during that period last year, the Census Bureau officials announced today.

Annual Pilgrimage to Wilson Home



Five thousand persons journeyed to the Woodrow Wilson home on S street, Washington, on Armistice Day, hoping for a glimpse of and a word from the war president. They were not disappointed. Senator Carter Glass is shown on left, and J. Ralph Bolling on right.

LADIES' NIGHT PROVED EVENT OF INTEREST

Rotarians Had Their Annual Meeting at Which Ladies Are Honor Guests. Tuesday night was ladies' night at the Concord Rotary Club and the gymnasium at the Y. M. C. A., where the meeting was held, was the scene of merriment, cheer and interest.

MELLON WOULD REDUCE INCOME TAX NEXT YEAR (Continued) The address of welcome was by Rotarian John Oglesby, after which there was a stunt, "New Vegetables," under the direction of Rotarian Leslie Bell.

JARVIS DRAWS FINE \$20 AND THE COSTS Raleigh Man Charged With Assaulting 11-Year-Old Robert Hester is Found Guilty.

IRVIN COBB'S BOOST FOR NORTH CAROLINA GOES ON Prohibitions Are Taking Much of the Credit For Improved Conditions.

WEATHER AND CROP REPORT IS SUBMITTED Much Better Weather For Gathering Cotton Prevailed During the Past Week.

AFTER MARGIN TRADING IN PROPOSED MEASURE Senator King Would Prohibit Margin Trading in Stocks, Bonds, Grain and Cotton.

Which They Hope to Get Enacted Into Law When Congress Meets Again. Washington, Nov. 14.—Meeting here today at the call of Warren S. Stone, grand chief of the Brotherhood of Railway Engineers, heads of sixteen railroad labor organizations took up for discussion legislative proposals for which they may ask consideration at the coming session of Congress.

Two Bank Messengers Murdered. (By the Associated Press.) New York Nov. 14.—Two bank messengers were murdered by two hoodlums who stole \$43,600 from them in a spectacular holdup today at the 55th street station of the West End subway line in Brooklyn.

Brotherhood Heads Confer. Washington, D. C., Nov. 14.—In response to a call sent out last week by Warren S. Stone, president of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, the chiefs of the sixteen principal railroad labor organizations met in this city today to formulate a definite legislative policy in reference to measures to come before the next Congress.

Mystery



Richard Dieters, night telephone operator at a fashionable Brooklyn (N. Y.) club, has disappeared, police were told. His wife (above) has accused certain prominent clubman of "boudoir" her husband. Dieters' coat and hat were found on a bridge, but it is not thought he committed suicide.

541,825 BALES OF COTTON CONSUMED

This Amount Was Used During October.—More Spindles Were Active in October Than in September.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, Nov. 14.—Cotton consumed during October totalled 541,825 bales of lint and 57,128 of lintless, compared with 483,552 of lint and 49,687 of lintless in September this year; and 533,741 of lint and 62,635 of lintless in October last year, the Census Bureau announced today.

EASTERN METHODISTS HOLDING CONFERENCE Eighty-Seventh Annual Conference Opens in Elizabeth City With Bishop Denny Presiding.

Burgomaster Denies He is Aware Ex-Kaiser Has Plan to Return. Doorn, Holland, Nov. 13.—Baron Schimmelpennick, burgomaster of Doorn, assured the correspondent of The Associated Press, today on his word of honor that he was not aware of any intention on the part of former Emperor William to leave Doorn.

Berlin Denies Permission Has Been Given Wilhelm. Berlin, Nov. 13.—It is officially denied here that former Emperor William has been authorized to return to Germany.

Gets 30 Cents Damages. (By the Associated Press.) Raleigh, Nov. 14.—Thirty cents is the amount named in a suit started by Squire T. E. Owens against the Fine State Creamery, both of this city. The justice of the peace alleges that the creamery company refused to return a bottle deposit of that amount.

FORBES CONTINUES TO BE A WITNESS

IN GIVING TESTIMONY

Directly Passes Lie to Elias H. Mortimer, Who Said Mr. Forbes Gave Information About Hospital Sites.

ALSO DENIES ALL SAWYER CHARGES

Says He Was Not Dismissed Because He Failed to Obey Orders—New Thrills Given by Forbes' Testimony.

(By the Associated Press.) Washington, Nov. 14.—Piecing out the details of his denial of the charges against him, former director Chas. I. Forbes, of the Veterans' Bureau, put new thrills into the Senate veterans investigation today by flatly contradicting the testimony of several witnesses. He passed the lie directly to Elias H. Mortimer, of Philadelphia, who had told the committee that under Forbes' administration confidential information was furnished certain contractors regarding proposed hospital sites.

"If Mortimer states that," said the former director "the states what is a lie." Then he turned to Mortimer, who was seated at a table with committee counsel and exclaimed, "You laugh."

The witness also contradicted directly the testimony of Chas. E. Sawyer, personal friend and physician of President Harding. Dr. Sawyer had told the committee that Forbes was dismissed by the President for not obeying an order to stop surplus property sales at Perryville, Md., but the former director declared Mr. Harding had given him authority to release loaded cars at Perryville after the first stop order was given.

BONDS OF THE STATE ARE OFFERED FOR SALE

Number of Bids Received at Public Meeting—Money to Be Spent at State Institutions.

(By the Associated Press.) Raleigh, Nov. 14.—Seven bids, two embracing the total issue, were opened at noon today in the office of State Treasurer, B. R. Lacy, for \$10,649,500 State of North Carolina 42-year coupon bonds, offered for sale to raise funds for permanent improvement of State institutions. Immediately following the opening and reading of the proposals, which were public, Governor Morrison went into executive session with Treasurer Lacy and other officials to consider the bids. Bids for the whole issue were submitted by the Raleigh Bank & Trust Company, which made a flat offer for the bonds, which are divided in 99 bonds of \$500 denomination, and 10,600 bond of denomination of \$1,000 each, both dated October 1, 1923, and payable October 1, 1963, by the First National Bank of New York City, which made a flat offer, and a combined offer. For the total the Raleigh Bank & Trust company offered 4 3/4 per cent, premium of \$25,861.95; while the New York financial house bid 4 3/4 per cent, for the whole without any premiums. The New York house also made an offer of 4 1/2 per cent, for \$7,495,000 without premiums; 5 per cent, for \$3,600,000 without premium; and 4 3/4 per cent, on \$4,395,000. Bidding on parts of the issue were the Bank of Reidsville, the Merchants National Bank of Wilmington; the Carolina Banking & Trust Company of Elizabeth City; Savings Bank & Trust Co., Elizabeth City; and A. E. Alexander, High Point. All of these bids were for comparatively small sections of the State's offers, they being in amounts from \$2,000 to \$200,000. Announcement is expected some time this afternoon as to a decision by State officials as to the awarding of the bonds.