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Ningpo, China, June 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—The anti-foreign movement is rampant here. Rioters damaged and completely looted the Junior Customs Mess here last night.

Ningpo is a treaty port in Chekiang province, about 95 miles from Hangchow. It is an exporting center for tea, cotton and silks.

American Advised to Leave Canton.

New York, June 23.—The American consul at Canton has ordered Americans to leave the city because of anti-foreign agitation, according to a cablegram received today by the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church from its secretary in China, O. W. McMillen.

The message says: "Considerable anti-foreign feeling in Canton. Consul ordered all to leave. All are safe."

The cablegram was filed from Hong King, although Mr. McMillen's headquarters are in Canton. It is not known here whether he has moved to Hong Kong or whether he remains in Canton.

Japanese Reported Killed.

Shanghai, June 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—An unconfirmed private telegram from Wuchow, 180 miles west of Canton, says a Japanese customs commissioner has been killed there and two Japanese injured.

Dispatches yesterday from Shanghai say a Japanese official of the Salt Gabelle had been assaulted at Wu Hu, about 50 miles from Nanking.

Japan to Co-operate.

Tokyo, June 23.—Baron Shidehara, the Japanese foreign minister, told the cabinet today that the only thing Japan could do in the present Chinese situation was to co-operate with the other powers.

Open Negotiations.

London, June 23.—Official advice received here from Peking says the diplomatic corps decided unanimously to open negotiations with the Chinese government in an effort to fix responsibility for the Shanghai trouble and adjust the situation.

Japanese Consuls Reported Attacked.

Shanghai, June 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—It was reported here today that Japanese consuls had been attacked by Chinese mobs both at Chung King and Ching King. The consul at the latter place demanded an apology and intimated if it were not made strong action would be taken by Japan.

Want Strike in Manila.

Manila, P. I., June 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—Attempting to extend the anti-foreign agitation to Manila, Shanghai radicals today cabled to comrades here urging a general strike at Manila beginning on June 25th.

Soviets Paying Chinese Strikers.

London, June 23.—The Shanghai correspondent of the Daily Mail says that when thousands of Chinese received strike pay yesterday from funds collected throughout the country, each striker was given a leaflet reading:

"Executive committee of the soviet central union conveys its warmest friendship and sympathy to the Chinese workers who have fought so valiantly against the oppression of the foreign capitalists. 'We know you are encountering great difficulties in combatting capitalistic oppression, but your sacrifices will not be in vain. The workmen of the whole world will rise to co-operate with your attack on modern imperialism.'"

Phillips Not to Oppose Hammer.

Raleigh, June 22.—Reports to this correspondent that Solicitor Don Phillips, of Wadesboro, has been "threatening" to go against William Cicero Hammer, of Ashboro, for the Democratic nomination to Congress from the seventh district are somewhat if not entirely incorrect, according to Mr. Phillips.

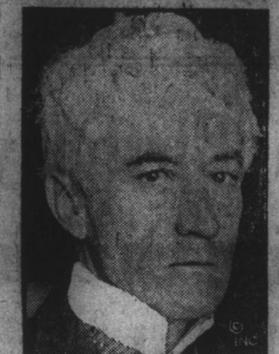
Four or five centuries ago the chair was a rare and valued possession belonging only to the master of the house, and given up by him only to guests of the greatest distinction.

Star Theatre Wednesday, June 24th

"Lost a Wife" With Adolphe Menjou, Greta Nissen and Robert Agnew It's a Paramount

Thursday and Friday, June 25-26 "The Night Club" With Raymond Griffith and Vera Reynolds A Paramount Special

This big picture will be absolutely free to everyone holding a ticket given Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday.



KENESAW M. LANDIS High Commissioner of Baseball, who is in Charlotte today.

SOUTHERN NEWSPAPER PUBLISHERS TO MEET

Annual Convention to Be Held at Grove Park Inn July 6-8.

(By the Associated Press) Asheville, N. C., June 23.—All plans have been completed for the entertainment of delegates to the Twenty-third annual convention of the Southern Newspaper Publishers Association, announcements said here today.

The convention officially will be opened Monday, July 6, by Arthur G. Newmyer, New Orleans, president of the association, and will continue in session through Wednesday, July 8.

However, the advance guard of the delegation will arrive July 5 for "get together days."

Dr. Henry Louis Smith, president of Washington and Lee University, will deliver an address at the convention Sunday evening on Lee, the Christian Educator.

Conferences of the directors and officers will follow this address.

Various forms of entertainment have been planned for the newspapermen and their wives. Two golf tournaments of 18 holes each will be held at the Asheville Country Club Tuesday afternoon, July 7.

One tournament will be exclusively for members of the association, while the other will be for the guests and all others in attendance at the convention.

Women attending the convention will be the guests of Asheville women on an automobile tour of the city on Monday which will be followed by a tea and a reception. Card parties and crossword puzzle tournaments are among the other entertainments planned for the women guests.

G. E. Hosmer, of the Fort Myers (Fla.) Press, will be the convention speaker on Monday afternoon, following reports of various committees and officers. His topic will be "The National Journalist's Home." Group meetings will be held with the members divided into divisions, according to the circulation of their papers.

Robert Latham, editor of the Charleston News and Courier, winner of the Pulitzer Editorial Prize, will be presented Tuesday. Following the presentation of Adolph S. Ochs, publisher of the New York Times and the Chattanooga Times, will tell of "Newspaper Making."

Trade topics will be discussed Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons by the following: Major Allen Potts, the Richmond News Leader—Labor and Mechanical Departments; H. Galt Braxton, Kinross, (N. C.) Free Press—Advertising Topics; W. A. Elliott, Jacksonville Times-Union—Circulation and Miscellaneous; Major Clark Howell, Jr., The Atlanta Constitution—Editorial Topics.

Motion pictures will be shown each evening of the convention, preceded by organ recitals by Harry Mueller. A model Civic club luncheon will be one of Tuesday's features.

5,000 Deaths Caused by Automobiles in 1924.

(By the Associated Press) Washington, D. C., June 23.—The Department of Commerce has announced that during 1924 there were, in 58 of the principal cities, 5,000 deaths caused by automobiles and other motor vehicles. Totals in the same cities during previous years were: 1923, 4,908; 1922, 4,326; 1921, 3,936, and 1920, 3,602.

The corresponding death rates per 100,000 population were, respectively, 19, 18.8, 16.9, 15.7 and 14.6.

In 1924 New York had the largest number of deaths, 1,001, but the corresponding death rate of 16.6 in New York was exceeded by the rates of 45 of the 60 cities showing rates for 1924. The highest rate was 54.8 for Paterson, N. J., and the lowest was 9.8 for Bedford, Mass.

Alliance of Reformed Churches. Cardiff, Wales, June 23.—Delegates representing thirty-eight denominations in more than twenty-five countries were on hand here today for the opening of the Twelfth Council of the Alliance of Reformed Churches Throughout the World holding the Presbyterian system. The attendance is representative of a dozen more denominations than appeared at the last meeting of the council, which was held four years ago in Pittsburgh Pa. The present meeting, which will continue in session ten days, is in the nature of a jubilee celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the council. Questions concerning creed and Christian unity will be discussed, as well as many other vital topics.

Rural Mail Carriers to Meet in Salisbury. (By the Associated Press) Salisbury, N. C., June 23.—The North Carolina Rural Carriers' Association will meet here in annual convention, August 7 and 8. An attendance of 400 to 500 is expected. G. V. Hawkins, of Shelby, is the president of the association.

Motion Picture Men at Wrightsville. (By the Associated Press) Wrightsville Beach, N. C., June 23.—Sessions of the North Carolina Motion Picture Exhibitors Association convention continued here today with approximately 100 exhibitors from this state in attendance. In addition there were present about twelve exhibitors from South Carolina. The convention which opened yesterday afternoon will continue through tomorrow.

Again Head W. C. T. U. Edinburgh, Scotland, June 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—Miss Anna Adams Gordon, of Franston, Ill., was re-elected President of the World's Woman's Christian Temperance Union today.

He's a Daddy at 83



What's a mere eighty years between father and daughter? J. F. Williams of Birmingham, Ala., is 83, and his youngest daughter, Verna Pauline, was born March 25 of this year. His wife is 86, and his eldest son, by a former marriage, is 60. The picture shows him with his wife and younger children. Left to right they are Willie May, 5, Verna Pauline and Mrs. Williams, Mrs. Williams and Martha Ann, 8.

THE COTTON MARKET

Opening Was 7 Points Lower on July But With New Crop Months Higher.

(By the Associated Press) New York, June 23.—The cotton market showed irregular fluctuations during today's early trading. Liverpool cables were lower than due, but there were private reports of continued dry hot weather in the southwest and the opening was 7 points lower on July with new crop months 1 to 3 points higher.

Relative weakness of July was an unsettling factor and October sold off to 23.21 or about 7 points net lower, but covering on the fear of crop deterioration caused moderate rallies before the end of the first hour.

A private crop report pointing to a condition of 731 with an increase of 5.8 per cent on acreage, and an indicated yield of 14,600,000 bales appeared to have little effect on the early market.

Cotton futures opened steady; July 23.30; October 23.30; December 23.48; January 22.97; March 23.27.

WOOTEN HEARING IS SCHEDULED FOR TODAY

Deputy Sheriff of Watauga County Charged With Killing Leonard Triplett.

(By the Associated Press) Blowing Rock, June 23.—The postponed hearing in the case of B. G. Wooten, former chief of the Blowing Rock police, and deputy sheriff of Watauga county, who is held in jail at Boone on a charge of killing Leonard Triplett in a raid on automobiles suspected of carrying whiskey, was set for this morning when the solicitor was expected to be present.

Owing to inability of the solicitor to attend the preliminary yesterday the probe of events leading up to the shooting was deferred until today.

PRESIDENT IS READY FOR HIS VACATION

Presidential Party Will Leave for the Summer White House During the Afternoon.

(By the Associated Press) Washington, June 23.—Only a cabinet meeting, perhaps the last to be held this summer, stood today between President Coolidge and his vacation.

With his departure for the summer white house at Swampscott, Mass., set for this afternoon, Mr. Coolidge devoted the morning to a last minute checkup with his cabinet and to arranging a quick transfer of the major business of his office.

With Our Advertisers. Install Kelvinator electric refrigeration in your refrigerator and forget all about ice deliveries. Sold by the York & Wadsworth Co.

Several used cars for sale by the Standard Buick Co.

Last showing today of "Her Husband's Secret," at the New Concord Theatre. Tomorrow, Betty Compton in "White Shadows."

Tomorrow at the Star Theatre, "Lost a Wife," a big Paramount production. Thursday and Friday "The Night Club," also a Paramount. This picture will be free to everyone holding a ticket given on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday.

Summer suits, \$10 to \$25 at the Browns-Cannon Co. In Cannon building.

Epworth League Conference. (By the Associated Press) Salisbury, N. C., June 23.—Preliminary plans for the semi-annual meeting of the Epworth League Conference of the Western North Carolina Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, South, have been completed. Sessions will be held from June 30 to July 8. Among the speakers will be the Rev. John W. Moore, Winston-Salem, the Rev. E. D. Welch, Brevard, the Rev. J. H. Barnhardt, Charlotte, and the Rev. Loy D. Thompson, Salisbury.

Cotton Crushers Association Meets. (By the Associated Press) Wrightsville Beach, June 23.—Delegates from North Carolina and South Carolina segregated themselves by states here today when the annual convention of the Cotton Crushers Association of North Carolina and South Carolina opened for the second day at Wrightsville Beach.

Approximately 200 delegates were registered at the conclusion of yesterday's session, the convention rooms being crowded with members of the two associations.

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HINTS THAT DAWES PLAN MAY FAIL TO BE SUCCESS SOON

Sir Josiah Stamp, Britisher Who Aided in Drawing Up Plan, Says It Does Not Cover Bill Wholly.

SITUATION IS SERIOUS NOW

Says Germans Must Lower Standards of Living, Work Harder and Produce More To Pay Their Debts.

(By the Associated Press) Brussels, June 23.—Germany can pay her reparations obligations only through a slower standard of living, lower working hours and greater production, Sir Josiah Stamp, British economist and co-author of the Dawes plan, told the International Chamber of Commerce at today's meeting here.

Sir Josiah expressed grave doubt of the continued successful working of the Dawes plan. He declared the time has come for serious study to be given the situation. The chief difficulties, he said, were the labor problems involved in the production of goods for reparations, and the ruinous competition as a result of the import of goods into receiving countries without exports to offset them.

YOUNG STURGIS GIVEN RELEASE FROM PRISON

Son of Major General Sturgis Will Not Be Prosecuted at Charlotte.

Charlotte, June 22.—Charges of checkfashing against Robert Sturgis, 22-year-old son of Major General S. D. Sturgis, commanding the fourth army corps area, with headquarters at Baltimore, were withdrawn here today and the youth, after spending more than three weeks in prison here, was released.

The charges were preferred against the youth by his brother-in-law, Hugh Murrill, prominent business man of this city, after he was said to have abused confidences placed in him by Murrill and General Sturgis. In announcing withdrawal of the charges, Mr. Murrill said that the youth now is in "a proper frame of mind" to begin life anew with a clean slate.

This afternoon young Sturgis said he had made an effort to join the Marines today but had failed owing to defective vision.

Young Sturgis was arrested here several weeks ago on charges from Baltimore involving alleged larceny of an automobile in that city. Those charges also have been dropped it was announced.

The youth late in the afternoon said he had not decided upon plans for the future.

When seen by a newspaper man nearly two weeks after his arrest here young Sturgis told a long-winded story to the effect that he had been jailed for the investigation of his father to prevent his marriage to a young Charlotte lady, Miss Marjorie A. Blackburn. Later developments, it was said by investigators here, indicated that the story was not founded on fact.

JEWISH WOMEN ARE MEETING IN ASHEVILLE

Sophie Einstein Memorial Fund Established by Mrs. Solomon Weil.

(By the Associated Press) Asheville, June 23.—Acceptance of a memorial fund for the purpose of fostering Jewish information through lectures given by rabbis and teachers throughout the state, and adoption of reports featured the morning session of the North Carolina Association of Jewish Women.

The lecture fund was given the association by Mrs. Solomon Weil, of Goldsboro, the founder of the association, and will be known as the Sophie Einstein memorial fund in memory of Mrs. Weil's mother. It will be maintained by Mrs. Weil and will be used throughout the state in fostering public information about Judaism.

Burgamers and Hall Given Paroles, Sink Announcements. Raleigh, June 22.—Paroles to Ean Burgamer, of Forsyth county, serving two years on the road for larceny, and to Leland Hall, of Rowan, doing four years for assault with a deadly weapon, were announced this afternoon by Hoyle Slink, commissioner of pardons.

Burgamer is seriously ill and will be unable to work for many days. He gets a 90-day parole but must return and serve his time. Hall's assault did no harm. He was convicted and given two years in two cases. He has served one term of two years plus five months. Mrs. Mary O. Linton, of Rowan, gets the prisoner and as superintendent of public welfare she will look after him.

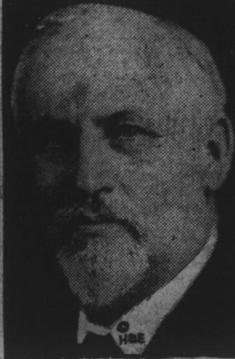
Traffic Cops Believe in Trying Courtesy First. (By the Associated Press) Williamsport, Pa., June 23.—The police department of this city has tackled the job of educating jay walkers to the error of their ways. Each pedestrian who crosses streets at places other than intersections, or who disobeys the signals of a traffic policeman, will be handed a card. No arrests are contemplated, however, unless the education program fails.

These words appear on the cards: "You have violated a traffic rule. Help us in the enforcement of all laws. This is for your safety as well as for others. Warning by the police department."

Qualify for British Open Golf Championship. Troon, Scotland, June 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—The trio of American professional golfers, Joe Kirkwood, McDonald Smith and Jim Barnes, made certain today their entry in the British open championship by returning cards of 154, 154 and 155 respectively for the 36-hole qualifying play. It was considered that cards under 160 would put the holders in the next 80 who will compete in the 72-hole medal play Thursday and Friday.

Remarkable growth in the poultry industry of Alberta is indicated in a recent report. Prior to 1922 practically no eggs were exported from the province. In 1923, 44,900 cases were sent out, and last year this figure leaped to over 60,000 cases.

THE LATE SENATOR LADD



Senator Edwin F. Ladd, of North Dakota, who died Monday morning. He was a close associate in the Senate of "Fighting Bob" LaFollette.

FUNERAL PLANS FOR LATE SENATOR LADD UNCERTAIN

Probably Will Be Held in Washington Tomorrow, With Intention in North Dakota Later.

(By the Associated Press) Washington, June 23.—Completion of arrangements for the funeral of Edwin F. Ladd, senior senator from North Dakota, awaited today the arrival of his body from Baltimore, where he died yesterday, and the arrival of six sons and daughters from various cities.

It is expected, however, that funeral service will be held here tomorrow, after which the body will be placed in a vault to wait until Mrs. Ladd is able to make the trip to North Dakota.

Mrs. Ladd and son and daughter, who were at the bedside when the senator expired, returned to their home on the outskirts of Washington last night. Mrs. Ladd was seriously affected by her husband's death and it was decided to hold the body here for several weeks pending her recovery from the shock and exertion.

PROGRESSIVES ARE NOT DISINTEGRATED AT ALL

Death of La Follette Will Not Stop Their Work, Says Senator George T. Norris.

(By the Associated Press) Madison, Wis., June 23.—The Progressives of the nation are looking to those in Washington "to make no mistake at this critical hour," Senator George T. Norris, Republican of Nebraska, declared today in a formal statement. He came here to attend the funeral yesterday of Senator Robert M. LaFollette.

"The death of our great leader must not be taken as any disintegration in our ranks," he said. "Tetty jealousies and personal ambitions must be forgotten."

Using Moving Pictures to Get Watauga Farmers. (By the Associated Press) Boone, June 23.—Moving pictures are being used to great advantage by J. B. Steele, county agent for Watauga. "The business interests of the county," he said, "have made it possible for me to have a portable machine." He is showing various educational films prepared by the United States department of agriculture and the North Carolina State College at Raleigh.

The entire county will be covered this month. Pictures of the sheep and poultry industries will be shown. Mr. Steele will, at the same time, deliver addresses to the farmers on these two important western North Carolina industries.

Order of Moose Is Holding Annual Meet at Baltimore. Baltimore, Md., June 22.—After a day devoted to formally opening their 37th annual international convention, organizing committee, and hearing reports by various officers, members of the Loyal Order of Moose attending the week's sessions spent tonight in entertainment features.

The Mooseheart Alumni association met early in the evening in the grand ball room of the Emerson hotel for its annual dinner; while later the thousands of lodgemen in the city chose between a benefit theater performance and a street dance.

Shack, Negro Charged With Assault Attempt, Is Dead. Salisbury, June 22.—Joe Shack, the negro who was being held in Mecklenburg county jail to answer a charge of attempted criminal assault on a white woman near Salisbury 10 days ago, died last night as a result of pistol ball wound in the head said to have been made by Shack after his attempt at assault had failed and he had fired twice at the woman.

Every week the factories of the great English industrial city of Birmingham turn out 14,000,000 pens, 10 tons of pins, 6,000 metal bedsteads, 7,000 tons of rifles, and numerous other articles.

SHEPHERD DENIES HE CONSPIRED TO TAKE LIFE OF MCCLINTOCK

Takes Stand to Strike Chief Blow in Defense of Charges That He Took Life of His Foster Son.

BIG CROWD IN THE COURT ROOM

Shepherd Spoke Very Clearly and Was Entirely Composed While He Was on the Witness Stand.

(By the Associated Press) Chicago, June 23.—Wm. D. Shepherd took the witness stand today to strike the chief blow in the defense of charges that he used typhoid bacilli to slay his foster son, Wm. N. McClintock.

"Did you murder Wm. N. McClintock?" asked Wm. F. Stewart, Shepherd's chief counsel, after the usual identification questions.

"I did not," Shepherd replied in a firm, well-modulated voice.

The defense attorney took Shepherd through each charge in the indictment of 22 counts covering the death of McClintock by poison, by germs, and "an unknown manner." In each instance the defendant answered "I did not."

He denied that he had ever seen Dr. C. C. Faiman until after he was taken into custody, ever had written a letter to Faiman's University of Sciences regarding a course in bacteriology, or had ever seen John T. Marchand, a representative of Faiman's school.

He denied he had seen Dr. Amante Rongetti until after his arrest. In three minutes Shepherd's general denial of each and every accusation against him had been formally entered, and Stewart sat down with the remark to the prosecution of "Take the witness."

Photographers officially banned from all Cook County criminal courts, scooted about the court room "shooting" the well composed man in the witness box from all angles.

Mrs. Shepherd, who had been in the court room every day of the five weeks and two days of the trial, sat with composed countenance as her husband offered his testimony. She had indicated last night she did not wish him to testify.

The tiny court room, crowded to capacity, hung in breathless silence on every word uttered by the witness.

Cross examination of the defendant, expected to be one of the most grueling ever made of a witness, was begun in a low voice by Prosecutor Robert E. Crowe. In keeping with it Shepherd dropped his voice and a majority of the spectators were left to wonder what is being said.

Shepherd denied he murdered McClintock. He amplified his denial to extend to the counts in which he was charged with administration of various forms of death dealing germs, or of murdering Billie McClintock in any form.

The witness denied again to the prosecutor each of the questions relative to his having seen, known or having had dealings with Faiman and other witnesses.

Cross examination brought out that Shepherd is past 49, was born at Anderson, Ind., and was educated at the common schools of Johnston county, Ind., and the high schools of Indianapolis. He admitted that he studied the regular high school chemistry courses, and his stepfather ran a drug store. He said he worked at the drug store in the afternoons, and on Saturdays and holidays.

FREE FOR ALL FIGHT IN FRENCH CHAMBER

Deputies Broke Into Riot While Discussing the Moroccan Question. Paris, June 23.—(By the Associated Press.)—Today's session of the chamber of deputies considering the Moroccan question broke up in a free for all fight, when the white-haired Colonel Picot, deputy of the right bloc, rushed to the rostrum and slapped the communist deputy Doriot squarely in the face as the latter was attacking the French government.

C. & O. Stockholders Meeting. (By the Associated Press) Richmond, June 23.—Stockholders of the Chesapeake & Ohio Railway in annual meeting here today began the voting on new directors shortly before 1 o'clock after five protests by minority holders had been defeated by the same vote of 548,264 to 131,880. President Harahan announced the election would be open for one hour to allow all concerned an opportunity to vote.

Administrative Tax Program Prepared. (By the Associated Press) Washington, June 23.—An administrative tax program to reduce the present tax burden by \$300,000,000, has virtually been completed for submission to Congress next fall.

Concord Theatre

(Coolest Spot in Town) LAST SHOWING TODAY

"Her Husband's Secret" It's a Real Good Picture

—EXTRA— Pathe News and Acropas Fables.

TOMORROW BETTY COMPTON in "White Shadows" Another Winner

WHAT SAT'S BEAR SAYS



Showers tonight and Wednesday, some what cooler tonight in east and central portions.